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Honourable Caroline Mulroney  
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### Highway Traffic Act Amendments

At the regular Council meeting held on June 15, 2023, the following resolution was passed.

“WHEREAS speeding on our roads is a major concern in our community,

AND WHEREAS speeding can occur in all areas of our community,

AND WHEREAS barriers and delays to enforcement pose a danger to our community,

AND WHEREAS our municipality has limited resources to implement speed mitigation road design and re-design,

AND WHEREAS our local police service has limited resources to undertake speed enforcement,

AND WHEREAS s.205.1 of the Highway Traffic Act (HTA) provides that Automated Speed Enforcement systems (ASE) may only be placed in designated community safety zones and school safety zones,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the City of Woodstock request that the Ontario Government amend s.205.1 of the HTA to permit municipalities to locate an ASE system permanently or temporarily on any roadway under the jurisdiction of municipalities and as determined by municipalities and not be restricted to only community safety zones and school safety zones;

AND THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Ontario Minister of Transportation, the Ontario Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Oxford MPP, Ernie Hardeman, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities.

Yours Truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sunayana', written in a cursive style.

Sunayana Katikapalli  
Deputy City Clerk

Cc: (via email)

Honourable Steve Clark, Ontario Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing  
Honourable Ernie Hardeman, Oxford County MPP  
All Ontario Municipalities