

**TOWN OF CAREFREE, ARIZONA  
ORDINANCE #2011-06**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON  
COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAREFREE, MARICOPA  
COUNTY, ARIZONA, MODIFYING THE SPEED LIMITS ON  
BOTH TOM DARLINGTON DRIVE AND CAVE CREEK  
ROAD PURSUANT TO RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE  
EPS GROUP INC. SPEED LIMIT STUDY.**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 7-2, §7-2-1 of the Town Code, upon the basis of an engineering investigation the Town shall establish the maximum speed limits for public streets.

WHEREAS, at the request of residents, the Town of Carefree retained EPS Group Inc. to evaluate the appropriate speed limits on Tom Darlington Drive mainly between Cave Creek Road and Bloody Basin Drive and Cave Creek Road mainly between Scopa Trail and Bloody Basin Drive; and,

WHEREAS, in April, 2010, Paul Basha, EPS Group Inc. was retained to study and provide recommendations for the appropriate speed on the subject sections of Tom Darlington Drive and Cave Creek Roads; and

WHEREAS, in July, 2010, Paul Basha, EPS Group Inc. provided the Town its findings and recommendation for the appropriate speed limits on the subject section of Cave Creek Road; and,

WHEREAS, if the Town Council approves a modification of the of the twenty-five (25) miles-per-hour speed limit, such modification shall be reflected in Article 7-2, §7-2-1 of the Town Code; and,

WHEREAS, on July 12, 2011 the Town Council held a public meeting to conduct the first reading of this proposed changed and decide upon said issues.

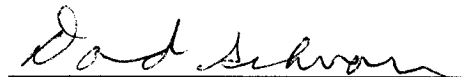
WHEREAS, on August 2, 2011 the Town Council held a public hearing to consider the recommendations of the July, 2010 speed limit study and approve or deny changing the speed limit from its current twenty-five (25) miles-per-hour to thirty (30) miles-per-hour.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Carefree, Maricopa County, Arizona as follows:

Section 1. The Town Center Streets Speed Limit Study prepared by EPS Group Inc. and sealed July 2010 is public record.

Section 2. If the Town Council approves a modification of the of the twenty-five (25) miles-per-hour speed limit to thirty (30) miles-per-hour, such modification shall be reflected in Article 7-2, §7-2-1 of the Town Code. However, if the Town Council elects not to refine the twenty-five (25) miles-per-hour speed limit, no modification will be made to Article 7-2, §7-2-1 of the Town Code.

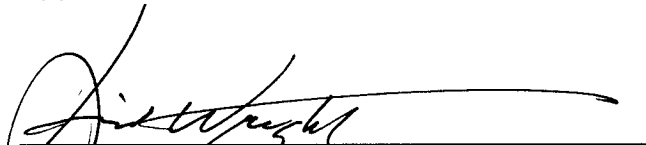
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Carefree, Arizona, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2011.

  
David Schwan, Mayor

Attest:

  
Elizabeth L. Wise, Town Clerk

Approved as to Form:

  
Michael Wright, Town Attorney