

**ORDINANCE NO. 2019-1**  
**ORDINANCE SETTING SPEED LIMIT FOR THE MAIN BOULDER ROAD AT 30 MILES PER HOUR**

**WHEREAS**, the Sweet Grass County Commissioners desire to lower the speed limit on the Main Boulder Road from the termination of the pavement at Natural Bridge to Box Canyon to 30 miles per hour;

**WHEREAS**, the increased traffic on the road poses safety hazards and increased road maintenance;

**WHEREAS**, the Sweet Grass County Commissioners have determined that a speed limit of 30 miles per hour on the portion of the Main Boulder Road as set forth above would be in the best interests of the public;

**WHEREAS**, Sweet Grass County has coordinated with Park County to establish a uniform speed limit for the Main Boulder Road which runs through both counties;

**WHEREAS**, Section 61-8-310 of Montana Code Annotated, authorizes the Sweet Grass County Commission to set lower speed limits on State, County or Federal highways;

**WHEREAS**, the first meeting and first reading of the ordinance was held on July 15, 2019, at ten o'clock a.m. in the Sweet Grass County Commission Chambers in the County Annex, Big Timber, Montana, for the purpose of receiving public comment on this ordinance before its first reading;

**WHEREAS**, this ordinance shall be posted on the Sweet Grass County website, at the Sweet Grass County Clerk and Recorder's Office and posted outside of the Sweet Grass County Commission Chambers.

**WHEREAS**, the second meeting and second reading on this ordinance shall be set for July 30, 2019, at ten o'clock a.m. in the Sweet Grass County Commission Chambers in the County Annex, Big Timber, Montana, for the purpose of receiving public comment on this ordinance before its second reading;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE** that the speed limit on the Main Boulder Road from the termination of the pavement at Natural Bridge to Box Canyon shall be 30 miles per hour.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** every person convicted for a violation of this Ordinance thereof will be punished under Section 61-8-711, MCA., and in accordance with applicable State laws.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** this Ordinance be entered upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** this Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading and Approval.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Sweet Grass County Clerk and Recorder shall post a copy of this Ordinance and shall make copies available to the public upon 1<sup>st</sup> reading and approval of this Ordinance.

1<sup>st</sup> Reading and Approval: July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

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ATTEST:

Vera Pederson  
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Sweet Grass County Clerk & Recorder

Approved as to Form:

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading and Approval: \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

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