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# TRAFFIC AND ENGINEERING REPORT



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SUBJECT: TRAFFIC AND ENGINEERING REPORT MARCH 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

This traffic and engineering report was prepared in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for speed enforcement purposes. The recommended safe speeds were determined utilizing the prevailing 85th percentile speeds combined with traffic engineering judgment to match existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community. Accident statistics indicate that unsafe speed is the highest single primary collision factor on roadways, and adherence to safe speeds should result in a substantial reduction in vehicle accidents.

Yours truly,

THOMAS L. BOLICH Director of Public Works

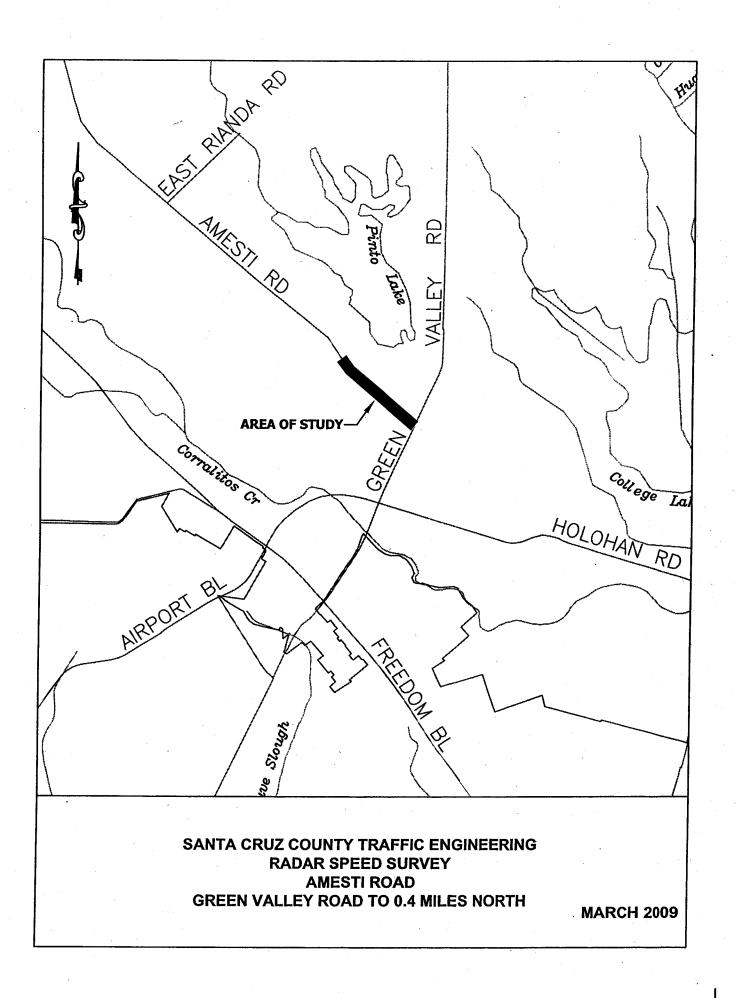
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#### **PURPOSE:**

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### **LOCATION:**

Amesti Road between Green Valley Road and 0.4 miles northwesterly. (Speed Data collected at Amesti Elementary School).

#### **PREVAILING SPEED DATA:**

The existing posted speed limit is 25 MPH and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Westbound	Eastbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	31 mph	31 mph
Pace Speed	22-32 mph	22-32 mph
Average Speed	27.11 mph	27.01 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 31 MPH in both directions of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 30 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 25 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are a prima facie 25 MPH residential district, adjacent to an elementary school and numerous driveways. It is recommended that the existing 25 MPH speed limit remain with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

