

**TOWN OF HARWINTON
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
JUNE 17, 2008**

ORDINANCE DESIGNATING HAYDEN ROAD AS A SCENIC ROAD

Section 1. Authorization.

This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §7-149a, as amended. A petition has been filed with the Town Clerk signed by the owners of a majority of lot frontage abutting Hayden Road between Hill Road on the east and Wildcat Hill Road on the west requesting this designation.

Section 2. Scenic Road Designation.

Hayden Road is hereby designated a "Scenic Road" under the provisions of §7-149a of the Connecticut General Statutes. The Town of Harwinton shall not pave Hayden Road. The Town of Harwinton may make future alterations and improvements to Hayden Road including, but not limited to, widening of the traveled portion of the road within the town's current right of way, changes of grade, straightening, installing necessary drainage systems, removal of stone walls and removal of mature trees. Nothing in this Ordinance shall relieve the Town of Harwinton from the obligation of maintaining Hayden Road in good and sufficient repair and in passable condition. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be deemed to prohibit a person owning or occupying land abutting Hayden Road from maintaining and improving the land which abuts Hayden Road if the maintenance or improvement occurs on land not within the traveled right-of-way of Hayden Road.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after publication of a summary of its provisions in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes §7-157(b).

ADOPTED BY TOWN MEETING HELD: June 17, 2008.

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EFFECTIVE DATE: July 4, 2008.

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