

**Town of Chevy Chase
Chatham Road Traffic Control Ordinance**

Resolution No.: 07-06
Introduced: July 17, 2007
Adopted: July 17, 2007
Effective Date: July 17, 2007

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE VEHICLES TRAVELING NORTHBOUND ON CHATHAM ROAD TO STOP AT THE INTERSECTION OF CHATHAM ROAD AND BLACKTHORN STREET AND TO REQUIRE VEHICLES TRAVELING SOUTHBOUND ON CHATHAM ROAD TO STOP AT THE INTERSECTION OF CHATHAM ROAD AND ASPEN STREET AND TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO HAVE STOP SIGNS INSTALLED AT PROPER LOCATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Chevy Chase considered requiring vehicles traveling northbound on Chatham Road to stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Blackthorn Street and to require vehicles traveling southbound on Chatham Road to stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Aspen Street and to authorize the Town Manager or his designee to have stop signs installed at proper locations in accordance with the manual on uniform traffic control devices at its meetings on July 10, 2007 and July 17, 2007; and

WHEREAS, after consideration of the evidence presented at the aforesaid meetings, the Council finds that requiring vehicles traveling northbound on Chatham Road to stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Blackthorn Street and requiring vehicles traveling southbound on Chatham Road to stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Aspen Street is necessary to protect the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council finds that it is necessary to adopt this ordinance as an emergency ordinance so that it will become effective immediately and that the 6-day period between introduction and adoption described in Section 209 of the Town Charter will not apply.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Council of the Town of Chevy Chase does hereby adopt the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE VEHICLES TRAVELING NORTHBOUND ON CHATHAM ROAD TO STOP AT THE INTERSECTION OF CHATHAM ROAD AND BLACKTHORN STREET AND TO REQUIRE VEHICLES TRAVELING SOUTHBOUND ON CHATHAM ROAD TO STOP AT THE INTERSECTION OF CHATHAM ROAD AND ASPEN STREET AND TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO HAVE STOP SIGNS INSTALLED AT PROPER LOCATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

BE IT ORDAINED AND ORDERED, this 17th day of July, 2007, by the Town Council of the Town of Chevy Chase, Maryland, acting under and by virtue of the authority given it by Article XI-E of the Maryland Constitution, the Chevy Chase Town Charter, and Maryland Code, Transportation Article, Sections 25-102, 25-106 and 25-109, that:

1. Vehicles traveling northbound on Chatham Road shall stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Blackthorn Street;
2. Vehicles traveling southbound on Chatham Road shall stop at the intersection of Chatham Road and Aspen Street;
3. The Town Manager or his designee is hereby authorized and directed to place and maintain, in appropriate locations in accordance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, stop signs notifying the public that vehicles traveling northbound on Chatham Road at the intersection of Chatham Road and Blackthorn Street and vehicles traveling southbound on

Chatham Road at the intersection of Chatham Road and Aspen Street must stop at the aforesaid intersections.


BE IT RESOLVED, that the foregoing ordinance is adopted as an emergency ordinance and shall take effect upon its passing, or as soon thereafter as signs are posted in accordance with this Ordinance

ATTEST:



Lance Hoffman, Secretary

TOWN OF CHEVY CHASE



Linna Barnes, Mayor
Town of Chevy Chase