

A U S T I N C I T Y C O U N C I L  
**AGENDA**

Thursday, August 31, 2006

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RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****ITEM No. 21**

**Subject:** Approve an ordinance amending Section 12-4-41 of the City Code by adding Park Bend Drive from MoPac Expressway (Loop 1) Northbound Service Road to 1160 feet west of Cedar Bend Drive to the list of streets having a maximum speed limit of 35 miles per hour at all times.

**Amount and Source of Funding:** Funding in the amount of \$300 is available in the Fiscal Year 2005-2006 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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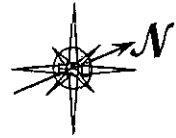
In order to modify or alter the existing prima facie speed limit of a street, the Texas traffic laws require that a traffic engineering investigation be performed. The investigation was conducted by the Public Works Department in accordance with the procedures specified in the Texas Procedures for Establishing Speed Zones. As a result of this investigation, the Transportation Division recommends the following:

Amendment to Code Section 12-4-41 (35 MPH Traffic Zone)

Add: Park Bend Drive from MoPac Expressway (Loop 1) Northbound Service Road to 1160 feet west of Cedar Bend Drive

## Existing

## Proposed



MoPac Expwy. (Loop 1)

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Renfert Way

Renfert Way

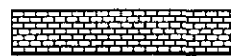
Cedar Bend Drive

Cedar Bend Drive

1160'



30 MPH



35 MPH

ORDINANCE NO.

1 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 12-4-41 OF THE CITY CODE TO ADD  
2 A PORTION OF PARK BEND DRIVE TO THE LIST OF STREETS HAVING A  
3 MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT OF 35 MILES PER HOUR.  
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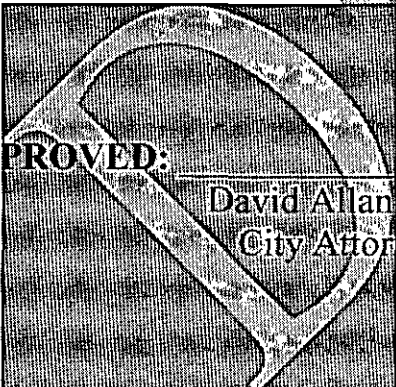
5 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:  
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7 **PART 1.** Section 12-4-41 (*Maximum Speed Limit of 35 Miles Per Hour*) of the City  
8 Code is amended to add Park Bend Drive from Loop 1 (MoPac Expressway) (North)  
9 East Frontage Road to 1,160 feet west of Cedar Bend Drive.

10 **PART 2.** The amendments made in this ordinance shall be incorporated in alphabetical  
11 order and the existing subsections renumbered accordingly.

12 **PART 3.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.  
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14 **PASSED AND APPROVED**  
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18 \_\_\_\_\_, 2006 §  
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20 Will Wynn  
21 Mayor  
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23 **APPROVED:**  **ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
24 David Allan Smith  
25 City Attorney  
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28 Shirley A. Gentry  
City Clerk