ORDINANCE NO. 02-417

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS AMENDING CHAPTER 8.08 SPEED LIMITS OF THE LOS ALTOS MUNICIPAL CODE

The City Council of the City of Los Altos does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. FINDINGS: The City Council of the City of Los Altos hereby finds:

WHEREAS, Chapter 8.08 of the Los Altos Municipal Code sets out maximum speed limits on streets designated therein; and

WHEREAS, on the basis of an engineering and traffic survey, and pursuant to Sections 22357 and 22358 of the California Vehicle Code, a revision to the prima facie speed limit on Cristo Rey Drive is warranted;

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT OF CODE: Section 8.08.020 of the Los Altos Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

"Section:

8.08.020 Changes in prima facie speed limit.

On the basis of an engineering and traffic survey, and pursuant to Sections 627, 22357 and 22358 of the California Vehicle Code, the city council determines that the maximum speed on the following streets, along their entire length unless noted, is reasonable and safe:

A. 25 Miles Per Hour.

Almond Avenue

Clark

Covington Road

Cuesta Drive

Edith Avenue

El Monte Avenue (Foothill Expressway to Springer)

Fallenleaf Lane

Granger

Jardin Avenue

Los Altos Avenue

Main Street

Miramonte (Foothill Expressway to Portland)

Oakhurst

Portland Avenue

Springer Road from Foothill Expressway to the north city limits

St. Joseph Avenue

University Avenue

- B. 30 Miles Per Hour:Cristo Rey Drive within the City limits
- C. 35 Miles Per Hour:
 El Camino Real
 El Monte Avenue (Foothill to south city limits)
 Fremont Avenue (between El Monte Avenue and the east city limits)
 Grant Road
 Homestead Road
 - Miramonte (Portland to north city limits)
 San Antonio Road
- D. 40 Miles Per Hour: None.
- E. 45 Miles Per Hour: Foothill Expressway."

SECTION 3. PUBLICATION: A summary of this ordinance shall be published in the Los Altos Town Crier, as provided for in California Government Code Section 36933.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective upon the commencement of the thirty-first (31st) day following the adoption date.

The foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly introduced at a regular meeting of the Los Altos City Council held on August 13, 2002, and was thereafter, at a regular meeting of the Los Altos City Council held on August 27, 2002, duly passed and adopted by the following roll call vote:

Ayes:

Mayor La Poll, Mayor Pro Tem Castro, Councilmembers Becker, Lear, and Moss

Noes:

None

Absent:

None

Francis A. La Poll, Mayor

Attest:

Carol Scharz, City Clerk