

TOWN OF COUPEVILLE

Coupeville, Washington

**ORDINANCE NO. 693**

AN ORDINANCE of the Town Council of the Town of Coupeville, amending Chapter 10.08 of the Coupeville Town Code to lower the speed limit on State Highway 20 through the Town limits.

WHEREAS, the Town of Coupeville requested that the Washington State Department of Transportation lower the speed limit on Highway 20 within Town limits; and

WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Transportation has determined it was appropriate to lower the speed from 55 miles per hour to 45 miles per hour where Highway 20 passes through the Town limits and intersects with Main Street and Broadway; and

WHEREAS, in order to lower the speed limit within the Town limits, the Washington State Department of Transportation requires an ordinance from the Town;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF COUPEVILLE, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 10.08 of the Coupeville Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

New Section: 10.08.020

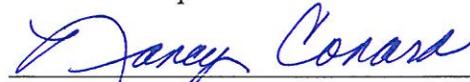
On Washington State Highway 20, within the Town limits of Coupeville, the speed limit shall be 45 miles per hour.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the Town, and shall take effect upon publication and upon installation of the reduced speed limit signs by the Washington State Department of Transportation.

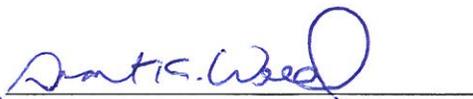
PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Coupeville and APPROVED by the Mayor at a Regular meeting thereof on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011.

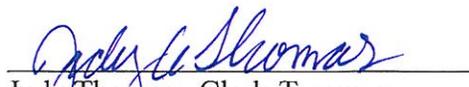
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Nancy Conard, Mayor

Approved as to form:

ATTEST

  
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Grant Weed, Town Attorney

  
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Judy Thomas, Clerk-Treasurer