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### **Portion of Old Jonesboro Road to see reduction in speed limit**

The City of Bristol Tennessee announces that the speed limit on Old Jonesboro Road between the King College Road and Paperville Road intersections will be permanently reduced from 35 mph to 30 mph beginning Thursday, September 25, 2014. “The speed limit reduction is to improve safety on this section of Old Jonesboro Road due to increased development and traffic volumes,” said David Metzger. “The city is constantly reviewing streets within the city for changes that may be occurring that might affect traffic patterns.”

The city offers a new tool for getting information on road closings, traffic changes, speed limit changes, etc. on the city website. Go to [www.bristoltn.org](http://www.bristoltn.org), click on Notify Me. It is as simple as choosing whether you want the notification sent to your smart phone or your email address and choosing a password.

Questions on the speed limit change may be directed to David Metzger, Traffic Engineer, at (423) 989-5522. Questions on Notify Me may be directed to Terrie Talbert, Community Relations Director at 423-989-5500 Ext. 2055.