



Steve Radack, Commissioner
Harris County Precinct 3

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Ms. Dolores Sue, CMCA, AMS, PCAM
Representative for the Association
Williamsburg Settlement Maintenance Association
P.O. Box 219223
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Re: Speed Bumps – Williamsburg Settlement

Thank you for your letter of May 28, 2013 requesting speed bumps or speed humps in your subdivision. Commissioners' Court, the governing body of Harris County, has adopted a policy that speed bumps will not be installed in neighborhoods in unincorporated Harris County or on streets maintained by Harris County. The County Attorney advised that there could be potential liability. Until this issue of liability is resolved, Commissioners' Court will not rescind the policy.

Please do not assume your community has the authority to install speed bumps. Only Harris County has the authority to install or allow the installation of traffic control devices on streets under our maintenance.

Speeding is an enforcement issue. Do not hesitate to contact your Sheriff's Office or Constable's Office and ask them to monitor the areas in question.

Thank you for your concern for your community and advising us of this matter. If you need any assistance in the future, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Sincerely,

Paul Hawkins, P.E.
Assistant Manager of Engineering

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