

ORDINANCE NO. 1316

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SNOQUALMIE, WASHINGTON
ADOPTING SNOQUALMIE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 10.13
AUTOMATED TRAFFIC SAFETY CAMERAS; AND PROVIDING FOR
SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the City of Snoqualmie has received concerns of speeds in school zones near Mt. Si High School and Timber Ridge Elementary; and

WHEREAS, the City has conducted speed emphasis patrols on roadways around the listed schools during and after school; and

WHEREAS, the City trimmed trees, utilized temporary rumble strips and placed a speed monitoring trailer in school zones as mitigation tools for speed concerns; and

WHEREAS, a speed study was conducted verifying high speed concerns near Mt. Si High School and Timber Ridge Elementary; and

WHEREAS, the City has an interest in maintaining the safety and welfare of its residents, especially children; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Snoqualmie Municipal Code Chapter 10.13 establishes that Automated Traffic Safety Cameras are authorized in the city limits of Snoqualmie, Washington.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SNOQUALMIE, WASHINGTON, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. New Chapter 10.13 Snoqualmie Municipal Code adopted: A new Chapter 10.13 of the Snoqualmie Municipal Code, to be entitled “Automated Traffic Safety Cameras” is hereby adopted, to read as set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference fully incorporated herein.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective five days after publication as provided by law.

Section 3. Corrections by City Clerk or Code Reviser. Upon approval of the City Attorney, the City Clerk or the code reviser are authorized to make necessary corrections to

this ordinance, including the correction of clerical errors; references to other local, state or federal laws, codes, rules, or regulations; or ordinance numbering anti section/subsection numbering.

Section 4. Severability. If any one or more section, subsection, or sentence of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this ordinance and the same shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Snoqualmie, Washington, this ____ day of _____ 2026.

James Mayhew, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Robert Thrall, Interim City Clerk

Dena Burke, City Attorney