

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



DEPARTMENT: STREETS AND MAINTENANCE

AGENDA DATE: 02/25/2025

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: 03/04/2025

CONTACT PERSON NAME: Joshua Lerma, Planner

PHONE NUMBER: 915-212-7049

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 5

STRATEGIC GOAL:

7 – Enhance and Sustain El Paso's Infrastructure Network

SUBGOAL:

7.3 – Enhance a regional comprehensive transportation system

SUBJECT:

Amend Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), 12.88 (Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits), Subsection F (Thirty-five miles per hour), to ADD ITEM: 110. Justice Street, from Montana Avenue to the north City Limits

Amend Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), 12.88 (Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits) Subsection G (Forty miles per hour), to DELETE ITEM: 47. Justice Street, from Edgemere Boulevard to the south City Limits

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Streets and Maintenance Department are requesting to lower the speed limit along Justice Street, from Montana Avenue to the north City Limits from the existing 40 MPH to 35 MPH. This speed reduction was recommended by City Traffic Engineer after a radar study was conducted and aligns with Vision Zero framework utilizing Safe Systems Approach.

COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH:

N/A

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

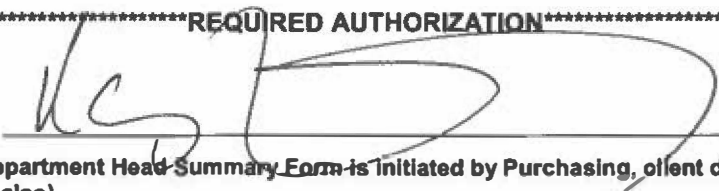
REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

N/A

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)

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

DEPARTMENT HEAD:


2-4-25
(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), 12.88.150 (SCHEDULES XIV – SPEED LIMITS), SUBSECTION F (THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR), TO ADD ITEM 110: JUSTICE STREET, FROM MONTANA AVENUE TO NORTH CITY LIMITS; AND AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), 12.88.150 (SCHEDULES XIV – SPEED LIMITS), SUBSECTION G (FORTY MILES PER HOUR), TO DELETE ITEM 47. JUSTICE STREET, FROM EDMERE BOULEVARD TO THE SOUTH CITY LIMITS.

WHEREAS, traffic engineering study results show that vehicles are traveling below the existing 40 MPH speed limit on Justice Street; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance amendment will corroborate the traffic engineering study results.

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

SECTION 1. Amend Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), 12.88 (Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits), Subsection F (Thirty-five miles per hour), to Add Item:

1. Alabama Street from Federal Avenue to Jefferson Avenue,
2. – 107,
108. Upper Valley Road between Country Club Road and Borderland Road,
109. Westside Drive between Country Club Road and Borderland Road,
110. Justice Street, from Montana Avenue to the north City Limits;

SECTION 2. Amend Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), 12.88 (Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits) Subsection G (Forty miles per hour), to Delete Item:

1. Deleted,
2. – 44,
45. Angora Loop South, from Dyer Street to Railroad Drive,
46. Paseo Del Norte Drive, between Desert North Boulevard and Resler Drive,

SECTION 3. Except as herein amended, Title 12 of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2025.


CITY OF EL PASO

Renard U. Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST:


Laura D. Prine, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Mona M. Heydarian
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Randy Garcia, Interim Director
Streets and Maintenance Department



**Ordinance Amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88
(Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits), Subsection F (35
M.P.H.) and Subsection G (40 M.P.H.) – Justice Street**

**Streets and Maintenance Department
Joshua E. Lerma, Planner
March 4, 2025**

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Goal 7 – Enhance and Sustain El Paso’s Infrastructure Network

