

Bill No. 4275

Ordinance No. 15-105

Requested by: Craig Tajkowski

Sponsored by: Council as a Whole

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING NEW TRAFFIC REGULATIONS AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF

WHEREAS, written requests for changes in the traffic regulations have been received, duly advertised and posted; and

WHEREAS, two public hearings were conducted in front of the County Council pursuant to Section 310.010.A, Ordinances of St. Charles County, Missouri on August 10 and August 31, 2015 with the public having the opportunity to comment on possible new traffic regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Highway Department has considered such public comments and has made a recommendation regarding same, a copy of said recommendation is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the County Council has legislative power pertaining to traffic in the part of the County outside incorporated cities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Stop Signs are hereby established for the following locations:

1. STOP Skyline Drive at David Drive to clearly establish right-of-way at the intersection.
2. STOP Kelsey Ann Court at Meadow Brook Estates Lane.
3. STOP Singer Lane at Kelsey Ann Court.
4. STOP Meadowfield Lane at Kelsey Ann Court.

Section 2. Speed Limit Changes.

1. Raise the speed limit on South River Road from 35 m.p.h. to 40 m.p.h. between Friedens Road and South Main Street.

Section 3. Penalties. A violation of any provision of this ordinance is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment in the St. Charles County Jail for a term not to exceed one (1) year, or by both fine and imprisonment. A separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day a violation occurs or continues.

Section 4. Enforcement. Enforcement of this ordinance shall be the responsibility of the Prosecuting Attorney or County Counselor as appropriate.

Section 5. Publication of Ordinance. This ordinance is subject to penalty provisions for its violation and therefore, for penal purposes, shall be effective thirty-one (31) days

after its posting in six public places, its publication in full on the web site of St. Charles County, and the publication of its title and the location in St. Charles County where it may be viewed in its entirety in a legal publication or a newspaper of general circulation in St. Charles County.

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective on the thirty-first (31<sup>st</sup>) day after publication of this ordinance.

October 26, 2015  
DATE PASSED

November 2, 2015  
DATE APPROVED BY COUNTY EXECUTIVE

  
CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL  
  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

ATTEST:  
Ruth Miller  
COUNTY REGISTRAR

## TRAFFIC REGULATION RECOMMENDATIONS

### *STOP SIGN REQUESTS*

1. **STOP Skyline Drive at David Drive to clearly establish right-of-way at the intersection.** Do not establish a 3-way stop at the Skyline Drive/David Drive intersection. There are no sight distance impediments or volume issues that warrant a multi-way stop.
2. **STOP Kelsey Ann Court at Meadow Brook Estates Lane**
3. **STOP Singer Lane at Kelsey Ann Court**
4. **STOP Meadowfield Lane at Kelsey Ann Court**

### *SPEED LIMIT CHANGES*

1. **Raise the speed limit on South River Road from 35 m.p.h. to 40 m.p.h. between Friedens Road and South Main Street.** This will establish a uniform speed for both the City of St. Charles and unincorporated sections of the roadway.

After your review, please forward to the County Counselor for the drafting of an ordinance to present to the Council for consideration during the October 13 and October 26, 2015 Council meetings.

Because these regulations are countywide, we would expect the ordinance to be sponsored by the Council as a whole. If you have any questions, please advise.

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cc: Kelley Pogulis