

CHAPTER 142
SPEED ZONING ON PRIMARY HIGHWAYS

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761—142.1(321) Adjustment of speed zones on primary highways. The purpose of these rules is to establish the procedure for adjusting the basic speed limits stated in Iowa Code chapter 321.

142.1(1) Procedure.

a. All requests for raising or lowering the posted speed limits on primary highways shall be made to the appropriate district engineer.

b. The department of transportation will conduct an engineering and traffic investigation and if the speed limit is found to be greater or less than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist, the department of transportation will declare a reasonable and proper speed limit and post appropriate signs.

c. The person or agency submitting the request for the engineering and traffic investigation shall be advised of the conclusions of the study and the action to be taken by the department of transportation.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code sections 321.285 and 321.290.

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