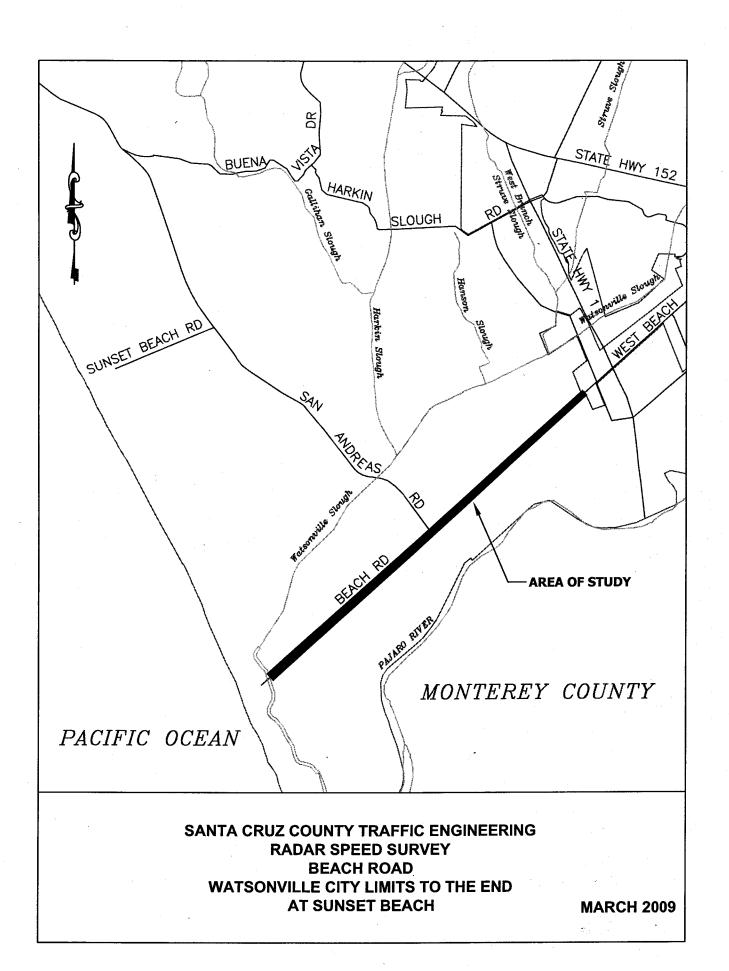
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Route:	Amesti Road					
From:	Green Valley Rd.		35	1	•	100.0%
To:	0.4 miles northwesterly		34	1	•	98.7%
Direction:	Westbound		33	1	<b>•</b>	97.4%
Weather:	Sunny/Cloudy		32	6	*****	96.1%
Posted Speed:	25		31	8	*****	88.2%
Begin time:	2:10 PM		30	4	<b>***</b>	77.6%
End time:	3:00 PM		29	4	<b>***</b>	72.4%
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			26	7	*****	44.7%
			25	8	****	35.5%
			24	8	*****	25.0%
			23	3	<b>***</b>	14.5%
			22	7	*****	10.5%
			21	1	<b>♦</b>	1.3%
CRITICAL SPEED	•	31	20	0		0.0%
AVERAGE SPEED		27.11	19	0		0.0%
MEDIAN SPEED		27.0	18	0		0.0%
STANDARD DEVI	ATION	3.37	17	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		22 - 32	16	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN	PACE	86.8%	15	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUT	os	76				

			<u>MPH</u>	# of Vehic	:les	<u>Percentage</u>
Route:	Amesti Road					
From:	0.4 miles northwesterly		38	1	•	100.0%
To:	Green Valley Rd.		37	0		98.7%
Direction:	Eastbound		36	0		98.7%
Weather:	Sunny/Cloudy		35	3	<b>***</b>	98.7%
Posted Speed:	25		34	1	<b>◆</b>	94.8%
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			30	3	<b>***</b>	79.2%
			29	6	*****	75.3%
			28	7	*****	67.5%
			27	7	*****	58.4%
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			25	11	*****	41.6%
			24	6	*****	27.3%
CRITICAL SPEED	)	31	23	6	*****	19.5%
AVERAGE SPEE	D	27.01	22	5	****	11.7%
MEDIAN SPEED		27.0	21	4	<b>***</b>	5.2%
STANDARD DEV	IATION	3.84	20	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		22 - 32	19	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN	I PACE	83.1%	18	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUT	os .	77	17	0		0.0%
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#### **PURPOSE:**

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### **LOCATION:**

Beach Road from the Watsonville City Limit to the end at Sunset Beach. (Speed Data collected at Thurwachter Road).

