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May 24, 2017

Honorable Pamela A. Helming
New York State Senate
119 Fall Street
Seneca Falls, NY 13148

Dear Senator Helming:

RE: SPEED STUDY REQUEST
TOWN OF TYRE

This is in further response to a letter received from Supervisor Ron McGreevy, town of Tyre, regarding the speed limit at the intersection of State Routes 414 and 318 near the vicinity of the new del Lago Resort and Casino.

The Department has completed its study. We determined a reduced speed limit of 40 MPH along NYS Route 414 from Chase Road intersection to a point approximately 1,000 feet south of Route 318 would be appropriate. The necessary signage will be installed by our maintenance work force as soon as their schedule permits.

Based on the existing roadside development, test drives, accident screening, and radar speed study, our investigation determined that lowering the speed limit along NYS Route 318, straddling the intersection approaching NYS 414 roughly one-half mile to the west and one-half mile to the east of the intersection, would not be appropriate at this time.

Your interest in this matter is very much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

David P. Smith, P. E.
Regional Director

cc: Ronald F. McGreevy, Supervisor, Town of Tyre