

AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL

AGENDA



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Public Works RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

ITEM No 19

Subject Approve an ordinance amending Section 12 4 24 of the City Code to establish a maximum speed limit of 25 miles per hour on certain streets within an area bounded by Avenue N to the north Parmer Lane (FM 734) to the south Loop 1 (MoPac Expressway) (North) East Frontage Road to the west and Metric Boulevard to the east The boundaries of Lamplight Village Neighborhood Organization The North Shields Neighborhood Association and The Ridge at Scofield Homeowners Association are included in this area

Amount and Source of Funding Funding in the amount of \$10 450 is available in the Fiscal Year 2006 2007 Operating Budget of the Public Works Department for the installation of necessary signs

Fiscal Note There is no unanticipated fiscal impact A fiscal note is not required

Additional Backup Material

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Ordinance

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In 2005 the Legislature amended the Texas Transportation Code Section 545 356 to allow a city to set a speed limit lower than 30 miles per hour but not less than 25 miles per hour on a highway if

The highway is not an officially designated or marked highway or road in the state highway system The highway is 35 feet or less in width Vehicular parking is not prohibited on one or both sides of the street and The highway has less than four lanes used for vehicular travel

Texas Transportation Code Section 545 356 allows that the City Council may lower the speed limit along the residential streets in the area bounded by Avenue N to the north Parmer Lane (FM 734) to the south Loop 1 (MoPac Expressway) (North) East Frontage Road to the west and Metric Boulevard to the east Most of the streets within the area are eligible under state law for a 25 mile per hour speed limit The exceptions are Avenue N from Lou John Street to Pansy Trail Century Park Boulevard Century Park Cove Elm Ridge Lane Foal Lane Hackney Cove Ida Ridge Drive Lamplight Village Avenue Limerick Avenue from Parmer Lane (F M 734) to 225 north of Parmer Lane (F M 734) Magazine Street Meehan Drive North Shields Drive Rampart Street Range Horse Road Scofield Lane Silver Spur from Parmer Lane (F M 734) to 660 feet north of Parmer Lane (F M 734) Singletree Avenue Staton Drive Utah Flats Drive Widge Drive and Winwick Way because these streets are either wider than 35 feet or have parking restriction They are not included in the recommended Code changes

Public Works staff recommends that Section 12 4 24 be amended to add the following streets to the list of streets with a maximum speed limit of 25 miles per hour Lamplight Village/North Shields Area Abbey Circle from Lamppost Lane to end of Abbey Circle Alimony Cove from Kellies Farm Lane to end of Alimony Cove Anacapo Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Anacapo Cove Anarosa Loop from Equestrian Trail (west intersection) to Equestrian Trail (east intersection) Armaga Cove from Armaga Springs Road to end of Armaga Cove Armaga Springs Road from Rodeo Drive to end of Armaga Springs Road Avenue N from

