

TOWN OF WEATHERSFIELD, VERMONT

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

On December 15th, 2005, the Select Board for the Town of Weathersfield, Vermont, adopted an Ordinance entitled “Ordinance Establishing Stop Signs and Other Traffic Control Devices.” This notice is published pursuant to Title 24, Section 1972, of the Vermont Statutes Annotated, to inform the public of this adoption and of the citizens’ right to petition for a vote to disapprove the Ordinance.

Summary of Ordinance Adopted

1. Statement of Purpose

This Ordinance is enacted to regulate traffic in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare.

2. Principal Provisions

This Ordinance is effective sixty (60) days after its adoption, on February 13th, 2006. The Ordinance establishes the locations for “Stop” and “Yield” signs on Town highways within Weathersfield. The Ordinance imposes penalties, in accordance with State law, for violations.

3. List of Section Headings

- I. Authority
- II. Purpose
- III. Definitions
- IV. Location of Stop Signs
- V. Location of Yield Signs
- VI. Penalties
- VII. Enforcement
- VIII. Inconsistent Ordinances Repeals
- IX. Severability
- X. Effect

4. Full Text

The full text of the Ordinance may be examined in the Weathersfield Town Clerk’s office, located in Martin Memorial Hall, at 5259 Route 5 in Ascutney, Vermont.

5. Citizens’ Right to Petition for Vote

Title 24, Section 1973, of the Vermont Statutes Annotated, grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a Special or Annual Town Meeting to disapprove any ordinance adopted by the Select Board. To exercise this right, registered voters must present to the Select Board of Town Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the ordinance, signed by not less than five per cent (5%) of the Town’s qualified voters. The petition must be presented within forty-four (44) days following the date of the adoption of the ordinance.

6. Person to Contact

The Weathersfield Town Manager has knowledge of the adopted Ordinance, and is available to answer questions about it during normal working hours at Martin Memorial Hall, 5259 Route 5 in Ascutney, Vermont, Telephone No. [802] 674-2626.