

# **Recommendation for Council Action**

Austin City Council Item ID 8338 Agenda Number 64.

Meeting Date: 8/25/2011 Department: Transportation

### Subject

Approve an ordinance amending Section 12-4-64 (D) of the City Code to delete a portion of West 5th Street from the table of streets as a school zone with a maximum speed limit of 25 miles per hour.

## Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$500.00 is available in the Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Operating Budget of the Child Safety Fund in the Public Works Department for deletion of existing signs and flashers.

#### Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
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# Additional Backup Information

The City of Austin School Safety Manual states that "When a signal or all-way stop is installed at a crossing where a reduced speed school zone was previously provided, the reduced speed school zone shall be removed." As a permanent traffic signal has been installed at the intersection of West 5th Street and Campbell Street, the Austin Transportation Department recommends deleting the following from the City Code Section 12-4-64 (D):

Amendment to Code Section 12-4-64 (D) (Table of Speed Limits):

**Delete:** 5th Street (West) from 150 feet west of Campbell Street to 50 feet east of Campbell Street. (Austin High School)