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REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ACT, UNLESS THE CONTRARY SHALL BE ESTABLISHED BY COMPETENT EVIDENCE.

21.406 - AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH PLAY STREETS

FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 12 HOURS. THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER SHALL HAVE AUTHORITY TO DECLARE ANY STREET OR PART THEREOF A PLAY STREET AND TO PLACE APPROPRIATE SIGNS OR DEVICES IN THE ROADWAY INDICATING AND HELPING TO PROTECT THE SAME.

21.407 - PLAY STREETS

WHENEVER AUTHORIZED SIGNS ARE ERECTED INDICATING ANY STREET OR PART THEREOF AS A PLAY STREET, NO PERSON SHALL DRIVE A VEHICLE UPON ANY SUCH STREET OR PORTION THEREOF EXCEPT DRIVERS OF VEHICLES HAVING BUSINESS OR WHOSE RESIDENCES ARE WITHIN SUCH CLOSED AREA, AND THEN ANY SAID DRIVER SHALL EXERCISE THE GREATEST CARE IN DRIVING UPON ANY SUCH STREET OR PORTION THEREOF.

21.408 - ([AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH "BLOCK PARTY" STREETS

- (A) THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER SHALL HAVE AUTHORITY TO DECLARE ANY STREET OR PART THEREOF A "BLOCK PARTY" STREET AND TO PLACE APPROPRIATE BARRIERS, SIGNS OR DEVICES IN THE ROADWAY INDICATING AND HELPING TO PROTECT THE SAME FOR A SPECIFIED TIME PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 12 HOURS. DURING THIS PERIOD, NO PERSON SHALL DRIVE A VEHICLE UPON ANY STREET SO DESIGNATED.
- (B) UPON AN APPLICATION FORM PROVIDED BY THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER SIGNED BY ALL OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE BLOCK DESCRIBED IN THE APPLICATION THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER MAY APPROVE THE APPLICATION AND TEMPORARILY BARRICADE THE BLOCK AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION.]] (RESERVED)
- 21.409 COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER TO DESIGNATE CROSSWALK AND ESTABLISH SAFETY ZONES

THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED:

(A) TO DESIGNATE AND MAINTAIN, BY APPROPRIATE DEVICES, MARKS, OR LINES UPON THE SURFACE OF THE ROADWAY, CROSSWALKS AT INTERSECTIONS WHERE IN HIS OPINION THERE IS PARTICULAR DANGER TO PEDESTRIANS CROSSING THE ROADWAY, AND AT SUCH OTHER PLACES AS HE