

**CANADA  
PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC  
REGIONAL COUNTY OFFICE  
OF ARGENTEUIL  
TOWNSHIP OF WENTWORTH**

**BY-LAW NUMBER 2018-004**

**BY-LAW CONCERNING THE SPEED LIMITS ON THE TERRITORY OF  
THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WENTWORTH**

**WHEREAS** the article 626 of the Highway Safety Code (L.R.Q.,c. C-24.2) permits a municipality to regulate by By-Law the minimum and maximum speed limits on its territory;

**WHEREAS** a notice of motion relating to the present By-Law was given at the Council meeting of January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018;

**THEREFORE**, it is proposed by Councillor Bill Gauley and decreed that the Municipality of the Township of Wentworth orders and statutes by the present By-Law as follows:

**ARTICLE 1**

The preamble is an integral part of the present by-law.

**ARTICLE 2**

The Municipal Council declares that it has adopted this By-Law, section by section, article by article, paragraph by paragraph, so that if any of these sections should be declared null by a competent court of law, the other sections of the By-Law continue to apply.

**ARTICLE 3**

No one may drive a road vehicle at a speed:

- a) In excess of 50 Km/h on the roads as specified in Annex A
- b) In excess of 70 Km/h on the roads as specified in Annex A

**ARTICLE 4**

For the roads where the speed limits are not specifically identified in the Annex A the speed limits are as specified per article 328 of the Highway Safety Code (L.R.Q.,c. C-24.2)

**ARTICLE 5**

The proper signs will be installed under the supervision of the responsible in charge of the Public Works department

**ARTICLE 6**

Any person who contravenes to article 3 or 4 of the present By-Law commits an infraction and is liable to a fine as per article 516 and 516.1 of the Highway Safety Code;

**ARTICLE 7**

In case of differences between the French and English versions, the French version prevails.

**ARTICLE 8**

This By-Law shall enter into force on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 in accordance with the Law.

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**Jason Morrison**  
**Mayor**

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**Natalie Black**  
**General Manager, Secretary-Treasurer**

Notice of motion:	January 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2018
Adoption of By-Law:	February 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2018
Public notice:	February 9 <sup>th</sup> , 2018

## **Annex A**

### **LIST OF ROADS**

The maximum speed limit is 70 Km/h

Dalesville Road

Glen Road

Du Paradis Road

Louisa Road

The maximum speed limit is 50 Km/h

Robinson Road

For the other roads under Municipal jurisdiction article 328 of the Highway Safety Code (L.R.Q.,c. C-24.2) applies:

328. Except on roads where the opposite is indicated by signs or signals and without restricting the scope of section 327, no person may drive a road vehicle at a speed

(1) of less than 60 km/h or more than 100 km/h on autoroutes, unless

(a) an illuminated, variable message signal shows the minimum or maximum rate of speed authorized on a certain part of the autoroute, according to the circumstances and the time of day, such as weather conditions or rush-hour; or

(b) a special permit authorizing the use of an oversized vehicle requires that the vehicle be driven at a lower speed;

(2) in excess of 90 km/h on public highways surfaced with concrete, asphalt or a similar material;

(3) in excess of 70 km/h on gravel highways;

(4) in excess of 50 km/h in a built-up area, except on autoroutes;

(5) in excess of the maximum rate of speed authorized, according to the circumstances and the time of day, such as periods of school activity, as specified by the illuminated or non-illuminated, variable or non-variable message sign or signal that applies to that portion of the public highway.

On access roads leading to a built-up area, subparagraph 4 of the first paragraph applies when the driver reaches the sign or signal indicating the 50 km/h speed limit.

Subparagraphs 2, 3 and 4 of the first paragraph apply on highways under the administration of or maintained by the Ministère des Ressources naturelles et de la Faune. The Minister, on the recommendation of the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife, may by order change the speed limit on all or any part of such highways.

1986, c. 91, s. 328; 1996, c. 2, s. 213; 1996, c. 56, s. 82; 1998, c. 40, s. 93; 1990, c. 83, s. 140; 2000, c. 64, s. 10; 2003, c. 8, s. 6; 2006, c. 3, s. 35; 2008, c. 14, s. 40; 2004, c. 2, s. 27; 2010, c. 34, s. 50.