

The following ordinance was submitted for introduction by Mr. Daniel Lorraine in regular session convened on October 24, 2006:

PROPOSED ORDINANCE

The following Ordinance, having been previously introduced and published, was offered for final adoption by Mr. Daniel Lorraine, seconded by Dr. Tommy Lasseigne:

ORDINANCE NO. 3948

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A TEN (10) MILES PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT ON EAST 125TH STREET, WARD (10), DISTRICT (9), PARISH OF LAFOURCHE, STATE OF LOUISIANA; PROVIDING FOR THE PLACEMENT OF SPEED LIMIT AND CHILDREN AT PLAY SIGNS; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Lafourche Parish Council, convened in regular session on November 14, 2006, that:

SECTION 1. This Ordinance does hereby establish a ten (10) miles per hour speed limit on East 125th Street, Ward (10), District (9) of Lafourche Parish, State of Louisiana.

SECTION 2. The necessary “Speed Limit” and “Children at Play” signs shall be erected as deemed necessary on East 125th Street

SECTION 3. The speed limit set forth in this Ordinance shall not apply to vehicles when operated with due regard for safety, under the directions of the Louisiana Department of Public Safety or other peace officer, in the chase or apprehension of violators of the law or of any person charged with or suspected of any such violation, nor to any fire department or fire patrol vehicles when traveling in emergencies. This exemption shall not, however, protect the driver, owner, or operator of any such vehicles from the consequences of reckless disregard of the safety of others.

SECTION 4. The Sheriff of this Parish is hereby specifically requested to assist in the enforcement of the provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. If any section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of these regulations shall be held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect any other section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of these regulations.

SECTION 6. Any person who violates the provisions of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by imprisonment in the parish jail for a period of not more than thirty (30) days, or by fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or by both such imprisonment and fine, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 7. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances by the Lafourche Parish Council conflicting with or inconsistent with the provisions of these regulations are hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall be published in the Office Journal of the Lafourche Parish Council in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 9. This Ordinance, having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of said Council, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: Mr. Tyrone Williams
Mr. Michael Delatte
Mr. Michael Matherne
Dr. Tommy Lasseigne
Mr. Mark Atzenhoffer
Mr. Phillip Gouaux
Mr. Brent Callais
Mr. Daniel Lorraine

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Mr. Lindel Toups

SECTION 10. This Ordinance shall become effective on the tenth day after final publication.

/s/ Brent Callais
BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

/s/ Sheila B. Boudreaux
SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

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Delivered to the Parish President on

November 17, 2006, at 11:30 a.m.

APPROVED: X

UNAPPROVED:

VETOED:

/s/ Charlotte A. Randolph
Lafourche Parish President

Returned to the Council Clerk on

November 20, 2006, at 3:00 p.m.

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 3948, enacted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on November 14, 2006, at which meeting a quorum was present, and was finally adopted on November 20, 2006.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 22ND, DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2006.

/s/ Sheila B. Boudreaux
SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

DATE PUBLISHED: DECEMBER 1, 2006

DATE EFFECTIVE: DECEMBER 11, 2006