

CHAPTER 4

SPEED RESTRICTIONS

SECTION:

- 5-4-1: Speed Limits
- 5-4-2: Speeding Within a School Zone
- 5-4-3: Authority to Alter Maximum Limits
- 5-4-4: Penalty

5-4-1: **SPEED LIMITS:** No person shall drive a vehicle at a greater speed than designated as follows:

- A. Alleys and Other City Property: In any alley or other City Property, fifteen (15) miles per hour, or as otherwise posted. The term "alley" shall mean a minor public way providing secondary access at the back or side of a property for vehicle or pedestrian traffic.
- B. City Streets: On all other streets, twenty five (25) miles per hour, or as otherwise posted.

5-4-2: **SPEEDING WITHIN A SCHOOL ZONE:** No person shall operate a vehicle on a highway in a marked school zone in excess of the speed limit as posted. Any person that violates this section shall be assessed a fixed penalty equal to the maximum fine allowable by state law for an infraction, excluding court costs and fees.

5-4-3: **AUTHORITY TO ALTER MAXIMUM LIMITS:** Whenever the City Engineer determines on the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that the maximum speed permitted under this Chapter is greater or less than is reasonable and safe under the conditions found to exist upon a street or part thereof, he may determine and declare a reasonable and safe maximum limit which shall be effective when appropriate signs giving notice thereof are erected upon said street.

5-4-4: **PENALTY:** Any person who violates any provision of this chapter shall be deemed guilty of an infraction.