#### **PREVAILING SPEED DATA:**

The existing posted speed limit is 45 mph and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Westbound	Eastbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	47 mph	46 mph
Pace Speed	38-48 mph	34-44 mph
Average Speed	41.87 mph	39.93 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

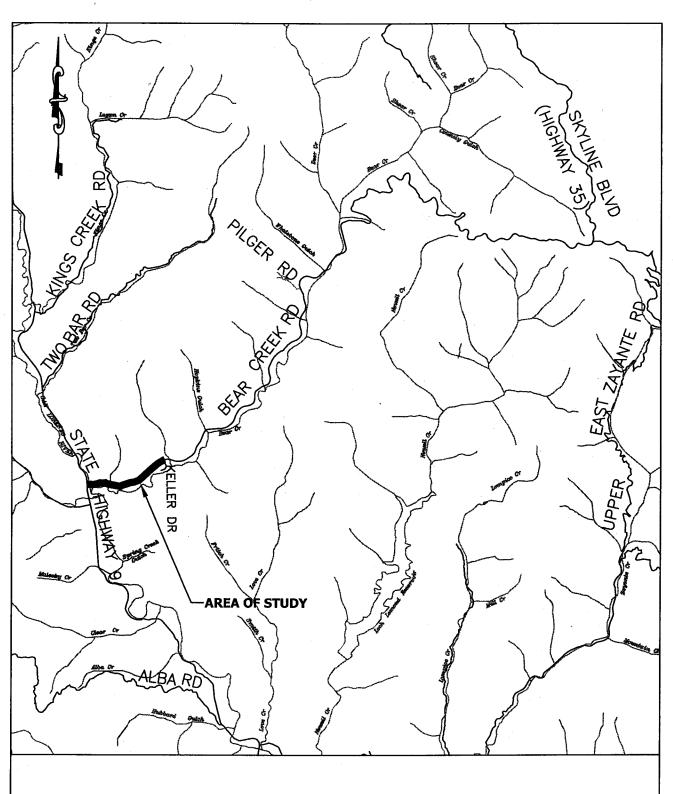
The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 47 MPH and 46 MPH depending on the direction of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 45 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 40 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are tourist area with State Park beaches, an agricultural area with farm equipment and produce trucks, and bicycle traffic without bike lanes or shoulders. It is recommended that the existing 45 MPH speed limit be decreased to 40 MPH with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

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Route:	Beach Road					· ·
From:	Watsonville City Limits		52	1	<b>•</b>	100.0%
To:	End of Beach Road		51	1	•	98.8%
Direction:	Eastbound		50	1	•	97.7%
Weather:	Cloudy		49	2	**	96.5%
Posted Speed:	45 MPH		48	3	***	94.2%
Begin time:	9:00AM		47	3	***	90.7%
End time:	10:15 AM		46	3	***	87.2%
			45	1	<b>*</b>	83.7%
			44	5	****	82.6%
			43	8	******	76.7%
			42	9	******	67.4%
			41	5	****	57.0%
			40	2	**	51.2%
			39	4	****	48.8%
			38	7	*****	44.2%
CRITICAL SPEED		46	37	7	*****	36.0%
AVERAGE SPEED	•	39.93	36	5	****	27.9%
MEDIAN SPEED		40.0	35	4	****	22.1%
STANDARD DEVIAT	ION	5.28	34	7	*****	17.4%
PACE RANGE		34 - 44	33	3	***	9.3%
PERCENTAGE IN PA		67.4%	32	1	•	5.8%
<b>TOTAL # OF AUTOS</b>	•	86	31	0		4.7%
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			29	0		1.2%
			28	1	•	1.2%

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Route:	Beach Road					
From:	Watsonville City Limits		54	1	•	100.0%
To:	End of Beach Road		53	0		98.7%
Direction:	Westbound		52	Õ		98.7%
Weather:	Cloudy		51	1	<b>•</b>	98.7%
Posted Speed:	45 MPH		50	2	**	97.3%
Begin time:	9:00AM		49	3	***	94.7%
End time:	10:15 AM		48	4	***	90.7%
			47	4	***	85.3%
			46	4	***	80.0%
			45	6	*****	74.7%
			44	7	*****	66.7%
			43	3	<b>***</b>	57.3%
			42	4	****	53.3%
			41	4	****	48.0%
			40	7	*****	42.7%
CRITICAL SPEED		47	39	5	****	33.3%
AVERAGE SPEED		41.87	38	6	*****	26.7%
MEDIAN SPEED		42.0	37	1	•	18.7%
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PACE RANGE		38 - 48	35	4	****	14.7%
PERCENTAGE IN P	· · · ·	66.7%	34	5	****	9.3%
TOTAL # OF AUTOS	5	75	33	. 0		2.7%
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SANTA CRUZ COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEERING RADAR SPEED SURVEY BEAR CREEK ROAD STATE HIGHWAY 9 TO KELLER DRIVE

**MARCH 2009** 

#### **PURPOSE:**

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### **LOCATION:**

Bear Creek Road from Highway 9 to Keller Drive (west). (Speed Data collected at Huckleberry Lane intersection).

