

Town of Fletcher, Vermont

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE

On May 2, 2022, the Selectboard of the Town of Fletcher, Vermont, adopted amendments to the existing Speed Limit Ordinance pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 2291 (4) and 24 V.S.A. Chapter 59. This notice is published pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1972 to inform the public of these amendments and of the citizens' right to petition for a vote to disapprove these amendments.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of the amendments is to promote the public health and safety of the citizens of the Town of Fletcher by establishing speed limits where none had been specified before.

Principal Provisions

The amendments include establishing and/or clarifying speed limits on Town Highways 1, 2, 3, 16, 28; clarifying the names of certain Town Highways; correctly identifying a Town Highway that was thrown up since the last iteration of this Ordinance; and updating the enforcement officials.

List of Section Headings Amended

Section 3: Speed Regulations

Section 5: Enforcement Officials

FULL TEXT

The full text of the Ordinance is available at the Town Clerk's office at 33 Shaw Road in the Town of Fletcher, Vermont and may be examined during regular office hours. A copy is also available on our website at www.fletchervt.net

CITIZENS' RIGHT TO PETITION FOR VOTE

Title 24 V.S.A. § 1973 grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a special meeting or annual Town Meeting to disapprove ordinance amendments adopted by the Selectboard. To exercise this right, citizens must present to the Select Board or the Town Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the amendments signed by not less than five percent (5%) of the Town's qualified voters. The petition must be presented within forty-four (44) days following the date of the adoption of the amendments. Unless a petition requesting a vote is filed pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1973, the amended Speed Limit Ordinance shall become effective sixty (60) from the date of said adoption.

PERSON TO CONTACT

Additional information pertaining to this Ordinance may be obtained by contacting the Town Clerk at the Town Office located at 33 Shaw Road, by calling (802) 849-6616 during regular business hours, or by emailing town@fletchervt.net