

COUNTY OF WETASKIWIN NO. 10 Municipal Policy & Procedures Manual	FUNCTION: 3000 PUBLIC WORKS
	SECTION: 3200 ROAD TRANSPORT

ERECTION OF SPEED LIMIT SIGNS POLICY #3209

POLICY STATEMENT

The Council of the County of Wetaskiwin passed By-law 78/30, Part II, governing the rate of speed on local roads, subdivisions, alleys or public reserves within subdivisions and County controlled parks or campsites. Speed limit signs indicating these rates of speed shall be erected and maintained in a timely and effective manner so as to ensure the safety of the public residents and motorists when travelling.

PROCEDURES

1. Local roadways are assumed to be posted at 80 kilometres per hour and do not require signage.
2. All County controlled Parks and Campgrounds shall be posted with 25 kilometre per hour speed signs at the entrances and at strategic locations throughout the Park, as determined by the Director, Parks and Recreation and approved through a regularly scheduled Council meeting.
3. All residential subdivisions and Hamlets shall be posted with 50 kilometre per hour speed signs at the entrances and at strategic locations throughout the subdivision or Hamlet, as determined by the Director, Public Works or delegate, and approved through a regularly scheduled Council meeting.
4. Upon written request for additional signage from the public, the Director, Public Works or his delegate shall inspect the area in question and determine if additional signage is required and the most effective location for the erection of the speed limit sign.
5. All new subdivision developments shall include a provision for the erection of speed limit signs pursuant to Section (3) as noted earlier, prior to the approval of the development permit.

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6. Any requests for a change in the pre-designated rate of speed within a subdivision, Hamlet, Park, campsite or local road, shall be submitted in writing to the Council of the County of Wetaskiwin.

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