ORDINANCE NO. 1356

AN ORDINANCE of the City of Kent, Washington, decreasing the legal speed limit at all times from fifty (50) miles per hour to forty (40) miles per hour on a portion of the West Valley Highway (SSH 2-M-SR 181) as more fully described in the body of this Ordinance and located within the City Limits of the City of Kent.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT, WASHINGTON, DO

ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Upon the effective date of this Ordinance, the legal speed limit shall be reduced from fifty (50) miles per hour to forty (40) miles per hour upon the West Valley Highway (SSH 2-M-SR 181) from South 180th Street, South to a point that is N 11°46'E, 1115.77 ft. from the SE corner of Section 35, Township 23 North, Range 4 E, W.M., all located within the City Limits of the City of Kent, King County, Washington.

Section 2. The City Traffic Engineer is herewith directed to obtain from the Washington State Highway Commission, said Commission's approval and ratification of the terms of this Ordinance as required by RCW 47.24.020 of the Laws of the State of Washington and to see that proper signs are posted along the effected portion of said Highway, notifying the public of the reduction of said legal speed limit.

Section 3. Violations of the terms of this Ordinance shall be those as set forth in Kent City Ordinance 0.848 s80 -- 1952 (codified as Chapter 8.34 of the Ordinances of the City of Kent, Washington.)

Section 4. Any Ordinances of the City of Kent in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law, and once a copy of the communication
approving the terms hereof from the Washington State Highway Commission is filed herewith in the Office of the Kent City Clerk, and once appropriate speed limit signs are posted as called for in the body of this Ordinance.

ALEX THORNTON, MAYOR

Attest:

MARIE JENSEN, CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:

JOHN B. BEREITER, CITY ATTORNEY

PASSED the 20th day of June, 1966.

APPROVED the 21st day of June, 1966.

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STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DANIEL J. EVANS, GOVERNOR  

WASHINGTON  
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS  
C. O. PRAHL, DIRECTOR  
HIGHWAYS-LICENSES BUILDING  
OLYMPIA  

November 30, 1965  

Mr. W. M. Foster  
District Engineer  
Seattle, Washington  

Dear Sir:  

In accordance with Ordinance No. 241 (23-241), Ordinance No. 455 vs Ordinance No. 310, Cities of Kent, Renton and Federal Way.  

During its regular meeting on November 21, 1965, the State Highway Commission approved speed restrictions of 30 miles per hour for all vehicles on SR 201 (SR 201) from a point 1,000 feet north of the NE corner of Section 30, Township 22 North, Range 4 East, W.T., northerly to the north city limits at South 156th Street, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1936 of the City of Kent; 20 miles per hour for all vehicles on said highway from the north city limits of Kent to South 156th Street northwesterly for a distance of 2,500 feet to the north city limits of Renton, in accordance with Ordinance No. 455 of the City of Kent; and 30 miles per hour for all vehicles on said highway from the north city limits of Renton to South 156th Street in Renton, northerly for a distance of 0.5 mile, in accordance with Ordinance No. 459 of City of Federal Way.  

Very truly yours,  

C. O. PRAHL, P.E.  
Director of Highways  

By: R. C. STILL, P.E.  
Traffic Engineer  

cc:  
Mr. Mikkelsen  
Renton City Clerk  

Mr. Stull  

Mr. Hill  

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