

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER J. ERIC BOYETTE SECRETARY

February 2, 2022

Ms. Kim Ward Town Clerk Town of Carolina Beach 1121 North Lake Park Blvd Carolina Beach, NC 28428

Dear Ms. Ward,

This letter is in regard to speed limit ordinances on US 421 (Lake Park Boulevard) in Carolina Beach. A review of the speed limit between the southerly town limit and just north of Goldsboro Avenue was conducted.

The Department has completed an engineering investigation to determine if the warrants are met to recommend extending the 25-mph speed limit. Based on the road characteristics and surrounding environment, we recommend extending the 25-mph limit for 600 feet north of St. Joseph Street/Wilson Avenue.

Municipal speed limit 25 ordinance #1077224 of 3/30/20 needs to be repealed and a new municipal speed limit 25 ordinance #1081519 needs to be enacted for the street between the southerly Town limit at Alabama Avenue and 340 feet north of Goldsboro Avenue.

The repeal and enactment ordinances will require municipal declaration certificates. Please put this matter on a Town Council meeting agenda for adoption of concurring ordinances or a resolution by the Board. We have included the original Certification of Municipal Declaration forms, on watermarked bond paper. When adopted, please complete the forms, certify and seal them and return them by mail to the attention of Jessi Leonard, PE, Division Traffic Engineer, at the below address. There can be no changes or corrections made on the certificates. Electronic versions of the ordinances have been provided for advance information.

You may contact me or Jessi Leonard if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

R. H. Hammond Traffic Engineering Technician III

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Attachments-letter, Municipal Certification Forms
cc: J. L. Leonard, P.E.
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