#### **PREVAILING SPEED DATA:**

The existing speed limit is 30 MPH and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Northbound	Southbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	33 mph	36 mph
Pace Speed	25-35 mph	27-37 mph
Average Speed	29.33 mph	32.79 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 36 MPH and 33 MPH depending on the direction of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 35 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 30 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are recent accident record, safe stopping sight distance, commute route, major arterial, intersection configurations and shoulder conditions with school children and other pedestrian traffic in the roadway without sidewalks. It is recommended that the existing 30 MPH speed limit remain with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

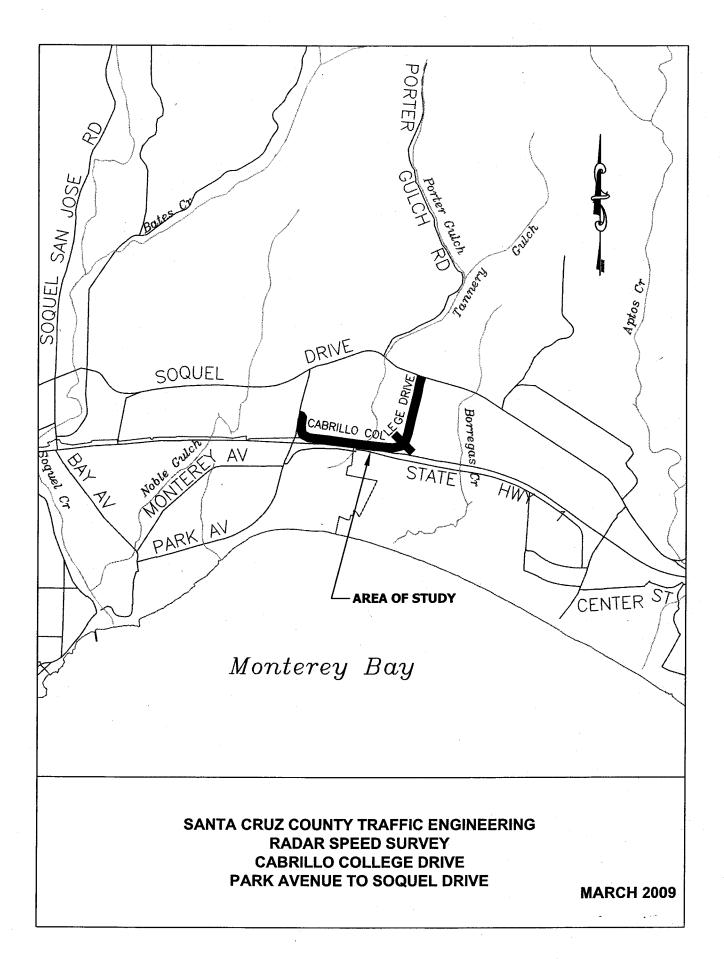
			<u>MPH</u>	# of Vehi	cles	<u>Percentage</u>
Route:	Bear Creek Rd					
From:	Hwy 9		37	1	•	100.0%
To:	Keller Dr		36	0		98.2%
Direction:	Northbound		35	2	<b>**</b>	98.2%
Weather:	Sunny		34	0		94.5%
Posted Speed:	30 MPH		33	6	*****	94.5%
Begin time:	9:45 AM		32	5	****	83.6%
End time:	10:15 AM		31	4	****	74.5%
			30	7	*****	67.3%
			29	8	*****	54.5%
			28	5	****	40.0%
			27	6	*****	30.9%
			26	7	*****	20.0%
			25	3	***	7.3%
			24	0		1.8%
			23	1	<b>•</b>	1.8%
<b>CRITICAL SPEED</b>		33	22	0		0.0%
<b>AVERAGE SPEED</b>		29.33	21	0		0.0%
<b>MEDIAN SPEED</b>		29.0	20	0		0.0%
STANDARD DEVIAT	TION	2.95	19	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		25 - 35	18	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN P	ACE	92.7%	17	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUTOS	3	55	16	0		0.0%
			15	0		0.0%
			14	0		0.0%

