

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

**DEPARTMENT:**        **Engineering Traffic Division**

**AGENDA DATE:**     **Introduction: January 5, 2010; Public Hearing: January 12, 2010**

**CONTACT PERSON/PHONE:** **Ted Marquez, (915) 541-4035, Marqueztx@elpasotexas.gov**

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 8**

**SUBJECT:**

An Ordinance amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section III (Parking Prohibited at All Times on Certain Streets) of the El Paso City Code, by amending Number 34, "Schuster Avenue between Oregon Street and Campbell Street, both sides" to "Schuster Avenue between Campbell Street to its terminus at the west end, both sides" and to delete Number 88 "Schuster Avenue from Sun Bowl Road to Hawthorne Street, both sides"; The penalty being as provided in Section 12.84.010 (Violation –Penalty) of the El Paso City Code.  
**(DISTRICT 8)**

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

The purpose of this ordinance is to provide an extra lane of traffic in both directions on Schuster Avenue. The ordinance amends the existing no parking restriction on Schuster Avenue to include the portion between Hawthorne Street and Oregon Street and to include the portion of Schuster west of Sun Bowl Road. It also deletes another restricted area on Schuster Avenue which is being incorporated in the amendment.

The University of Texas at El Paso is in support of this ordinance. Traffic Engineering recommends approval of this ordinance.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

N/A

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

\$1,887.00/ General Fund

**BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:**

N/A

\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*

**LEGAL:** (if required) \_\_\_\_\_ **FINANCE:** (if required) \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPROVED FOR AGENDA:**

**CITY MANAGER:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.030 SCHEDULE III (PARKING PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, BY AMENDING NUMBER 34 "SCHUSTER AVENUE BETWEEN OREGON STREET AND CAMPBELL STREET, BOTH SIDES" TO "SCHUSTER AVENUE BETWEEN CAMPBELL STREET TO ITS TERMINUS AT THE WEST END, BOTH SIDES" AND TO DELETE NUMBER 88 "SCHUSTER AVENUE FROM SUN BOWL ROAD TO HAWTHORNE STREET, BOTH SIDES"; THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.84.010 (VIOLATION--PENALTY) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:**

1. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.030 (Schedule III – Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended to replace 34. "Schuster Avenue between Oregon Street and Campbell Street, both sides" with:

Number 34. Schuster Avenue between Campbell Street to its terminus at the west end, both sides.

2. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.030 (Schedule III – Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended to delete Number 88 "Schuster Avenue from Sun Bowl Road to Hawthorne Street, both sides."

3. Except as expressly herein amended, Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.030 (Schedule III, Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets) of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.**

THE CITY OF EL PASO:

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John F. Cook, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Mark Shoesmith  
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

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R. Alan Shubert, P.E.  
City Engineer

CITY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC DIVISION

COST ESTIMATES

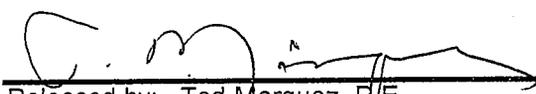
Project: Schuster No Parking

DATE: December 3, 2009

SCOPE: INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

PROJECT COST SUMMARY	
TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES	\$990
PAVEMENT MARKINGS	
LABOR COST	\$807
ADMINISTRATIVE COST	\$90
<b>TOTAL PROJECT COST</b>	<b>\$1,887</b>
Dept. ID : 32010287	Fund : 01101
Account No. : 503203	Location / Class : 32000

  
Report by: Keith Bennett  
Traffic Control Planner

  
Released by: Ted Marquez, P/E.  
Assistant City Engineer



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December 10, 2009

Mr. Ted Marquez, Assistant City Engineer  
City of El Paso  
Traffic Division, Engineering Department  
2 Civic Center Plaza  
El Paso, TX 79901

Dear Mr. Marquez:

The University of Texas at El Paso requests that The City of El Paso Engineering department consider the removal of street parking along Schuster Avenue between Hawthorne and Oregon Streets.

Additionally, we propose the creation of one additional traffic lane in each direction, providing two traffic lanes in each direction. The University owns the property on both sides of Schuster Avenue in the 300 block and we can accommodate University parking needs through the parking lots that are currently in place, as well as an additional parking lot that will be in place by fall 2010 and an additional parking garage on Schuster Avenue scheduled for completion in August 2011.

The proposed changes should alleviate vehicular congestion along Schuster Avenue as well as minimize student pedestrian traffic along the road as vehicles are stationed along the street.

UTEP will support the City in the endeavor of this project. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gregory L. McNicol', written in a cursive style.

Gregory L. McNicol, AIA  
Associate Vice President for Business Affairs

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# Schuster No Parking Ordinance

