

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Streets and Maintenance

AGENDA DATE: September 26, 2023

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: October 10, 2023

CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Jiann-Shing Yang, Streets and Maintenance 915-212-7069

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: Districts 1

STRATEGIC GOAL: 7 – Enhance and Sustain El Paso's Infrastructure Network

SUBGOAL: 7.3 – Enhance a regional comprehensive transportation system

SUBJECT:

An Ordinance amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV-Speed Limits), to amend Paragraph H (Forty Five Miles Per Hour) Item 19. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED; and to amend Paragraph (Forty Five Miles Per Hour) Item 30. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED; and to amend Paragraph F (Thirty Five Miles Per Hour) to ADD Item 107. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road; and to amend Paragraph F (Thirty Five Miles Per Hour) to ADD Item 108. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road; the penalty being provided in Chapter 12.84 of the El Paso City Code.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

Streets and Maintenance Department requests to reduce the speed limit on Upper Valley Road and Westside Drive, from Country Club Road to Borderland Road, from 45 MPH to 35 MPH, based on the results of a strip map speed zone study. The request aligns with Vision Zero and Complete Street initiative to make City roadways safe.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

On August 5, 2003 City Council approved revising speed limit from to Forty-Five MPH on Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road

On October 16, 1990 City Council approved to establish the speed limit of Forty-Five MPF on Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:


Richard Bristol, Director, Streets and Maintenance

9-11-23

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.150 (SCHEDULE XIV-SPEED LIMITS), TO AMEND PARAGRAPH H (FORTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) Item 19. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED; AND TO AMEND PARAGRAPH H (FORTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) Item 30. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED; AND TO AMEND PARAGRAPH F (THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) TO ADD Item 107. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road; AND TO AMEND PARAGRAPH F (THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) TO ADD Item 108. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road; THE PENALTY BEING PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 12.84 OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

SECTION 1. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV-Speed limits), Paragraph H (FORTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) Item 19. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED

SECTION 2. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV-Speed limits), Paragraph H (FORTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) Item 30. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road, be DELETED

SECTION 3. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV-Speed limits), Paragraph F (THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) TO ADD Item 107. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road

SECTION 4. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV-Speed limits), Paragraph F (THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR) TO ADD Item 108. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road

SECTION 5. Except as herein amended, Title 12 of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

ORDINANCE NO. _____

ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2023.

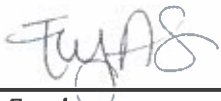
CITY OF EL PASO

Oscar Leeser, Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Evy A. Sotelo
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Richard Bristol
Streets & Maintenance Department

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