

**BOROUGH OF RARITAN**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2025-14**

**AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 82 – VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC – SPECIFICALLY SECTION 82-35 ENTITLED “SCHEDULE K: SPEED LIMITS” TO ESTABLISH A 25 MILES PER HOUR (MPH) SPEED LIMIT ON ORLANDO DRIVE**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan has been informed that vehicles traveling on Orlando Drive in the Borough have been posing a threat to the Borough residents residing thereon due to the excessively high speed of travel; and

**WHEREAS**, presently, the established speed limit on Orlando Drive is thirty miles per hour (30 MPH); and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 39:4-98 and N.J.S.A. 39:4-197 authorize the municipality, without the approval of the Commissioner of Transportation and consistent with the current standards prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways, to pass ordinances regulating speed limits on roads exclusively within the Municipality’s jurisdiction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Council believes that decreasing the speed limit from the present 30 miles per hour (mph) to 25 miles per hour (mph) on Orlando Drive is in the best interest of the Borough and its residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that Chapter 82 – Vehicles and Traffic – specifically Section 82-35 entitled “Schedule K: Speed Limits” of the Borough Code is hereby amended to decrease the speed limit on Orlando Drive from the present 30 miles per hour (30 MPH) to 25 miles per hour (25 MPH), as follows:

**SECTION I:**

Additions to this Section shall be delineated by underlined text, thusly.

Deletions to this Section shall be delineated by strikethrough text, ~~thusly~~.

**§ 82-35. Schedule K: Speed Limits.**

Pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:4-98, there are hereby established the following speed limits in the Borough of Raritan, and regulatory and warning signs shall be erected and maintained to effect the designated speed limits:

Name of Street	Speed Limit	
	(mph)	Location

Orlando Drive

25 30

Between Route 206 and Nevius  
Street

**SECTION II: Severability:**

Each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase of this Ordinance is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase, and finding or holding of any such portion of this Ordinance to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause or reason shall not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

**SECTION III: Repealer.**

Any ordinances or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION IV: Effective Date:**

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and any publication as may be required by law.


**NOTICE**

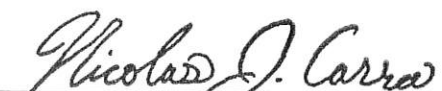
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the foregoing Ordinance was finally Adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, following a Second Reading and Public Hearing that took place in the Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, 22 First Street, Raritan, NJ 08869 on Tuesday, September 2, 2025, at 7 p.m. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper publication, as required by law.

ADOPTION:


MOTION	SECOND	MEMBER	YEA	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
		Agrawal	✓			
	✓	Armahizer	✓			
		DiGraziano	✓			
✓		Fritzinger	✓			
		Patente	✓			
		Tozzi	✓			

ATTEST:

  
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Kimberly Mathewson  
Acting Borough Clerk

  
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Nicolas J. Carra  
Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was Adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, at a Regular Meeting held in Borough Hall, 22 First Street, Raritan, NJ 08869 on Tuesday, September 2, 2025.

  
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Kimberly Mathewson  
Acting Borough Clerk