

**WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP  
SCHUYLKILL COUNTY  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2006-1**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SPEED LIMIT FOR MOTOR VEHICLES ON A PORTION OF MOUNTAIN ROAD (T-641) AND ON THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF DEWALT ROAD (T-554) WITHIN WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA; ADDING STOP SIGNS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AT CERTAIN INTERSECTIONS ON TOWNSHIP ROADWAYS; PROVIDING THE MANNER IN WHICH SAID SPEED LIMIT AND STOP INTERSECTIONS SHALL BE ENFORCED; PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN REPEALERS AND VALIDITY; AND ESTABLISHING THE EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, Mountain Road (T-641) and Dewalt Road (T-554) are public roads existing within Washington Township where no speed limits have been established; and

WHEREAS, the Washington Township Board of Supervisors, in order to advance the welfare and safety of the residents of the Township and such other persons who use said road, deems it necessary to enact the speed limitations on a portion of Mountain Road and for the entire length of Dewalt Road in Washington Township; and

WHEREAS, the Washington Township Board of Supervisors, after reviewing that certain Traffic and Engineering Study for Speed Limit Assessment Mountain Road and Dewalt Road/Proposed Mountain Road Estates Driveway, Washington Township, Schuylkill County, PA, dated May 25, 2006, prepared by Traffic Planning and Design, Inc., TPD # MLRD.A.00001, a copy of which is on file with the Township, find the following speed limits to be warranted in accordance with the Vehicle Code of Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, in order to advance the welfare and safety of the residents of the Township and such other persons who use said streets and roads, the Board of Supervisors is authorized when deemed necessary to add stop signs to certain intersections exist within the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT BEING ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Washington Township, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by Authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. The maximum speed limit for the following streets and roads is hereby established as follows:

<b>Street or Road</b>	<b>Between</b>	<b>Speed Limit (mph)</b>
Mountain Road (T-641)	Its intersection with Dewalt Road (T-554) and its intersection with Kurtz Road (T-534b)	35
Dewalt Road (T-554)	Entire length	35

Section 2. The Township, after due consideration of the totality of the circumstances hereby determines and finds that the addition of stops signs at the following intersections on certain Township streets and roads is a reasonable and necessary limitation and is in compliance the Motor Vehicle Code, Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, as amended, and, therefore, the Township hereby establishes that official stop signs shall be erected in such position as to face all traffic approaching these intersections as follows:

<b>Signs Erected</b>	<b>Direction</b>	<b>Other Road on Intersection</b>
Mountain Road (T-641)	eastbound	Dewalt Road (T-554) and Mountain View Drive
Mountain Road (T-641)	westbound	Dewalt Road (T-554) and Mountain View Drive
Mountain View Drive	northbound	Mountain Road (T-641) and Dewalt Road (T-554)
Mountain View Drive	northbound	Mountain View Drive (end of loop)
Mountain View Drive (end of loop)	northbound	Mountain View Drive
Dewalt Road (T-554)	northbound	Mountain Road (T-641) and Mountain View Drive

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be enforced in accordance with the provisions of the Vehicle Code of Pennsylvania as it pertains to fines and other penalties.

Section 4. All Ordinances or Resolutions, or parts of Ordinances or Resolutions, insofar as they are inconsistent herewith, shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. If any section or part of a section of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining parts or sections of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that this Ordinance would have been enacted as if such invalid section, or portion thereof, had not been included therein.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after enactment thereof.

DULY ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006, by the Board of Supervisors of Washington Township, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP



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ATTEST:

*Randy Stump*

Randy Stump, Secretary

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Randy Stump, Supervisor