



**THE BOROUGH OF BELL ACRES
PENNSYLVANIA**

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY TRAFFIC STUDY

As per Bell Acres Borough's request in May 2024, Allegheny County conducted a Traffic Study in the area of Camp Meeting Road and Sevin Road.

In conjunction with PennDOT, the study was completed. Allegheny County concluded the following:

- The posted speed is 35 mph, and the 85th percentile speed being traveled by vehicles at and near the intersection is currently 36 mph. It does not appear to be a significant speeding problem on that section of roadway.
- The recent traffic counts on Camp Meeting Road have not shown much in the way of increased traffic, and the traffic volumes on Sevin Road are not high enough relative to Camp Meeting Road to warrant a multi-way stop based on PennDOT standards.
- There have not been enough accidents at the intersection over the past three (3) years to warrant a multi-way stop based on PennDOT standards.

For these reasons noted above, the County does not plan to make the intersection a four-way stop at this time. With that being said, they determined that the curve is limiting driver sight distance. Therefore, the County will lower the advisory speed from 30 mph to 15 mph. The County will replace the advisory speed plaques as soon as possible.

If the new advisory speed does not improve the situation, the County can evaluate what further options they have to make the intersection safer. In working with Allegheny County, you can be assured that the Borough and Bell Acres Police Department will continue to monitor and address that area for safety.