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Route:	Bear Creek Rd					
From:	Hwy 9		39	1	•	100.0%
To:	Keller Dr		38	2	<b>**</b>	98.1%
Direction:	Southbound		37	1	•	94.2%
Weather:	Sunny		36	7	*****	92.3%
Posted Speed:	30 MPH		35	3	***	78.8%
Begin time:	9:45 AM		34	9	******	73.1%
End time:	10:15 AM		33	3	***	55.8%
			32	9	******	50.0%
			31	9	******	32.7%
			30	2	<b>**</b>	15.4%
			29	2	<b>**</b>	11.5%
			28	0		7.7%
			27	2	<b>**</b>	7.7%
			26	2	<b>**</b>	3.8%
			25	0		0.0%
<b>CRITICAL SPEED</b>		36	24	0		0.0%
AVERAGE SPEED		32.79	23	0		0.0%
MEDIAN SPEED		32.5	22	0		0.0%
STANDARD DEVIA	TION	2.97	21	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		27 - 37	20	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN F	PACE	88.5%	19	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUTO	S	52	18	0	•	0.0%
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#### **PURPOSE:**

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### **LOCATION:**

Cabrillo College Drive from Park Avenue a distance of 0. 66 miles south easterly. (Speed Data collected at 2505 Cabrillo College Drive).

#### **PREVAILING SPEED DATA:**

The existing posted speed limit is 35 MPH and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Westbound	Eastbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	45 mph	39 mph
Pace Speed	35-45 mph	30-40 mph
Average Speed	39.36 mph	35.20 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 45 MPH and 39 MPH depending on the direction of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 40 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 35 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are recent accident record, route serving a community college with bicycle traffic without bike lanes and shoulder conditions with pedestrians in the roadway without sidewalks. It is recommended that the existing 35 MPH speed limit remain with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

			<u>MPH</u>	# of Vehi	<u>cles</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Route:	Cabrillo College Drive					
From:	Park Avenue		48	1	<b>•</b>	100.0%
To:	South a distance of 0.66 miles		47	5	****	98.1%
Direction:	Westbound		46	0		88.7%
Weather:	Sunny		45	3	<b>***</b>	88.7%
Posted Speed:	35 MPH		44	3	<b>***</b>	83.0%
Begin time:	10:25 AM		43	1	•	77.4%
End time:	11:55 AM		42	4	****	75.5%
			41	2	<b>**</b>	67.9%
			40	6	*****	64.2%
			39	6	*****	52.8%
			38	1	<b>•</b>	41.5%
			37	3	<b>***</b>	39.6%
			36	4	****	34.0%
			35	9	*****	26.4%
			34	1	•	9.4%
CRITICAL SPEED		45	33	1	<b>•</b>	7.5%
AVERAGE SPEED		39.36	32	1	•	5.7%
MEDIAN SPEED		39.0	31	2	<b>**</b>	3.8%
STANDARD DEVIA	TION	4.55	30	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		35 - 45	29	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN F		73.6%	28	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUTO	S	53	27	0		0.0%
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Route:	Cabrillo College Drive					
From:	Park Avenue		49	1	•	100.0%
To:	South a distance of 0.66 miles		48	0		98.2%
Direction:	Eastbound		47	0		98.2%
Weather:	Sunny		46	0		98.2%
Posted Speed:	35 MPH		45	1	•	98.2%
Begin time:	10:25 AM		44	0		96.4%
End time:	11:55 AM		43	3	***	96.4%
			42	1	•	91.1%
			41	1	•	89.3%
			40	1	•	87.5%
			39	3	***	85.7%
			38	2	<b>**</b>	80.4%
			37	7	*****	76.8%
			36	6	*****	64.3%
			35	2	<b>**</b>	53.6%
CRITICAL SPEED		39	34	6	****	50.0%
AVERAGE SPEED		35.20	33	7	*****	39.3%
MEDIAN SPEED		34.5	32	3	***	26.8%
STANDARD DEVIAT	ION	4.52	31	5	****	21.4%
PACE RANGE		30 - 40	30	2	<b>**</b>	12.5%
PERCENTAGE IN PA	ACE	76.8%	29	3	***	8.9%
TOTAL # OF AUTOS	<b>3</b>	56	28	1	•	3.6%
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#### **PURPOSE:**

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### LOCATION:

Cabrillo College Drive from Soquel Drive to a location south a distance of 0.34 mile. (Speed Data collected at football field).

