



# Town of Windham

Town Offices  
8 School Road  
Windham, Maine

## Legislation Text

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### I. Council Action Requested.

To request the Maine Department of Transportation to review the speed limit on William Knight Road which runs from Route 302 to Varney Mill Road; specifically, to consider lowering the speed limit from the currently posted 45 MPH.

### II. Basis for Council Action.

Council approval of this item is required because;

- a) By 29-A M.R.S.A. § 2073 the authority to regulate speed limits on public ways is reserved to the State of Maine through the Commissioner of Transportation and the Chief of the State Police;
- b) Municipalities may make requests to set or change speed limits;
- c) The Maine Department of Transportation requires the concurrence of the municipal officers in any such request; and
- d) Pursuant to Article II, Section 1 of the Charter "[t]he Town Council, hereinafter called the 'Council', shall be and constitute the municipal officers of the Town."

### III. Issue Summary.

Please find the attached memo from Windham Police Chief Kevin Schofield.