

Committee : Building and Grounds	Date : 1/6/2025
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Submitted By:	City Administrator Approval:
Alex Damien, Public Works Director	Anthony Brown, City Administrator
Finance Department Review:	City Attorney's Office Review:
Joseph Ciurro, Finance Director	Brian Running, City Attorney

Subject:

Please consider adjusting the posted speed limit on East and West Sunset Drive to be a uniform speed of 35 MPH from Les Paul Parkway to W. St. Paul Avenue. Work with the Village of Waukesha to raise the speed limit to 35 MPH in their section of W. Sunset Drive.

Details:

1/6/2025. This item was originally brought forward by Ald. Aaron Perry under ID#18-1631 as a referral to perform a speed study on Sunset Drive to determine if the speed limit should be 35mph from W. St. Paul Avenue to Les Paul Parkway. Follow-up conversations took place with Ald. Mike Anderson and Ald. Daniel Manion to perform and evaluate the speed limit along Sunset Drive in the 25mph speed limit zone from Center Road to Tenny Avenue. Engineering staff have finished their speed study for the section of Sunset Drive in question. They will present their findings to the committee.

Options & Alternatives:

None.

Financial Remarks:

The cost for replacing eight (8) speed limit signs and installing one (1) new speed limit sign on a new sign post, would be around \$585 and covered by the 2025 Building and Grounds Sign Budget (3310.54140).

Executive Recommendation:

The Department of Public Works recommends updating the posted speed limit on Sunset Drive from the Canadian National Railroad Tracks (City Limit) to Tenny Avenue to 30mph.