



# Martin County

# Legislation Details (With Text)

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Title: REQUEST TO MODIFY THE SPEED LIMIT ZONES ON SW LOCKS ROAD

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**Code sections:** 

Attachments: 1. Reso\_SW Locks Road.pdf, 2. Locks Speed Limits.pdf

Date Ver. Action By Action Result

**PLACEMENT:** Consent

TITLE:

## REQUEST TO MODIFY THE SPEED LIMIT ZONES ON SW LOCKS ROAD

### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

After reviewing the existing speed limit zones on SW Locks Road, staff is requesting modification to the speed zones on SW Locks Road between SW 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue and SW Buckskin Trail. The Board is asked to authorize the request through adoption of a resolution.

**DEPARTMENT: Public Works** 

PREPARED BY: Name: Melissa Pulver

**Title:** Administrative Coordinator

REQUESTED BY: Lisa A. Wichser, P.E., CFM

County Engineer

PRESET:

**PROCEDURES:** None

### BACKGROUND/RELATED STRATEGIC GOAL:

The County Engineer reviewed the existing roadway geometry and speed limit zones along SW Locks Road, a County-owned and County-maintained collector roadway. Travelling west from SW Kanner Highway, SW Locks Road has a posted speed limit of 40 MPH until SW Buckskin Trail, where the speed limit is reduced to 30 MPH. The County Engineer recommends the posted speed limit of 30 MPH begin at SW 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue, before the curve in the road. Graphic depictions of the existing and proposed speed limit zones for SW Locks Road are attached.

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<u>SSUES</u> :		
None		
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY REVIEW:		
This item has been reviewed for legal sufficiency to determine whether it is consistent with applicable aw, has identified and addressed legal risks, and has developed strategies for legal defensibility.		
RECOMMENDED ACTION:		
RECOMMENDATION		
Move that the Board adopt a resolution establishing a maximum speed limit of 30 MPH on SW Locks Road at SW 18 <sup>th</sup> Avenue.		
ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS		
Pull this item from the Consent Agenda and deny the request to modify the speed limit zones on SW Locks Road.		
FISCAL IMPACT:		
Staff estimates it will spend approximately \$200 in labor, equipment, and materials to replace and relocate the SPEED LIMIT signs.		
Funding Source	County Funds	Non-County Funds
Operating Budget (gas tax)	\$200	
ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS		
Dependent upon Board direction.		
DOCUMENT(S) REQUIRING ACTION:		
□Budget Transfer / Amendment □ Chair Letter □ Contract / Agreement □ Grant / Application □ Notice □ Ordinance □ Resolution		
□Other:		