

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Requested Board Meeting Date: April 15, 2014

ITEM SUMMARY, JUSTIFICATION and/or SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

ORDINANCE NO. 2014 - ____, An ordinance of the Pima County Board of Supervisors, establishing Prima Facie reasonable speed limits for motor vehicles on Shannon Road in Pima County, Arizona. Staff recommends **APPROVAL**. (District 1)

The reason for this ordinance is to reduce the speed limit on portions of Shannon Road between Orange Grove and Lambert Lane (Town of Oro Valley limits) from 45 mph to 40 mph.

Based on a 2013 crash assessment and follow-up speed limit review, it is recommended that the speed limit on Shannon Road be reduced to 40 mph from Orange Grove Road to 775 feet south of Ina Road and from Magee Road to Lambert Lane. This reduction in the speed limit will provide a travel speed consistency along these segments of Shannon Road due to operational and geometric characteristics, existing school facilities, crash history, projected increased traffic volumes, and traffic congestion during peak hours. The speed limit on the remaining segments of Shannon Road have not changed.

CONTRACT NUMBER (If applicable): _____

STAFF RECOMMENDATION(S): The Transportation Department recommends that the Board of Supervisors adopt this ordinance.



PIMA COUNTY COST: \$ Minimal and/or REVENUE TO PIMA COUNTY \$ _____

FUNDING SOURCE(S): HURF
(i.e. General Fund, State Grant Fund, Federal Fund, Stadium Dist. Fund, etc.)

ADVERTISED PUBLIC HEARING: YES NO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT: 1 2 3 4 5 All

IMPACT:

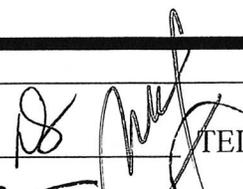
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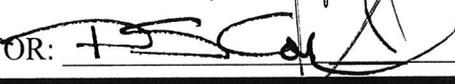
The speed limit on Shannon Road from Orange Grove Road to 775 feet south of Ina Road and from Magee Road to Lambert Lane will be reduced to 40 mph. The appropriate signing will be installed.

IF DENIED:

The speed limit will not be changed and conflicts may occur due to inconsistencies between the posted speed limit and the roadway geometrics and operating characteristics.

DEPARTMENT NAME: Transportation

CONTACT PERSON: Denise Silvester  TELEPHONE NO.: (520) 740-2601

DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR:  DATE: 3/13/14

ORDINANCE NO. 2014-__

AN ORDINANCE OF THE PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ESTABLISHING PRIMA FACIE REASONABLE SPEED LIMITS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES ON SHANNON ROAD IN PIMA COUNTY, ARIZONA

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona, has the authority under Title 28 of the Arizona Revised Statutes, more specifically Sections 28-627, 28-701 and 28-703, as amended, to fix prima facie reasonable speed limits on through highways, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona, has determined the prima facie reasonable speed limits for motor vehicles on portions of Shannon Road,

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona, that:

SECTION 1. The reasonable and safe prima facie speed limit for motor vehicles on Shannon Road shall be established as follows:

<u>SPEED LIMIT</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
a) 35 mph	260 feet north of River Road	Orange Grove Road
b) 40 mph	Orange Grove Road	775 feet south of Ina Road
c) 35 mph	775 feet south of Ina Road	Magee Road
d) 40 mph	Magee Road	Lambert Lane (Town of Oro Valley limits)

SECTION 2. Ordinance 2003-092 is repealed and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are superseded to the extent of such conflicts.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect when and to the extent that signs are posted on the highways herein listed giving notice of the prima facie reasonable speed limits.

SECTION 4. Violators of this ordinance shall be subject to civil or criminal sanctions as provided by law.

SECTION 5. The various county officers and employees are authorized and directed to perform all acts necessary or desirable to give effect to this ordinance.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2014

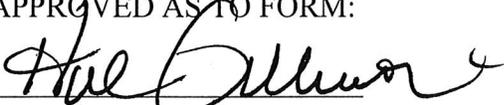
PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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ATTEST:

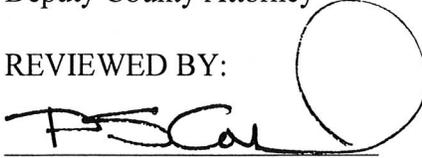
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Deputy County Attorney

REVIEWED BY:



Director of Transportation

NOTICE OF THE
PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Pima County Board of Supervisors shall hold a public hearing on April 15, 2014, at the hour of 9:00 A.M. or soon thereafter to hear oral and/or written comments concerning a proposed Ordinance establishing prima facie reasonable speed limits for motor vehicles on Shannon Road in Pima County, Arizona. The Hearing will be held in the Board of Supervisors Hearing Room, 130 West Congress, 1st Floor, Tucson, Arizona.

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