November 9, 2022 Town Council Regular Meeting

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ADVERTISEMENT OF A PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE I OF CHAPTER 10, SECTION 10-5 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF WARRENTON, VIRGINIA (1991) AS AMENDED, RELATED GENERALLY TO SPEED LIMITS

WHEREAS, Warrenton, VA (Hereinafter "the Town") is a municipal corporation located within the County of Fauquier; and

WHEREAS, the Code of Virginia §46.2-873D and H permits the Town of Warrenton to pass an ordinance and establish a School Speed Zone and install flashing warning signs at Warrenton Middle School (Waterloo Street) that would reduce speeds to 15 mph during morning drop off and afternoon pickup periods upon receipt of a resolution by the School Board requesting such reduction in speed limits, and the Saint John's School Principal submitted a memorandum requesting the establishment of a School Speed Zone and install flashing warning signs at the Saint John's School (on Winchester Street between 200 feet north of Richards Drive and John E Mann Street), and on (John E Mann Street between Winchester Street and Robinson Street). that would reduce speeds to 15 mph during morning drop off and afternoon pickup periods; and

WHEREAS, the Fauquier County School Board passed a resolution requesting the establishment of a School Speed Zone and install flashing warning signs at the Warrenton Middle School (Waterloo Street) that would reduce speeds to 15 mph during morning drop off and afternoon pickup periods; and

WHEREAS, the Saint John's School Principle submitted a memorandum requesting the establishment of a School Speed Zone and install flashing warning signs at the Saint John's School (on Winchester Street between 200 feet north of Richards Drive and John E Mann Street), and on (John E Mann Street between Winchester Street and Robinson Street). that would reduce speeds to 20 mph during morning drop off and afternoon pickup periods as recommended by an independent, Engineering, traffic investigation; and

WHEREAS, the requested changes would require an Ordinance to amend Article I of Chapter 10, section 10-5 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Warrenton, Virginia (1991) as amended, related generally to speed limits; and

WHEREAS, The Warrenton Town Council wishes to authorize staff to advertise for a Public Hearing to gather Public Comments on the proposed ordinance amendment; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Warrenton Town Council Hereby adopts a resolution authorizing advertisement of a Public Hearing on an Ordinance to amend Article I of Chapter 10, section 10-5 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Warrenton, Virginia (1991) as amended, related generally to speed limits.

For Information: Chief of Police	
ATTEST: Town Records	er