

ORDINANCE NO. 1800

AN ORDINANCE OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WAMEGO, KANSAS, AMENDING SECTION 14-104 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF WAMEGO, KANSAS, ESTABLISHING A TWENTY (20) MILES PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT FOR ALL STREETS WITHIN THE CITY, UNLESS OTHERWISE POSTED; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith.

WHEREAS, the Standard Traffic Ordinance for Kansas Cities, adopted as amended by the City of Wamego, grants to the Governing Body the authority to alter the maximum speed limits on streets and highways within the City in accordance with KSA 8-1559 and KSA 8-1560, as amended, and

WHEREAS, a recent traffic speed study conducted by Olsson, the City's engineer, recommended that the speed limit along local roadways, as identified on the Flint Hills MPO Functional Classification Map, be designated as 20 mph, unless otherwise noted, in order to better align travel speeds along local roadways with speed limit guidance.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WAMEGO, KANSAS:

Section 1. That Section 14-104 of the Code of the City of Wamego, Kansas, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"14-104 SAME; SPEED LIMITS.

(a) Section 33(a), Maximum Speed Limits, of the Standard Traffic Ordinance adopted under Section 14-101 above is hereby amended to designate a maximum speed limit of 20 mph for all streets within the corporate limits of the city, unless noted under subsections (b), (c), (d) and (e) of this Section, or unless posted otherwise.

(b) The speed limit shall be 25 mph on the following streets within the corporate limits of the city:

(1) 8th Street from Hillcrest Road to Poplar Street and from Lincoln Avenue to Balderson Boulevard.

(2) Walnut Street from 4th Street to Highway 24.

(c) The speed limit shall be 30 mph on the following streets within the corporate limits of the city:

(1) Lincoln Avenue from the south city limits center of Kansas River, to a point 145 feet north of the centerline of Valley Street.

(2) Lincoln Avenue from a point 310 feet north of the centerline of 6th Street to the north city limits (north line of Highway 24), except the speed limit shall be 20 mph at the times set out in Ord. 941.

(3) 4th Street from Ash Street to the east city limits and 4th Street from Poplar Street to southwest city limits.

(4) Valley Street from Lincoln Avenue to the east city limits.

(5) Kaw Valley Road from Highway 24 to Say Road.

(6) Balderson Boulevard from 4th Street to Highway 24.

(7) Columbian from Highway 24 to the north city limits.

(d) The speed limit shall be 35 mph on Columbian Road from 4th Street to Highway 24.

(e) The speed limit shall be 10 mph for all streets and parking areas within the City of Wamego parks and cemeteries."

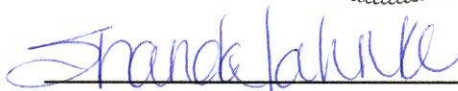
Section 2. That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

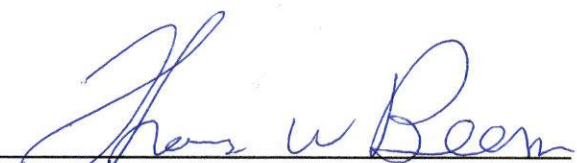
Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the City's official paper, The Times Pottawatomie County KS.

The above and foregoing Ordinance passed and adopted by the Governing Body of the City of Wamego, Kansas, this 19th day of December 2023.



ATTEST:


Shanda Jahnke, City Clerk


Thomas Beem, Mayor