RESOLUTION 2021-017

TO REQUEST THAT DELDOT REDUCE THE SPEED LIMIT ON ROUTE 16, BROADKILL ROAD, RELATED TO CYPRUS GROVE FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE CLIFTON PROPERTY

WHEREAS, the Charter of the Town of Milton vests power in the Mayor and Town Council to provide for and preserve the health, peace, safety, cleanliness, ornament, good order and public welfare of the Town and its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, on December 10, 2020, by petition from Milton Attainable Housing, LLC, the Town annexed four parcels, Clifton Property, into Town limits; and

WHEREAS, on February 25, 2021, Milton Attainable Housing, LLC applied to the Town for Site Plan approval; and

WHEREAS, on May 18, 2021, Milton Attainable Housing, LLC received Preliminary Site Plan approval from Milton’s Planning and Zoning Commission and is continuing its processes to achieve Final Site Plan Approval; and

WHEREAS, during the annexation petition meetings, public discussions presented the desire for the Town to consider a reduction in the speed limit on Route 16, also known as Broadkill Road, from 50 mph to 35 mph adjacent to the Milton Attainable Housing, LLC parcels as a traffic calming method and to be consistent with speed limits on Route 16 within the Town’s jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, Route 16 is not a Town-owned street for Milton’s Mayor and Town Council to approve a speed reduction request; rather, the State of Delaware, Department of Transportation has responsibility and jurisdiction over the speed limit along Route 16;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Town Council of Milton hereby respectfully request that the Delaware Department of Transportation reduce the speed limit to 35 mph on Route 16 from the intersection of Routes 5 and 16 extending to the intersection of Route 16 and Country Road.
I, THE UNDERSIGNED, Secretary of the Town Council of the Town of Milton do hereby certify that the above Resolution was passed at the meeting of the Town Council, duly called and convened, held on the 1st day of November 2021, at which a quorum was present and voting throughout and that same is still in full force and effect.

TOWN OF MILTON

BY: __________________________
SECRETARY OF TOWN COUNCIL

DATE: 11/3/21