

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	61100	Agenda Number	68.
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Meeting Date:	8/18/2016	Department:	Transportation
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Subject

Approve an ordinance amending City Code Section 12-4-64 (D) to add a 25 mph school zone to a portion of Pearson Ranch Road for the safety of students attending Elsa England Elementary School; and provide for emergency passage.

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 2015-2016 Operating Budget of the Austin Transportation Department.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

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. Traffic Conditions, pedestrian routes, and proximity to Elsa England Elementary School were evaluated on Pearson Ranch Road by the Austin Transportation Department to determine if modifications were appropriate to improve the safety for the students attending this school. Based on this investigation, the Austin Transportation Department recommends adding the following to City Code Section 12-4-64(D) (Table of Speed Limits):

Add: Pearson Ranch Road from 200 feet north of Iveans Way to 28 feet south of Iveans Way (Austin City Limit). (25 MPH)