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Honorable Chris Burdick  
Supervisor, Town of Bedford  
321 Bedford Road  
Bedford Hills, NY 10507

Re: T14-003  
SPEED LIMIT REDUCTION REQUEST  
ROUTE 22 AND ROUTE 172  
TOWN OF BEDFORD

Dear Supervisor Burdick:

This correspondence is in response to a letter dated December 30, 2013 from the Town of Bedford requesting a reduction in the speed limit on segments of Routes 22 and 172 in the Town of Bedford. Attached to the Town's letter was a copy of a Town Resolution specifying the nature of the requested reduction in speed limit.

In response to the Town's request, this Department conducted a study to determine whether it would be appropriate to lower the posted speed limit as requested in the Town Resolution. This study reviewed the crash history, road characteristics, and motorist operating speeds on the subject segments of Routes 22 and 172. As a result of the Department's study, it has been decided to reduce the speed limit on Routes 22 and 172 as described below:

1. 35 MPH speed limit on Route 22 between the southern intersection with Route 172 (at the flashing signal) and Greenwich Road.
2. 30 MPH speed limit on Route 22 between Greenwich Road and a point 900 feet north of Guard Hill Road.
3. 30 MPH on Route 172 between the northern intersection with Route 22 and Indian Hill Road.

This Department will modify the existing regulations for speed limits and place the necessary signing. If you require further information on this request, please contact our Regional Traffic Safety & Mobility Group at (845) 437-3396.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Parker" followed by a stylized flourish.

David Parker  
Civil Engineer I

cc: Chief William Hayes, Town of Bedford Police Department  
Mr. Kevin Winn, P.E., Commissioner of Public Works, Town of Bedford