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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: August 27, 2019
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Jessica Hankins, Public Works Project Manager
SUBJECT: **Adoption of Ordinance Adding Subsection 203 to Nevada County General Code Section G-IV 3.A.3 Pertaining to Speed Limits on Rough and Ready Highway and Adam Avenue – District III**

RECOMMENDATION: Waive further reading and adopt the attached Ordinance amending Section G-IV 3.A.3 of the Nevada County General Code. (Introduction held at the 7/23/19 BOS meeting.)

FUNDING: There is no impact to the General Fund, and no budget amendment is needed. Installation of new speed limit signs will be done using the 2019/20 road maintenance budget.

BACKGROUND: California Vehicle Code Section 22352 establishes the prima facie speed limit at 25 miles per hour (mph) in a school zone when children are present. The prima facie limit applies when approaching or passing any school grounds that are not separated from the roadway by a fence, gate, or other physical barrier while the grounds are in use by children. Based on the presence of Yuba River Charter School at the intersection of Rough and Ready Highway and Adam Avenue, staff recommends that the prima facie speed limit be established at 25 mph on the school's frontage with Rough and Ready Highway and Adam Avenue (as shown on the attached map), with sign assemblies placed pursuant to the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

Introduction of Ordinance:

Item Initiated by: Jessica Hankins, Public Works Project Manager
Approved by: Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

Submitted: June 4, 2019
Revised: June 10, 2019

Adoption of Ordinance:

Submitted: July 24, 2019