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for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type: CONSENT AGENDA

Meeting Date: October 6, 2020

Item Details

Presenter(s): Russell Dalton, Senior Transportation Engineer

Department(s): Public Works and Transportation

Requested Motion

Motion to approve NCDOT Certification of Municipal Declaration to Enact Speed Limits and Request for Concurrence, State Ordinance Number 1078853 for a 25 mph speed limit along W Chatham Street (SR 1307) between Jones Street and Salem Street within Apex municipal limits. The current statutory speed limit is 35 mph for W Chatham Street within municipal limits. The attached request for concurrence is required by NCDOT before they can proceed with an ordinance enacting a 25 mph speed limit for the section noted.

Approval Recommended?

Yes

Item Details

Based on an engineering evaluation of W Chatham Street, it is recommended that the section between Jones Street and Salem Street be posted 25 mph, given the relatively narrow width of the travel way, on-street parking, density of driveways, pedestrian activity, and proximity to the Downtown Business District. Existing speed limit on W Chatham Street is statutory 35 mph within municipal limits.

Attachments

- NCDOT Certification of Municipal Declaration to Enact Speed Limits and Request for Concurrence (with map attached for information purposes)

