

ORDINANCE NO. 456

ORDINANCE REGULATING SPEED OF MOTOR
VEHICLES WITHIN THE CITY OF NOKOMIS, ILLINOIS

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Nokomis that:

Section 1: Whenever the term "motor vehicle" is used in this Ordinance it shall be construed to include automobiles, locomobiles, motor bicycles, tractors, traction engines, and all other vehicles propelled otherwise than by muscular power, and including also vehicles or trailers, or semi-trailers pulled or towed by a motor vehicle, but excluding cars of electric and steam railways and other motor vehicles running only upon fixed rails or tracks, or propelled by electric power obtained from overhead trolley wires. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to apply to or to affect bicycles or tricycles or such other vehicles as are propelled exclusively by muscular pedal power.

Section 2: No person shall drive a motor vehicle as described in Section One (1) of this Ordinance upon any public street in the City of Nokomis, Illinois, where the same passes through the business district of said City at a rate of speed exceeding twenty (20) miles per hour; and no person, shall further operate a motor vehicle described in Section One (1) of this Ordinance on any public street within the City of Nokomis, Illinois, where the same passes through the residential district of said City at any rate of speed exceeding twenty-five (25) miles per hour.

Section 3: The speed limits set forth in Section Two (2) of this Ordinance shall not apply to authorized emergency motor vehicles when responding to emergency calls and the drivers thereof sound audible signal by bell, siren, or exhaust whistle.

Section 4: Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall on conviction thereof be fined not less than Three Dollars (\$3.00) nor more than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) for each offense thereof.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Nokomis, Montgomery County, Illinois, at a regular meeting of said Council held at the City Hall, Nokomis, Illinois, on May 6, A.D. 1957.

ATTEST:

J. H. Harrison
CLERK

APPROVED: Thomas E. Hanley
MAYOR

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