Pansy Trail to Howard Lane Bienville Street from Esplanade Street to Rampart Street Billiem Drive from Magazine Street to end of Billiem Drive Bourbon Street from Elysian Fields to Magazine Street Brandywine Court from Brandywine Lane to end of Brandywine Court Brandywine Lane from Limerick Avenue to Lamplight Village Avenue Briana Shay Drive from William Kennedy Drive to Shawna Dnay Drive Broughton Court from Kellies Farm Lane to Broughton Way Broughton Way from Singletree Avenue to Kellies Farm Lane Burgundy Cove from Esplanade Street to end of Burgundy Cove Caballero Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Caballero Cove Calf Roping Trail from Rodeo Drive to Armaga Springs Road Campesina Drive from Scofield Ridge Parkway to end of Campesina Drive Candlestick Place from Lamplight Village Avenue to Krizan Avenue Capadocia Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Capadocia Cove Carriage Park Lane from Lamplight Village Avenue to Esplanade Street Cedar Branch Drive from Broughton Way to end of Cedar Branch Drive Chasewood Drive from Metric Boulevard to Montana Sky Drive Chromite Street from Singletree Avenue to Cedar Branch Drive Cindy Lane from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Cindy Lane Copper Cliff Avenue from Singletree Avenue to Broughton Way Creole Cove from Creole Drive to end of Creole Cove Creole Drive from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Creole Drive Dauphine Cove from Dauphine Street to end of Dauphine Cove Dauphine Street from Elysian Fields to Magazine Street Dumaine Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Dumaine Circle Elysian Fields from Rampart Street to Magazine Street Elysian Fields Cove from Elysian Fields to end of Elysian Fields Cove Ender Cove from Withers Way to end of Ender Cove Equestrian Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Equestrian Cove Equestrian Trail from Winwick Way to Lamplight Village Avenue Esplanade Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Esplanade Circle Esplanade Street from Rampart Street to Krizan Avenue Gentilly Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Gentilly Circle Glacier Falls Court from Chasewood Drive to end of Glacier Falls Court Harrowden Drive from Wingate Way to end of Harrowden Drive Irongate Avenue from Singletree Avenue to Wrought Iron Drive Irongate Circle from Wrought Iron Drive to end of Irongate Circle Kellies Farm Lane from North Shields Drive to Broughton Way Kinder Pass from Creole Drive (north intersection) to Creole Drive (east intersection) Krizan Avenue from Lamplight Village Avenue to Magazine Street Lamplight Village Circle from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Lamplight Village Circle Lamppost Lane from Esplanade Street to Scofield Lane Lampwick Circle from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Lampwick Circle Lathe Cove from Maize Bend Drive to end of Lathe Cove Limerick Avenue from 225 feet north of Parmer Lane (F M 734) to Cindy Lane Lou John Street from William Kennedy Drive to end of Lou John Street Lynnvile Trail from Metric Boulevard to Snow Fall Drive Magazine Cove from Magazine Street to end of Magazine Cove Maize Bend Drive from Wyoming Valley Drive to end of Maize Bend Drive Metairie Circle from Rampart Street to end of Metairie Circle Mirabeau Street from Esplanade Street to Rampart Street Montana Sky Drive from Chasewood Drive to end of Montana Sky Drive Oregon Flat Trail from Utah Flats Drive to end of Oregon Flat Trail Paris Avenue from Rampart Street to end of Paris Avenue Powderhorn Street from Scofield Lane to Krizan Avenue Quarter Boot Cove from Withers Way to end of Quarter Boot Cove Rampart Circle from Rampart Street to end of Rampart Circle Red Stone Lane from Limerick Avenue to Lamplight Village Avenue Rodeo Cove from Rodeo Drive to end of Rodeo Cove Rodeo Drive from Winwick Way to end of Rodeo Drive Ryan Matthew Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street Shawna Dnay Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street Silver Spur from 660 feet north of Parmer Lane (F M 734) to Cindy Lane Slow Poke Drive from Armaga Springs Road to Rodeo Drive Snow Fall Drive from Sunterro Drive to end of Snow Fall Drive St Charles Avenue from Magazine Street to Kinder Pass Staton Cove from Staton Drive to end of Staton Cove Stephanie St John Street from Lou John Street to Century Park Boulevard Sunterro Drive from Will Rogers Lane to Wyoming Valley Drive Teton Ridge Cove from Chasewood Drive to end of Teton Ridge Cove Tomanet Trail from Parmer Lane (F M 734) to Chromite Street Troops Trail from Armaga Springs Road to end of Troops Trail Turkey Run from Scofield Lane to Krizan Avenue Will Rogers Lane from Chasewood Drive to Maize Bend Drive (north intersection) William Kennedy Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street Wingate Way from 100 feet north of North Shields Drive to 515 feet south of Harrowden Drive Withers Way from Scofield Lane to Staton Drive Wrought Iron Drive from Lamplight Village Avenue to Broughton Way Wyoming Valley Drive from Lynnvile Trail to end of Wyoming Valley Drive Yearling Cove from Withers Way to end of Yearling Cove