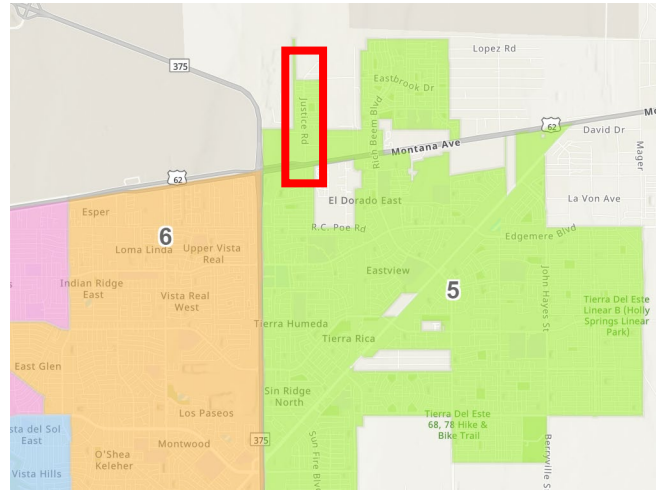
Sub-goal 7.3 – Enhance a regional comprehensive transportation system



Location

Justice Street, from Montana Avenue to the north City Limits

District 5



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Ordinance Amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), 12.88.150 (Schedules XIV – Speed Limits);

Purpose of Amendment(s)

Subsection G (40 M.P.H.) (Delete)

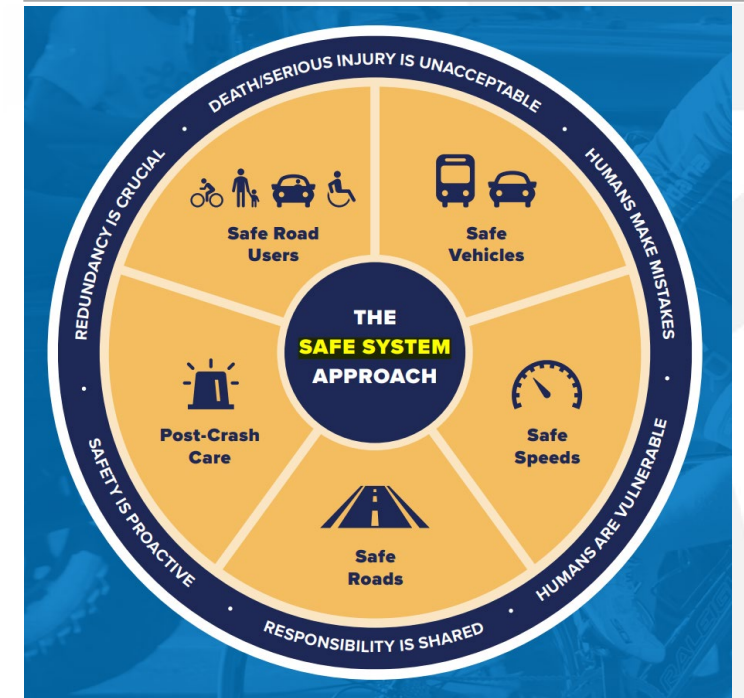
- Correct the Code of Ordinances

Subsection F (35 M.P.H.) (Add)

- Constituent request to evaluate speeding
- Speed reduction recommended by City Traffic Engineer
- Aligns with Vision Zero framework utilizing Safe System Approach

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Safe System Approach – El Paso Vision Zero Action Plan

Streets and Maintenance Department

Ordinance Amending Title 12.88.150

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Requested Council Action:

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Streets and Maintenance Department

Ordinance Amending Title 12.88.150

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MISSION



Deliver exceptional services to support a high quality of life and place for our community.

VISION



Develop a vibrant regional economy, safe and beautiful neighborhoods and exceptional recreational, cultural and educational opportunities powered by a high performing government.



VALUES

Integrity, **R**espect, **E**xcellence,
Accountability, **P**eople

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MISIÓN



Brindar servicios excepcionales para respaldar una vida y un lugar de alta calidad para nuestra comunidad

VISIÓN



Desarrollar una economía regional vibrante, vecindarios seguros y hermosos y oportunidades recreativas, culturales y educativas excepcionales impulsadas por un gobierno de alto desempeño



VALORES

Integridad, Respeto, Excelencia,
Responsabilidad, Personas

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