

**RESOLUTION NO. 20120405-048**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**WHEREAS**, the safety of the children in our community is of paramount importance; and

**WHEREAS**, Children's Optimal Health, in partnership with Dell Children's Medical Center, has released new data provided by the Dell Children's Trauma Registry, the Austin Police Department and other community stakeholders utilizing a GIS mapping tool that geographically displays the location of collisions in Austin involving children; and

**WHEREAS**, this resource can be used to improve safety for children, the community, and minimize injury risks; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

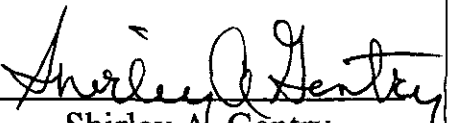
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The City Manager is directed to work with experts at Dell Children's Medical Center and Children's Optimal Health, the Texas Department of Transportation and neighborhood associations, community organizations, and residents to:

- 1) develop a comprehensive plan of action which includes evidence, informed strategies and a timeline to achieve necessary improvements;
- 2) communicate how injury risks are assessed, and discuss how these risks can be minimized by data analysis, engineering environmental changes and community education and awareness where significant numbers of accidents have been identified, and
- 3) report back to City Council in 90 days.

**ADOPTED:** April 5, 2012

**ATTEST:**

  
Shirley A. Gentry  
City Clerk