

# **Recommendation for Council Action**

Austin City Council Item ID 47799 Agenda Number 38.

Meeting Date: 8/6/2015 Department: Transportation

## Subject

Approve an ordinance amending City Code Section 12-4-64 (D) to establish a maximum speed limit of 40 miles per hour on Staked Plains Drive from Lakeline Boulevard to Avery Ranch Boulevard.

# Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$500.00 dollars for the installation of necessary signs is available in the Fiscal Year 2014-2015 Operating Budget of the Austin Transportation Department.

#### Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
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## Additional Backup Information

In order to modify or alter the existing speed limit of a street, Texas laws require that a traffic engineering investigation be performed. An investigation of Staked Plains Drive was conducted by the Traffic Engineering Division of the Austin Transportation Department in accordance with the procedures specified in the <u>Texas Procedures for Establishing Speed Zones, 2006</u>. The Traffic Engineering Division recommends adding the following amendment to City Code Section 12-4-64 (D) Table of Speed Limits:

Add: Staked Plains Drive from Lakeline Boulevard to Avery Ranch Boulevard. (40 MPH)