

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX
CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORDINANCE NO. 5 -06

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A POSTED MAXIMUM
SPEED LIMIT OF 30 MILES PER HOUR ON A PORTION OF
CLAREMONT ROAD, PROVIDING FOR THE ERECTION OF SIGNS
AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the Township of Middlesex is a Local Authority under the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code (Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162, No. 81, as amended [75 Pa.C.S.A. 101, et seq.]) having certain roads or highways under its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, all necessary engineering and traffic investigation has been conducted incidental the exercise of authority of Middlesex Township hereunder; and

WHEREAS, said Township of Middlesex deems it in the best interest of its residents and the users of Claremont Road (Township Road T-593) to establish and post a maximum speed limit with respect to the operation of vehicles on a portion thereof; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the Board of Township Supervisors in and for the Township of Middlesex, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1: PREAMBLE AND POLICY.

The foregoing paragraphs and preamble are incorporated herein as the background and policy of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION.

Words and phrases used in this Ordinance shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code (Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162, No. 81), as amended.

SECTION 3: MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT ESTABLISHED; PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

(a) A maximum speed limit of 30 miles per hour is hereby established for Claremont Road from its intersection with South Middlesex Road west to the point of the intersection of Shady Lane with Claremont Road.

(b) Appropriate signs shall be posted noting said maximum speed limit and such other signs shall be posted in accordance with the engineering and traffic study conducted, said signs to be erected in accordance with regulations adopted by the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle on any part or portion of Claremont Road at a speed higher than the maximum speed prescribed for said road by this Ordinance.

(d) Any person who violates any provision of this Section is guilty of a summary offense and shall upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$35.00. Any person exceeding the maximum speed limit shall pay an additional fine of \$2.00 per mile for each mile in excess of five miles over the maximum speed limit.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with existing law.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 29th day of September, 2006 in public session duly assembled.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX

By: Charles W. W. W. W. W.
Chairman, Board of Township Supervisors

ATTEST:

Mary S. Pratt
Township Secretary
(Township Seal)