

AGENDA ITEM NO.: 16

AGENDA DATE: Thu 01/08/2004

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<u>SUBJECT:</u> Approve an ordinance amending City Code Section 12-4-24 by repealing the subsection relating to Highview Drive and adding Spring Lake Drive/Highview Drive, Glass Mountain Trail and Asmara Drive/High Hollow Drive to the list of streets having a maximum speed limit of 25 miles per hour; amending Section 12-4-41 by adding a portion of River Place Boulevard to the list of streets having a maximum speed limit of 35 miles per hour; and Section 12-4-43 by adding portions of River Place Boulevard and McNeil Drive to the list of streets having a maximum speed limit of 45 miles per hour.

AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funding in the amount of \$3000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2003-2004 Operating Budget of the Transportation, Planning & Sustainability Department for the installation of the appropriate speed limit signs.

FISCAL NOTE: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

REQUESTING Transportation, Planning DIRECTOR'S

DEPARTMENT: and Sustainability AUTHORIZATION: Austan Librach

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Samileh Mozafari, 974-7010; Sylvia Arzola, 974-6448

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

BOARD AND COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

In order to modify or alter the existing prima facie speed limit of a street, the Texas Traffic Laws require that a traffic engineering investigation be performed. The investigation was conducted by the Transportation, Planning & Sustainability Department in accordance with the procedures specified in the Texas Procedures for Establishing Speed Zones, 1997. As a result of this investigation, the Transportation Division recommends the following:

Amendment to Code Section 12-4-24 (25 MPH Speed Limit)

Repeal the subsection relating to Highview Drive from Crest Ridge Drive to Jolly Hollow Drive

Add Spring Lake Drive/Highview Drive from Spring Hollow Drive to Crest Ridge Circle

Add Glass Mountain Trail from Taterwood Drive to 1575 feet south of Taterwood Drive

Add Asmara Drive/High Hollow Drive from Jester Boulevard to the end of High Hollow Drive

Amendment to Code Section 12-4-41 (35 MPH Speed Limit)

Add River Place Boulevard from 732 feet south of Gold Yarrow Drive) to Four Points Drive

Amendment to Code Section 12-4-43 (45 MPH Speed Limit)

Add River Place Boulevard from Four Points Drive to 3240 feet north of Four Points Drive (end of roadway).

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Austin City Code Amendment CITY OF AUSTIN RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

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Add McNeil Drive from U.S. HWY 183 (Research Boulevard) to Parmer Lane (F.M. 734)

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ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 12-4-24 OF THE CITY CODE TO REPEAL THE SECTION RELATING TO HIGHVIEW DRIVE AND TO ADD PORTIONS OF SPRING LAKE DRIVE / HIGHVIEW DRIVE, GLASS MOUNTAIN TRAIL, AND ASMARA DRIVE / HIGH HOLLOW DRIVE TO THE LIST OF STREETS HAVING A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF 25 MILES PER HOUR; AMENDING SECTION 12-4-41 OF THE CITY CODE TO ADD A PORTION OF RIVER PLACE BOULEVARD TO THE LIST OF STREETS HAVING A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF 35 MILES PER HOUR; AND AMENDING SECTION 12-4-43 OF THE CITY CODE TO ADD PORTIONS OF MCNEIL DRIVE AND RIVER PLACE BOULEVARD TO THE LIST OF STREETS HAVING A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF 45 MILES PER HOUR.

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

- **PART 1.** Section 12-4-24 of the City Code is amended as follows:
 - (A) Repeal the section relating to Highview Drive from Crest Ridge Drive to Jolly Hollow Drive.
 - (B) Add:

Asmara Drive / High Hollow Drive from Jester Boulevard to the end of High Hollow Drive.

Glass Mountain Trail from Taterwood Drive to 1575 feet south of Taterwood Drive.

Spring Lake Drive / Highview Drive from Spring Hollow Drive to Crest Ridge Circle.

PART 2. Section 12-4-41 of the City Code is amended to add:

River Place Boulevard from 732 feet south of Gold Yarrow Drive to Four Points Drive.

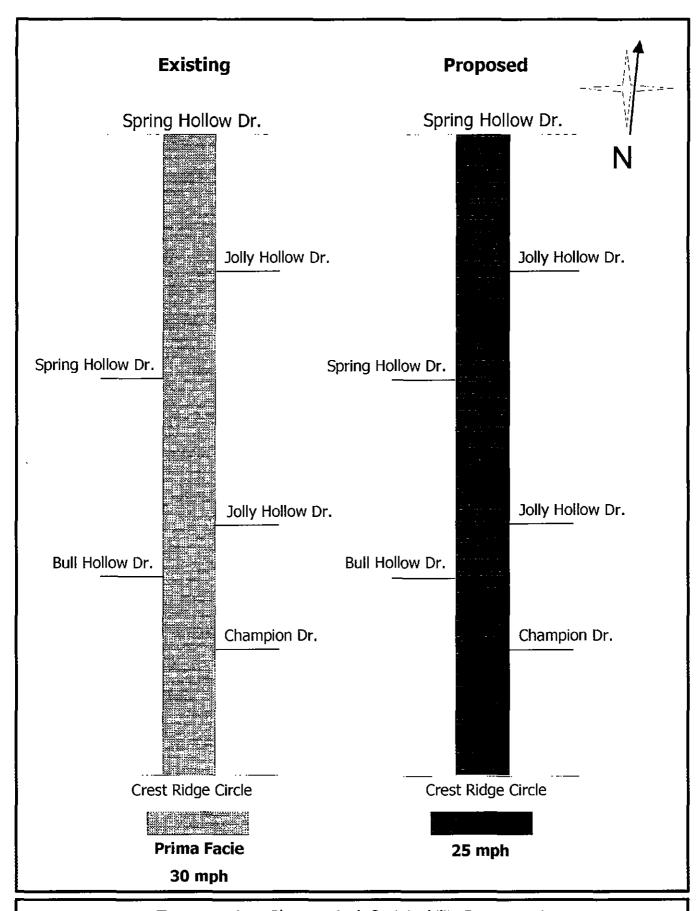
PART 3. Section 12-4-43 is amended to add:

McNeil Drive from U.S. Highway 183 (Research Boulevard) to Parmer Lane (F.M. 734).

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River Place Boulevard from Four Points Drive to 3240 feet north of Four Points Drive (end of roadway).

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PART 5. This ordinance takes effect on			_, 2003
PASSED AND APPROVED			
, 2004	& & & 	Will Wynn Mayor	
APPROVED:	ATTEST: _	Shirley A. Brown City Clerk	1



Transportation, Planning And Sustainability Department
Speed Zone Map
Spring Lake Drive/ Highview Drive