



**SELWYN DISTRICT
COUNCIL SPEED LIMITS
BYLAW 2018**

Proposed: 7th November 2018
Adopted: 13th March 2019

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1. Introduction

Pursuant to the powers vested in it by the Local Government Act 2002, the Land Transport Act 1998 and Land Transport Rule: Setting of Speed Limits 2017, the Selwyn District Council (the “**Council**”) makes this bylaw to set speed limits on certain roads in Selwyn District.

A reference in this bylaw to any statute or regulation includes reference to all later statutes and regulations made in amendment or substitution of the statute or regulation cited unless the context otherwise requires.

2. Title

The title of this bylaw is the Selwyn District Council Speed Limit Bylaw 2018.

3. Date of Commencement

The bylaw shall come into force on 13th March 2019 including the speed limits listed in the register of speed limits.

4. Revocations and Savings

The Selwyn District Council Speed Limits Bylaw 2018 will replace the revoked Selwyn District Council Speed Limits Bylaw 2006.

5. Interpretation

The terms used in this bylaw have the same meaning as in the Land Transport Rule: Setting of Speed Limits 2017 (the “**Rule**”).

6. Application of this Bylaw

This Bylaw applies to all roads under the jurisdiction of the Council but excludes State Highway roads controlled by the New Zealand Transport Agency.

7. Speed Limits

1. The Council may, by resolution, set speed limits or designate urban traffic areas for any roads under the Council’s jurisdiction.
2. The Council may, by resolution, set speed limits for roads in any designated location under the Council’s jurisdiction.

3. In setting speed limits under Clauses 7.1 or 7.2, the Council may set only speed limits of 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90 or 100 kilometres/hour. Council will seek NZTA approval before setting a speed limit of 70 or 90 kilometres/hour.
4. The Council may amend or revoke a resolution made under Clauses 7.1 or 7.2 at any time.

8. Consultation

Before passing a resolution under Clause 7.1 and 7.2 or amending or revoking such a resolution under Clause 7.4 the Council shall undertake the consultation process prescribed in Section 2.5 of the Rule and in accordance with Section 82 of the Local Government Act 2002.

9. Register of Speed Limits

The Council shall maintain a Register that records all speed limits, including those made under Clause 7, for the roads under its jurisdiction in a form as required by Section 2.8 of the Rule, except temporary limits.

10. Offences

Every person commits an offence against this bylaw who operates a vehicle in contravention of any speed limit set by this bylaw and as provided for in the Land Transport Act 1998.

The resolution to adopt this Bylaw was passed by Selwyn District Council at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 13th March 2019 and was confirmed, following consideration of submissions received during the special consultative procedure prescribed by the Local Government Act 2002, by a resolution at a meeting of the Council on the **7th November 2018**.

11. Selwyn District Council General Bylaw 2009

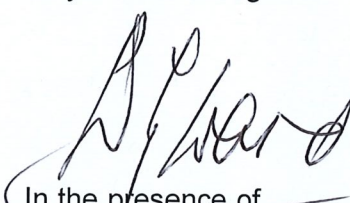
The provisions of the Selwyn District Council General Bylaw 2009 and any bylaw passed in amendment or substitution are implied in to and form part of this Bylaw.

In the event of inconsistency or conflict between the provisions of this Bylaw and any other bylaw of Selwyn District Council, the provisions of this Bylaw shall prevail."

The Common Seal of the Selwyn District Council is attached.



Signed by
Mayor Sam Broughton



In the presence of
The Chief Executive
David Ward