

**TOWNSHIP OF BIRCH RUN
SAGINAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

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**RESOLUTION FORMALLY REQUESTING THE SAGINAW COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION
AND THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE TO CONDUCT A SPEED STUDY OF DOWNING ROAD
BETWEEN DIXIE HIGHWAY AND DEHMEL ROAD IN BIRCH RUN MICHIGAN
NO. 2009-11**

At a Regular Meeting of the Birch Run Township Board, Township of Birch Run, Saginaw County, Michigan, held at the Township Meeting Room on the 8th day of December, 2009, at 7 o'clock Eastern Standard Time.

PRESENT: Cook, Kiessling, Marr, Nelson, and Magnus

ABSENT: Trevino and Strahm

The following resolution was made by Marr and seconded by Nelson:

WHEREAS, this stretch of Downing Road has become increasingly residential; and

WHEREAS, the speed limit on this section of Downing Road is an unposted 55 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, said speed limit causes dangerous traffic situations for the residents of this stretch of Downing Road as well as for through traffic;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Birch Run Township Board is formally requesting the Saginaw County Road Commission (SCRD) to conduct a speed study on Downing Road from the Dixie Highway to Dehmel Road. It is understood that the SCRC in cooperation with the Michigan State Police (MSP) will use engineering data gathered in this speed study to make a decision which could raise, lower, or maintain the current speed limit. It is further understood that Birch Run Township will abide by the decision made by SCRC and MSP as a result of this speed study.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED

YEAS: Cook, Magnus, Marr, Nelson, and Kiessling

NAYS: None

ABSTENTIONS: Trevino and Strahm

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

COUNTY OF SAGINAW)

I, the undersigned, the fully qualified and acting Clerk of the Township of Birch Run, Saginaw County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete Copy of a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Birch Run, Michigan, held on the 8th day of December, 2009, the original of said meeting was given to and in compliance with Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto fixed my official signature on this 9th day of December 2009.

**Amy Cook, Clerk
Birch Run Township**