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April 30, 2019

North Hero Selectboard  
c/o Pete Johnson, Clerk-Treasurer  
6441 US-Route 2  
North Hero, VT 05474

**RE: Reduced Speed Limit, US-2, North Hero**

Dear Selectboard:

At its April 25, 2019 meeting the Vermont Traffic Committee voted to pilot establishing a reduced speed through the village of North Hero on a one-year trial basis. This 25 mph speed zone will extend from MM 5.62 (approximately 900 feet south (eastbound) of Savage Point Road) to MM 6.08 (approximately 800 feet north (westbound) of Station Road) and will be in effect from May 15, 2019 to September 15, 2019.

VTrans Traffic Operations will conduct a comprehensive engineering study of the area during this time including speed studies and an evaluation of parking, pedestrian crossings, and other safety improvements that may be considered in this area. After the conclusion of the trial and an additional post season speed study, Traffic Operations will make a final recommendation to the Traffic Committee whether or not to retain the seasonal speed limit, as well as adjust the limits or duration of the speed zone, or recommend other safety improvements in the area.

A copy of the official Speed Limit Certificate is included in this letter. A work order is in process to install the required signs. The change will go into effect on May 15<sup>th</sup> or when the signs are installed, whichever is later. No further action is required by the Town, however, we recommend this Certificate copy be filed in the Town records.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (802) 371-8827 or at [ian.degutis@vermont.gov](mailto:ian.degutis@vermont.gov) if you have any questions or require additional information. Please consolidate comments from your constituency so that the Agency is working with the Selectboard to represent the Town.

Sincerely,



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