

State of Tennessee)
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 City of Belle Meade)

ORDINANCE NO. 19

AN ORDINANCE TO FIX A MAXIMUM SPEED
 LIMIT FOR MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE CITY
 OF BELLE MEADE, AND IN CONGESTED AREAS,
 TO DEFINE SUCH AREAS, TO PROVIDE FOR
 THE ERECTION OF ROAD SIGNS, AND TO FIX
 PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BELLE MEADE, AS FOLLOWS, THAT:

1. The term "Motor vehicle" as herein used, shall be construed as meaning any self-propelled vehicle not operated exclusively on tracks.

2. The entire area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Belle Meade being thickly settled, it is hereby recognized that all streets, roads, highways and alleys lying in the corporate limits of the City of Belle Meade, are located in congested areas.

3. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate or drive a motor vehicle upon any of the streets, roads, highways or alleys located in the corporate limits of the City of Belle Meade at a rate of speed in excess of 30 miles per hour. Any person convicted of driving a motor vehicle at a rate of speed in excess of 30 miles per hour upon any of the streets, roads, highways or alleys in the City of Belle Meade shall be punished by fine in an amount of not less than \$2.00 and not to exceed \$50.00.

4. Road signs shall be erected, clearly indicating that the streets, roads, highways and alleys located in the City of Belle Meade are in congested areas and that the operators of motor vehicles shall slow down or regulate their speed so as not to exceed a speed of 30 miles per hour. Said road signs or markers shall state as follows:

"Congested area, speed limit
 30 miles per hour".

5. This ordinance shall be published at least once in the Nashville Banner (which has been declared to be the official newspaper of the City of Belle Meade) and this ordinance shall take effect 15 days after the first passage hereof and after publication in the official newspaper.

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