ORDINANCE NO

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 12-4-24 OF THE CITY CODE TO ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF 25 MILES PER HOUR ON CERTAIN STREETS WITHIN AN AREA BOUNDED BY AVENUE N, PARMER LANE (FM 734), LOOP 1 (MOPAC EXPRESSWAY) (NORTH) EAST FRONTAGE ROAD, AND METRIC BOULEVARD, INCLUDING THE BOUNDARIES OF LAMPLIGHT VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATION, NORTH SHIELDS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION, AND THE RIDGE AT SCOFIELD HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN

PART 1 Section 12-4-24 (*Maximum Speed of 25 Miles Per Hour*) of the City Code is amended to add the following streets

Abbey Circle from Lamppost Lane to end of Abbey Circle

Alimony Cove from Kellies Farm Lane to end of Alimony Cove

Anacapo Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Anacapo Cove

Anarosa Loop from Equestrian Trail (west intersection) to Equestrian Trail (east intersection)

Armaga Cove from Armaga Springs Road to end of Armaga Cove

Armaga Springs Road from Rodeo Drive to end of Armaga Springs Road

Avenue N from Pansy Trail to Howard Lane (West)

Bienville Street from Esplanade Street to Rampart Street

Billhem Drive from Magazine Street to end of Billiem Drive

Bourbon Street from Elysian Fields to Magazine Street

Brandywine Court from Brandywine Lane to end of Brandywine Court

Brandywine Lane from Limerick Avenue to Lamplight Village Avenue

Briana Shay Drive from William Kennedy Drive to Shawna Dnay Drive

1 Broughton Court from Kellies Farm Lane to Broughton Way
2 Broughton Way from Singletree Avenue to Kellies Farm Lane
3 Burgundy Cove from Esplanade Street to end of Burgundy Cove
4 Caballero Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Caballero Cove
5 Calf Roping Trail from Rodeo Drive to Armaga Springs Road
6 Campesina Drive from Scotfield Ridge Parkway to end of Campesina Drive
7 Candlestick Place from Lamplight Village Avenue to Krizan Avenue
8 Capadocia Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Capadocia Cove
9 Carriage Park Lane from Lamplight Village Avenue to Esplanade Street
10 Cedar Branch Drive from Broughton Way to end of Cedar Branch Drive
11 Chasewood Drive from Metric Boulevard to Montana Sky Drive
12 Chromite Street from Singletree Avenue to Cedar Branch Drive
13 Cindy Lane from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Cindy Lane
14 Copper Cliff Avenue from Singletree Avenue to Broughton Way
15 Creole Cove from Creole Drive to end of Creole Cove
16 Creole Drive from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Creole Drive
17 Dauphine Cove from Dauphine Street to end of Dauphine Cove
18 Dauphine Street from Elysian Fields to Magazine Street
19 Dumaine Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Dumaine Circle
20 Elysian Fields from Rampart Street to Magazine Street
21 Elysian Fields Cove from Elysian Fields to end of Elysian Fields Cove
22 Ender Cove from Withers Way to end of Ender Cove
23 Equestrian Cove from Equestrian Trail to end of Equestrian Cove

