

**TOWNSHIP OF MILLBURN
ORDINANCE NO. 2523-19
ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER VII "TRAFFIC", SECTION 7-29
"SPEED LIMITS" OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MILLBURN**

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: *The proposed amendment to the Traffic Ordinance is to authorize a reduction in the speed limit on Highland Avenue to twenty-five (25) miles per hour for the entire length of the roadway.*

WHEREAS, the Township of Millburn traffic bureau and engineering department have recommended that 7-29 "Speed Limits" be amended to reduce the speed limits on Highland Avenue to twenty-five (25) miles per hour for the entirety of its length; and

WHEREAS, this recommendation comes in support of other measures taking place on Highland Avenue to reduce the prevalence of crashes and is supported by data that shows that speeding in the current zones is occurring at the 85th percentile.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MILLBURN, IN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, as follows:

Section 1. Chapter VII entitled "Traffic" of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of Millburn, Part I, "On Street Traffic Regulations," Section 7-29, "," is hereby amended and supplemented to include the following amendment:

Remove:

<i>Name of Street</i>	<i>Direction</i>	<i>Speed Limit and Location</i>
Highland Avenue	Both	Zone 1. Thirty miles per hour from The Crescent to the center of Western Drive, thence
		Zone 2. Thirty-five miles per hour to Hartshorn Drive

Add:

<i>Name of Street</i>	<i>Direction</i>	<i>Speed Limit and Location</i>
Highland Avenue	Both	Twenty-five miles per hour for its entire length

Section 2. With the addition of the above language, the remainder of Section 7-29, "Speed Limits" of Chapter VII, "Traffic," Part I, "On Street Traffic Regulations" shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable and the invalidity of any phrase, clause or part of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remainder of the Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect after final passage and publication as provided by law.

Introduced: 1/15/2019