

**EAST BRANDYWINE TOWNSHIP
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORDINANCE 1 OF 2026**

AN ORDINANCE OF EAST BRANDYWINE TOWNSHIP, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE CODE OF EAST BRANDYWINE TOWNSHIP, CHAPTER 245-1 “SPEED LIMITS,” TO ADD A 25 MILE PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT FOR A SEGMENT OF OLD HORSESHOE PIKE PURSUANT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA VEHICLE CODE, INCLUDING ACT 151 OF 1998.

WHEREAS, East Brandywine Township is authorized under the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S. § 101 et seq., to regulate traffic and establish maximum speed limits on Township highways; and

WHEREAS, Section 3362(a)(1.2) of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code, as amended by Act 151 of 1998, authorizes a municipality to establish a 25 mile per hour maximum speed limit in a residential district, without the necessity of an engineering and traffic study, where the highway is a local highway, is not a numbered traffic route, and is under municipal jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors finds that the portion of Old Horseshoe Pike addressed herein is a non-numbered local Township highway and is located within a residential district, as that term is defined in the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors finds that establishing a 25 mile per hour maximum speed limit on this roadway segment will promote public safety and the general welfare.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of East Brandywine Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

Section 1. Section § 245-1(A), Speed limits of the Code of Ordinances of East Brandywine Township is hereby amended by adding the following row to the existing table of streets and maximum speed limits:

Name of Road	Speed Limit (mph)	Location
Old Horseshoe Pike	25	Entire length

All other provisions, listings, and speed limits contained in § 245-1 shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with any provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this ordinance.

Section 3. If any sentence, clause, section or part of this ordinance is, for any reason, found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or parts hereof. It is hereby declared as the intent of the Board of Supervisors that this

ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid sentence, clause, section or part thereof not been included herein.

Section 4. This amendment shall be effective 5 days following adoption, as by law provided.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this ___ day of _____, 2026.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
EAST BRANDYWINE TOWNSHIP

ATTEST:

Francis X. Taraschi, Chairman

Lisa Taraschi, Township Secretary

Kyle P. Scribner, Vice Chairman

Emily Keller, Member