1 Equestrian Trail from Winwick Way to Lamplight Village Avenue
2 Esplanade Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Esplanade Circle
3 Esplanade Street from Rampart Street to Krizan Avenue
4 Gentilly Circle from Esplanade Street to end of Gentilly Circle
5 Glacier Falls Court from Chasewood Drive to end of Glacier Falls Court
6 Harrowden Drive from Wingate Way to end of Harrowden Drive
7 Irongate Avenue from Singletree Avenue to Wrought Iron Drive
8 Irongate Circle from Wrought Iron Drive to end of Irongate Circle
9 Kellies Farm Lane from North Shields Drive to Broughton Way
10 Kinder Pass from Creole Drive (north intersection) to Creole Drive (east
11 intersection)
12 Krizan Avenue from Lamplight Village Avenue to Magazine Street
13 Lamplight Village Circle from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Lamplight
14 Village Circle
15 Lamppost Lane from Esplanade Street to Scofield Lane
16 Lampwick Circle from Lamplight Village Avenue to end of Lampwick Circle
17 Lathe Cove from Maize Bend Drive to end of Lathe Cove
18 Limerick Avenue from 225 feet north of Palmer Lane (F M 734) to Cindy Lane
19 Lou John Street from William Kennedy Drive to end of Lou John Street
20 Lynnville Trail from Metric Boulevard to Snow Fall Drive
21 Magazine Cove from Magazine Street to end of Magazine Cove
22 Maize Bend Drive from Wyoming Valley Drive to end of Maize Bend Drive
23 Metairie Circle from Rampart Street to end of Metairie Circle
24 Mirabeau Street from Esplanade Street to Rampart Street

1 Montana Sky Drive from Chasewood Drive to end of Montana Sky Drive
2 Oregon Flat Trail from Utah Flats Drive to end of Oregon Flat Trail
3 Paris Avenue from Rampart Street to end of Paris Avenue
4 Powderhorn Street from Scofield Lane to Krizan Avenue
5 Quarter Boot Cove from Withers Way to end of Quarter Boot Cove
6 Rampart Circle from Rampart Street to end of Rampart Circle
7 Red Stone Lane from Limerick Avenue to Lamplight Village Avenue
8 Rodeo Cove from Rodeo Drive to end of Rodeo Cove
9 Rodeo Drive from Winwick Way to end of Rodeo Drive
10 Ryan Matthew Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street
11 Shawna Dnay Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street
12 Silver Spur from 660 feet north of Parmer Lane (F M 734) to Cindy Lane
13 Slow Poke Drive from Armaga Springs Road to Rodeo Drive
14 Snow Fall Drive from Sunterro Drive to end of Snow Fall Drive
15 St Charles Avenue from Magazine Street to Kinder Pass
16 Staton Cove from Staton Drive to end of Staton Cove
17 Stephanie St John Street from Lou John Street to Century Park Boulevard
18 Sunterro Drive from Will Rogers Lane to Wyoming Valley Drive
19 Teton Ridge Cove from Chasewood Drive to end of Teton Ridge Cove
20 Tomanet Trail from Parmer Lane (F M 734) to Chromite Street
21 Troops Trail from Armaga Springs Road to end of Troops Trail
22 Turkey Run from Scofield Lane to Krizan Avenue
23 Will Rogers Lane from Chasewood Drive to Maize Bend Drive (north
24 intersection)

1 William Kennedy Drive from Century Park Boulevard to Lou John Street

2 Wingate Way from 100 feet north of North Shields Drive to 515 feet south of
3 Harrowden Drive

4 Withers Way from Scofield Lane to Staton Drive

5 Wrought Iron Drive from Lamplight Village Avenue to Broughton Way

6 Wyoming Valley Drive from Lynnville Trail to end of Wyoming Valley Drive

7 Yearling Cove from Withers Way to end of Yearling Cove

8 **PART 2** The City Council finds that the prima facie speed limit previously applicable to
9 the streets, or portions of streets, identified in Part 1 of this ordinance is unreasonable or
10 unsafe, and the reduction in speed limit on these streets will reduce the potential for
11 vehicle-pedestrian accidents

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13 **PART 3** The amendments made in this ordinance shall be incorporated in alphabetical
14 order and the existing subsections renumbered accordingly

15 **PART 4** This ordinance takes effect on _____, 2007

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17 **PASSED AND APPROVED**

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19 _____, 2007

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Will Wynn
Mayor

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26 **APPROVED**

David Allan Smith
City Attorney

ATTEST

Shirley A. Gentry
City Clerk