PERKASIE BOROUGH ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF PERKASIE, BUCKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, ESTABLISHING A SPEED LIMIT FOR MOTOR VEHICLES ON CERTAIN STREETS AND ROADS LOCATED IN PERKASIE BOROUGH

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania Borough Code at 8 Pa.C.S.A. §101 *et seq.*, authorizes the Borough Council of the Borough of Perkasie ("Borough Council") to make and adopt ordinances that are consistent with the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth when necessary for the proper management, care and control of the Borough and the maintenance of peace, good government, health and welfare of the Borough and its citizens.; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Perkasie, in furtherance of the authority noted previously in this Ordinance, has determined to adopt an Ordinance to establish speed limits for motor vehicles traveling on 9th Street and 7th Street within the Borough of Perkasie; and

WHEREAS, after public hearing, the Borough Council deems it to be in the best interest and general welfare of the citizens and residents of the Borough to adopt an Ordinance to establish speed limits for motor vehicles traveling on 9th Street and 7th Street;

WHEREAS, Borough Council, after due consideration of the proposed ordinance at a duly advertised meeting, has determined that the health, safety, and general welfare of the residents of Perkasie Borough will be served by this amendment to the Perkasie Code of Ordinances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Perkasie, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of same as follows:

SECTION 1. The maximum speed limit for the following roads is herein established as follows:

| <u>Street</u> | <u>Between</u> | Maximum Speed Limit |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 7 th Street | Entire Length | 25 MPH |
| 9th Street | Entire Length | 25 MPH |

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall be enforced in accordance with the provisions of the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code as it relates to enforcement, fines and other penalties associated with speed limits.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances that are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed, it being understood and intended that all ordinances and the Borough Code of Ordinances that are not otherwise specifically in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance, shall remain in full force and effect, the same being reaffirmed hereby.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> The Council of the Borough of Perkasie does hereby reserve the right, from time to time, to adopt modifications of, supplements to, or amendments of this Ordinance, including this provision.

SECTION 5. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional, by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be separate, distinct and independent, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. The failure of the Borough of Perkasie to enforce any provisions of Ordinance shall not constitute a waiver by the Borough of its rights of future enforcement hereunder.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately and be in force from and after its enactment as provided by law.

SECTION 8. Under the authority conferred by the Pennsylvania Borough Code at 8 Pa.C.S.A. §101 *et seq.*, and the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code, the Council of the Borough of Perkasie in the County of Bucks, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania does hereby enact and ordain this Ordinance for the Borough of Perkasie.

| Approved by the Borough Council of | the Borough of Perkasie, this 17^{th} day of March, |
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| 2025. | |
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| ATTEST: | BOROUGH OF PERKASIE |
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| BY: | BY: |
| Andrea L. Coaxum, Secretary | James Ryder, Council President |
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| Approved this 17th day of March, 2025. | |
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| | Jeff Hollenbach, Mayor |

THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON ENACTMENT AND SIGNATURE