TOWN OF NORWICH

Ordinance To

Regulate Local Enforcement of Speed Limits of State Highways in the Town of Norwich

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1. AUTHORITY.

This Ordinance is adopted under the provisions of 24 V.S.A. Chapter 59, §1971 – 1973, 23 V.S.A. §1007(f) and 13 V.S.A. §7251.

2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to promote public safety.

3. SPEED LIMITS.

The maximum speed limit permitted for any vehicular traffic on Vermont Route 5 North, Vermont Route 5 South, Route 10-A and River Road, all within the Town of Norwich, shall be the same as those limits established and posted by the State of Vermont.

4. ARTICLE 5 PENALTIES.

5. ARTICLE 6 ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS.

This Ordinance may be enforced by any law enforcement officer who has been certified according to the provisions of 20 V.S.A. §2358.

6. SEVERABILITY.

If any section of this Ordinance is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such finding shall not invalidate any other part of this Ordinance.

7. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall become effective 60 days after its adoption by the Town of Norwich Selectboard. If a petition is filed under 24 V.S.A. §1973, that statute shall govern the taking effect of this Ordinance.

Adopted by the Norwich Selectboard on May 13, 2015.