BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA
RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SPEED LIMIT ESTABLISHMENT OF 35 MPH ON PARTS OF CORNHUSKER ROAD, SOUTH 108TH STREET, AND WEST LINCOLN ROAD FROM SOUTH 114TH STREET TO SOUTH 96TH STREET

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-104(6) (Reissue 2012), the County has the power to do all acts in relation to the concerns of the County necessary to the exercise of its corporate powers; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-103 (Reissue 2012), the powers of the County as a body are exercised by the County Board; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 39-1402 (Reissue 2008), general supervision and control of the public roads of each county is vested in the county board; and,

WHEREAS, a location plan identified as Exhibit A showing the speed limit area to be established has been created by the Sarpy County Public Works Department; and,

WHEREAS, establishing the speed limit as indicated is in the best interests of the citizens of Sarpy County, Nebraska.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners that the recommendation of the County Engineer for establishing the speed limit at 35 miles per hour on portions of Cornhusker Road, South 108th Street, and West Lincoln Road from South 114th Street to South 96th Street as indicated on the Exhibit A is hereby accepted and approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Sarpy County Public Works Department shall take such steps to post appropriate speed limit signage consistent with Exhibit A and in accordance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

The above Resolution was approved by a vote of the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners at a public meeting duly held in accordance with the applicable law on the 1st day of March, 2016.

Sarpy County Board Chairman

[Signature]

Attest:

[Signature]

County Clerk
MEMORANDUM

TO: Sarpy County Board of Commissioners
FROM: Dennis L. Wilson, P.E., PhD, Sarpy County Engineer
DATE: February 26, 2016
SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing Establishment of Speed Limit of 35 Miles per Hour on Cornhusker Road, South 108th Street, and Lincoln Road from South 114th Street to South 96th Street

I recommend approval of the resolution to establish a speed limit of 35 miles per hour on the roads identified above as graphically shown in attached Exhibit A. These roadways have no speed limit currently established other than the 50 mile-per-hour speed limit in place by Nebraska Statute 60-6186 for all non-dustless surfaces. This roadway is expected to have greater traffic volumes in the near future due to nearby platted developments and the new middle school under construction. A new intersection at Wittmus Drive has been created, and the sight distance near the intersection is unsuitable for higher speed traffic. An intersection adversary sign has been recently placed near the intersection with an advisory speed of 30 MPH. This recommendation is made with the following expectations:

a) Sarpy County Public Works Department will place regulatory signs establishing the speed limits in accordance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

b) Sarpy County Public Works Department will notify the Sarpy County Sheriff’s Department of the change that will take place.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 537-6908.