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To: Members of the Board of Selectmen

From: Adam Chapdelaine, Town Manager

RE: Transportation Advisory Committee Recommendation (TAC) – Reduction in Statutory Speed Limit

Date: February 23, 2017

I am writing in supplement to the memorandum provided by TAC under this agenda item. To start, I'd like to commend TAC for their thorough and expeditious work on this matter. I write in supplement to ask that the Board take favorable action on TAC's recommendation, but to make the effective date of the statutory speed limit change May 1, 2017. I am making this request so that DPW has adequate time to make the necessary changes and additions to signage across Town, and also so that we have adequate time to launch a public information campaign prior to the change going into effect.

I would be happy to discuss this matter further with the Board on Monday evening.