



**AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCIL MEMBER CLAIR MULLER**

**AN ORDINANCE TO MAKE THE SPEED LIMIT ON  
HOWELL MILL ROAD, NW FROM COLLIER  
ROAD TO NORTHSIDE DRIVE TO 30 MILES PER  
HOUR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the current speed limit of 35 miles per hour on Howell Mill Road allows drivers to go up to 46 miles per O.C.G.A. 40-14-8b, which does not permit the use of speed detection devices to issue citations unless a vehicle exceeds the posted speed limit by more than 10 miles per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, Howell Mill Road from Collier Road to Northside Drive has some long stretches without any stop signs or traffic lights which oftentimes encourages high speeds, which makes for a dangerous situation when combined with the sharp curves in the road; and

**WHEREAS**, said section of Howell Mill Road is bordered by residential homes and Morris Brandon Elementary School; and

**WHEREAS**, due to the presence of the elementary school and new sidewalks on one side or the other on said section of Howell Mill Road, more and more children and their parents are walking to school making it even more imperative to slow speeding drivers.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, as follows:**

Section 1: That the speed limit on the following street within the City of Atlanta be made 30 miles per hour

Howell Mill Road, NW from Collier Road to Northside Drive.

Section 2: That all said speed limit herein established shall be and become effective Upon the approval of this ordinance, provided that appropriate signs in accordance with said law are erected and in place giving notice to the public that such speed limits have been established. Such speed limits shall not be effective in any such areas, however, until and unless such appropriate signs are properly erected.

Section 3: That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.