#### **PREVAILING SPEED DATA:**

The existing posted speed limit is 30 MPH and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Northbound	Southbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	35 mph	37 mph
Pace Speed	26-36 mph	28-38 mph
Average Speed	31.66 mph	32.24 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

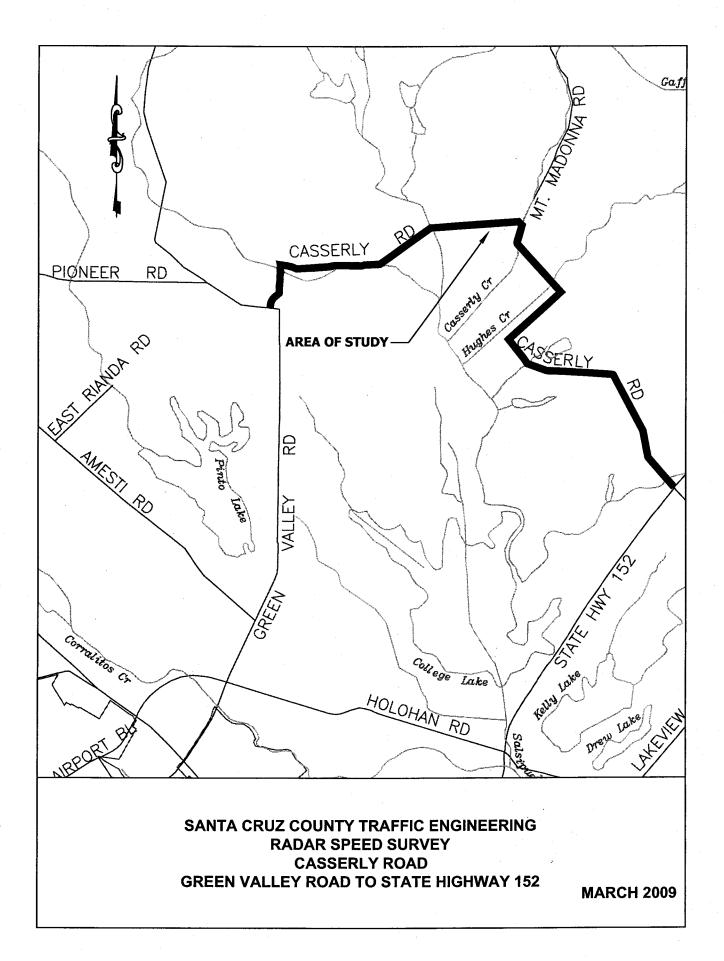
The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 37 MPH and 35 MPH depending on the direction of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 35 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 30 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are recent accident record, route serving a community college with bicycle traffic without bike lanes and shoulder conditions with pedestrians in the roadway without sidewalks. It is recommended that the existing 30 MPH speed limit remain with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

			<u>MPH</u>	# of Vehic	cles	<u>Percentage</u>
Route:	Cabrillo College Drive					
From:	Soquel Drive		39	1	<b>•</b>	100.0%
To:	South a distance of 0.34 miles		38	1	<b>♦</b>	98.4%
Direction:	Northbound		37	4	***	96.9%
Weather:	Sunny		36	2	<b>**</b>	90.6%
Posted Speed:	30 MPH		35	3	***	87.5%
Begin time:	11:40 AM		34	9	******	82.8%
End time:	1:00 PM		33	10	******	68.8%
			32	5	****	53.1%
			31	6	*****	45.3%
			30	5	****	35.9%
			29	5	****	28.1%
			28	4	****	20.3%
			27	3	<b>***</b>	14.1%
			26	4	****	9.4%
			25	2	<b>**</b>	3.1%
CRITICAL SPEED		35	24	0		0.0%
AVERAGE SPEED		31.66	23	0		0.0%
MEDIAN SPEED		32.0	22	0		0.0%
STANDARD DEVIA	TION	3.41	21	0		0.0%
PACE RANGE		26 - 36	20	0		0.0%
PERCENTAGE IN I		84.4%	19	0		0.0%
TOTAL # OF AUTO	S	64	18	0		0.0%

