



**RESOLUTION TITLE: TO REQUEST THE N.C. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (NCDOT) TO ADOPT AND POST A 35 MPH SPEED LIMIT FOR THE APPLE CREEK PARKWAY**

WHEREAS, Gaston County acquired, designed and constructed a single tenant manufacturing business park between the Dallas-Cherryville Highway (279) and Dallas-Bessemer City Road (Hwy. 275), known as the Apple Creek Corporate Center; and,

WHEREAS, the Apple Creek Parkway connecting Hwy 275 and Hwy 279, within the Apple Creek Corporate Center, has been designed and built to NCDOT standards in order that the Department would accept the Parkway into the State system and assume maintenance of the road; and,

WHEREAS, the tenants within the Apple Creek Corporate Center will have large vehicles entering and exiting their properties at slow speeds and the County's engineer of record, Benesch, has recommended that the maximum safe speed for the Apple Creek Parkway should not exceed 35 miles per hour; and,

WHEREAS, the Gaston County Board of Commissioners finds that it is in the best interests of citizens of the County, and the tenants of Apple Creek Corporate Center that the speed limit for Apple Creek Parkway be set at 35 miles per hour.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners requests the North Carolina Department of Transportation to adopt and post a speed limit of 35 miles per hour for the Apple Creek Parkway between Highway 279 and Highway 275.

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I, Donna S. Buff, Clerk to the County Commission, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of action taken by the Board of Commissioners as follows:

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