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**CITY OF LAWRENCE
PUBLIC HEARING
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In City Council
December 16, 2008

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 6, 2009, in City Council Chambers, 200 Common Street, Lawrence, MA at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of said hearing is to gather testimony, information, and public input concerning the proposed amendment to the Revised Ordinances of the City of Lawrence which will add the following new Chapters to the Municipal Code in proper numerical order:

Chapter 10.26 of the Municipal Code (Motor Vehicle Speed Zones Designated)

Section 10.26.010 - Establishing Maximum Motor Vehicle Speed in Certain Zones
In accordance with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 90, Section 18, the following special speed regulations are hereby adopted. The specified speed limits established by this ordinance shall be the maximum lawful speed at which motor vehicles may be operated in the areas described:

Hamlet Street, 20 miles per hour, eastbound and westbound, from the intersection with South Bowdoin Street to the intersection with Jefferson Street.

Section 8.28.020 - Violation of Speed Limits is Prima Facie Evidence That Such Speed Is Greater Than What Is Reasonable And Proper.

Operation of a motor vehicle at speeds in excess of the limits set forth in Section 10.26.010 shall be prima facie evidence that such speed is greater than what is reasonable and proper.

Persons wishing to be heard on this matter will be afforded the opportunity.

Attest: William J. Maloney, City Clerk