

**MONONA COUNTY ORDINANCE 43**  
**SPEED RESTRICTION ORDINANCE**

AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING THE SPEED OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON  
SECONDARY ROADS IN MONONA COUNTY, IOWA.

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Supervisors of Monona County, Iowa:

SECTION I - Short Title. This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the “Monona County, Iowa Speed Restriction Ordinance”.

SECTION II - Purpose. This ordinance empowers the Board of Supervisors of Monona County, Iowa to establish speed restriction on secondary roads and the County Conservation Parkway road system within Monona County, Iowa.

SECTION III - Definitions. For use in this ordinance certain terms or words used herein shall be interpreted or defined as follows:

1. Secondary Road. Those roads under county jurisdiction.
2. Board. The Monona County, Iowa Board of Supervisors.
3. County Conservation Parkways. Those parkways defined as county conservation parkways under Code of Iowa, Sec. 306.3.

SECTION IV - Authority. Monona County Board recognizes that the Iowa Code sets speed limits on all roads and streets with respect to surfacing type and use. However, Iowa Code section 321.285(5) does provide for setting speed limits not listed in the code.

SECTION V - Special Speed Restrictions. The Board has determined on the basis of engineering and traffic investigations that the speed limits at the following secondary road locations are greater than is reasonable and proper under the conditions found to exist. The Board therefore determines and declares the reasonable and proper speed limit at the following secondary road locations, effective when appropriate signs giving notice of the speed limits are erected by the Board.

SECTION VI - Special 25 M.P.H. Speed Zones. A speed in excess of Twenty-five (25) miles per hour shall be unlawful on any of the following designated roads or parts thereof:

Dogwood Loop in both directions

165<sup>th</sup> Street between Co. Hwy. K-45 and Dogwood Ave. in both directions

Tulip Avenue between State Hwy. IA 141 and E. 7<sup>th</sup> Street in both directions

SECTION VII - Special 35 M.P.H. Speed Zones. A speed in excess of Thirty-five

(35) miles per hour shall be unlawful on any of the following designated roads or parts thereof:

Park Loop - north of 225<sup>th</sup> Street in both directions

Co. Hwy. K-45 from 220<sup>th</sup> Street to a point 1,400' north in both directions

SECTION VIII - Special 40 M.P.H. Speed Zones. A speed in excess of Forty (40) miles per hour shall be unlawful on any of the following designated roads or parts thereof:

Co. Hwy. E-16 from the corporate limits of the City of Mapleton to a point 1,240' east in both directions

SECTION IX - Special 45 M.P.H. Speed Zones. A speed in excess of Forty-five (45) miles per hour shall be unlawful on any of the following designated roads or parts thereof:

235<sup>th</sup> Street from Co. Hwy. K-45 to the corporate limits of the City of Onawa in both directions

SECTION X - Penalties. Any person found in violation of this ordinance shall be guilty of a simple misdemeanor and subject to a fine as set forth in the current State of Iowa compendium of Scheduled violations and Scheduled fines.

SECTION XI - Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION XII - Severability Clause. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such adjudication shall not effect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION XIII - When Effective. This ordinance shall be effective after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by law and erection of signs giving notice as provided by law.

/s/John McCall

JOHN MCCALL, CHAIRMAN

/s/James W. Jensen

JAMES JENSEN

/s/Timothy Jessen

TIM JESSEN

ATTEST:

/s/Brooke Kuhlmann

BROOKE KUHLMANN

MONONA COUNTY AUDITOR

SEAL

**AUTHENTICATION**

Pursuant to Section 331.302(8) of the Code of Iowa, the undersigned Auditor of Monona County, Iowa hereby certifies that Ordinance No. 43 was published once in the Onawa Democrat and Mapleton Press newspapers on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012.

/s/Brooke Kuhlmann

BROOKE KUHLMANN,

MONONA COUNTY AUDITOR

STATE OF IOWA )

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COUNTY OF MONONA )

On this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012, the aforementioned John McCall, Chairman, Monona County Board of Supervisors, and Brooke Kuhlmann, Monona County Auditor, subscribed and sworn to be the same and signed in their official capacity as stated above in my presence on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012.

SEAL:

/s/LeAnn M. McClure

NOTARY PUBLIC,

MONONA COUNTY, IOWA