

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-25

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING “FOUR WAY STOP” INTERSECTION AT WEST FIFTH STREET AND HIGH STREET IN THE VILLAGE OF PECATONICA, WINNEBAGO COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AND AUTHORIZING THE PROCUREMENT OF THE NECESSARY SIGNAGE

WHEREAS, whereas the village authorities are empowered with police powers to protect the residents of the Village of Pecatonica (“Village”); and

WHEREAS, Section 5/11-80-2 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/1 et seq.) gives the corporate authorities of a municipality the power to regulate the streets within its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, among these are the authority to place “Stop” signs at intersections of village owned streets; and

WHEREAS, intersection of West Fifth Street and High Street (“Intersection”) is located within the boundaries of the Village and said streets are owned and maintained by the Village; and

WHEREAS, the corporate authorities of the Village have determined it is in the best interests of public safety given the nature of mixed use in the area adjacent to and nearby the Intersections of West Fifth Street and High Street which use produces pedestrian traffic at the intersections that four way stop at said Intersection is appropriate; and

WHEREAS, the corporate authorities of the Village have determined it is in the best interests of public safety given sight distance concerns, pedestrian traffic and volume of vehicular traffic at the Intersection that a four way stop at said intersection is appropriate.

NOW BE IT ORDAINED by the President of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Pecatonica, Illinois.

Section 1. The above recitals are incorporated as though fully set forth herein.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon the proper installation of signage identifying the intersection of West Fifth Street and High Street as a four-way stop.

Section 3. That the Superintendent of Public Works Committee is hereby authorized the purchase and install sufficient signage necessary and proper to make the intersection of West Fifth Street and High Street a four way stop intersection.

Section 4. The Board of Trustees shall appropriate sufficient monies for materials and labor to put this ordinance into effect.

Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

PASSED BY the Village Board of Trustees this ____ day of _____, 2022.

APPROVED by the Village President of the Village Board of Trustees this ____ day of _____, 2022.

Motion by: _____

Second by: _____

Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Abstain/Absent: _____

By: _____
WILLIAM SMULL, Village President
Board of Trustees
Village of Pecatonica, Illinois

ATTEST:

GWENN SHIRLEY, Village Clerk
Village of Pecatonica, Illinois