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Route:	Cabrillo College Drive			-		
From:	Soquel Drive		43	1	•	100.0%
To:	South a distance of 0.34 miles		42	0		98.7%
Direction:	Southbound		41	1	•	98.7%
Weather:	Sunny		40	3	<b>***</b>	97.5%
Posted Speed:	30 MPH		39	2	••	93.7%
Begin time:	11:40 AM		38	2	<b>**</b>	91.1%
End time:	1:00 PM		37	4	****	88.6%
			36	5	****	83.5%
			35	3	<b>***</b>	77.2%
			34	8	*****	73.4%
			33	11	*******	63.3%
			32	7	*****	49.4%
			31	6	*****	40.5%
			30	3	***	32.9%
			29	6	*****	29.1%
CRITICAL SPEED		37	28	6	*****	21.5%
<b>AVERAGE SPEED</b>		32.24	27	2	<b>**</b>	13.9%
MEDIAN SPEED		33.0	26	3	<b>***</b>	11.4%
STANDARD DEVIATION	ON	4.35	25	4	****	7.6%
PACE RANGE		28 - 38	24	1	<b>•</b>	2.5%
PERCENTAGE IN PA	CE	74.7%	23	1	•	1.3%
TOTAL # OF AUTOS		79	22	0		0.0%

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#### **PURPOSE**:

This survey is performed in accordance with Vehicle Code Section 40803 to allow the use of radar for enforcement purposes.

#### LOCATION:

Casserly Road from Green Valley Road to State Highway 152. (Speed Data collected at 466 Casserly Road).

#### PREVAILING SPEED DATA:

The existing posted speed limit is 35 MPH and is radar enforced.

The prevailing speeds are:

Direction	Northbound	Southbound
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	40 mph	41 mph
Pace Speed	29-39 mph	33-43 mph
Average Speed	33.41 mph	35.94 mph

#### **ANALYSIS:**

The prevailing 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds are 41 MPH and 40 MPH depending on the direction of travel. The safe speed is established at or near the average 85<sup>th</sup> percentile which is calculated to be 40 MPH. However, in matching existing conditions with the traffic safety needs of the community, engineering judgment as provided for in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices indicates a further reduction of five miles per hour to 35 MPH. The factors justifying a further reduction are a major agricultural area with a high volume of truck traffic, farm equipment, and field workers in addition to bicycle and pedestrian traffic in the roadway without bike lanes or pedestrians facilities. It is recommended that the existing 35 MPH speed limit remain with enforcement activity taking place at speeds above the safe speed.

			MPH	# of Vehicles		<u>Percentage</u>
Route:	Casserly Road					
From:	Green Valley Road		47	1	•	100.0%
To:	State Highway 152		46	1	•	98.2%
Direction:	Northtbound		45	i i	•	96.4%
Weather:	Cloudy		44	Ö	•	94.6%
Posted Speed:	35 MPH		43	2	••	94.6%
Begin time:	9:00AM		42	1	•	91.1%
End time:	10:40 AM		41	2	<b>*</b>	89.3%
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			38	3	***	82.1%
			37	3	***	76.8%
			36	3	***	71.4%
			35	1	•	66.1%
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			33	5	***	58.9%
CRITICAL SPEED		40	32	4	****	
AVERAGE SPEED		33.41	31	4	****	50.0%
MEDIAN SPEED		32.5	30		****	42.9%
STANDARD DEVIATION		5.75		6		35.7%
PACE RANGE		29 - 39	29	6	****	25.0%
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			23	1	<b>•</b>	3.6%
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Route:	Casserly Road				<del></del>	
From:	Green Valley Road		50	. 1	•	100.0%
To:	State Highway 152		49	1	•	98.6%
Direction:	Southbound		48	2	••	97.1%
Weather:	Cloudy		47	0		94.2%
Posted Speed:	35 MPH		46	2	••	94.2%
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			39	5	****	78.3%
			38	7	*****	71.0%
			37	3	***	60.9%
			36	9	*****	56.5%
CRITICAL SPEE	D	41	35	6	*****	43.5%
AVERAGE SPEE	D	35.94	34	5	****	34.8%
MEDIAN SPEED		36.0	33	2	**	27.5%
STANDARD DEV	/IATION	5.82	32	0		24.6%
PACE RANGE		33 - 43	31	4	****	24.6%
PERCENTAGE I		65.2%	30	4	***	18.8%
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			27	2	**	8.7%
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