

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

DEPARTMENT: ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT/TRAFFIC DIVISION
AGENDA DATE: April 25, 2006
CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: TED MARQUEZ 541-4035 *T.M.*
DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: Districts 6

SUBJECT: ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.150 (SCHEDULE XIV, SPEED LIMITS), SUBSECTION "G" (FORTY MILES PER HOUR) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE TO ADD ZARAGOZA ROAD, FROM SOCORRO ROAD TO AMERICAS AVENUE NORTH. THE PENALTY IS AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.84.010 OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

This Ordinance was initiated upon request of a citizen to evaluate the current speed limit on Zaragoza Road south of Socorro Road. The old 30MPH speed limit was based on a narrow street. The street has been reconstructed to a wider section requiring a new 40MPH speed limit to be established. For the most part, Zaragoza Rod is fronted by Mount Carmel Cemetery on the east and Kennedy Estates on the west. The school zone on Zaragoza, north of Socorro will not be affected.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING: See attached cost estimate

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

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

LEGAL: (if required) _____ **FINANCE:** (if required) _____

DEPARTMENT HEAD: *Gene Ray*
(Example: if RCA is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)
Information copy to appropriate Deputy City Manager

APPROVED FOR AGENDA: _____

CITY MANAGER: _____ **DATE:** _____

ORDINANCE NO. _____

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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 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV, Speed limits), Subsection "G" (Forty miles per hour) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended to add the subparagraph as follows:

G. Forty miles per hour:

Add:

Zaragoza Road, from Socorro Road to Americas Avenue North.

2. Except as expressly herein amended, Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.150 (Schedule XIV, Speed limits) of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2006.

CITY OF EL PASO:

John F. Cook
Mayor

ATTEST:

Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Theresa Cullen-Garney

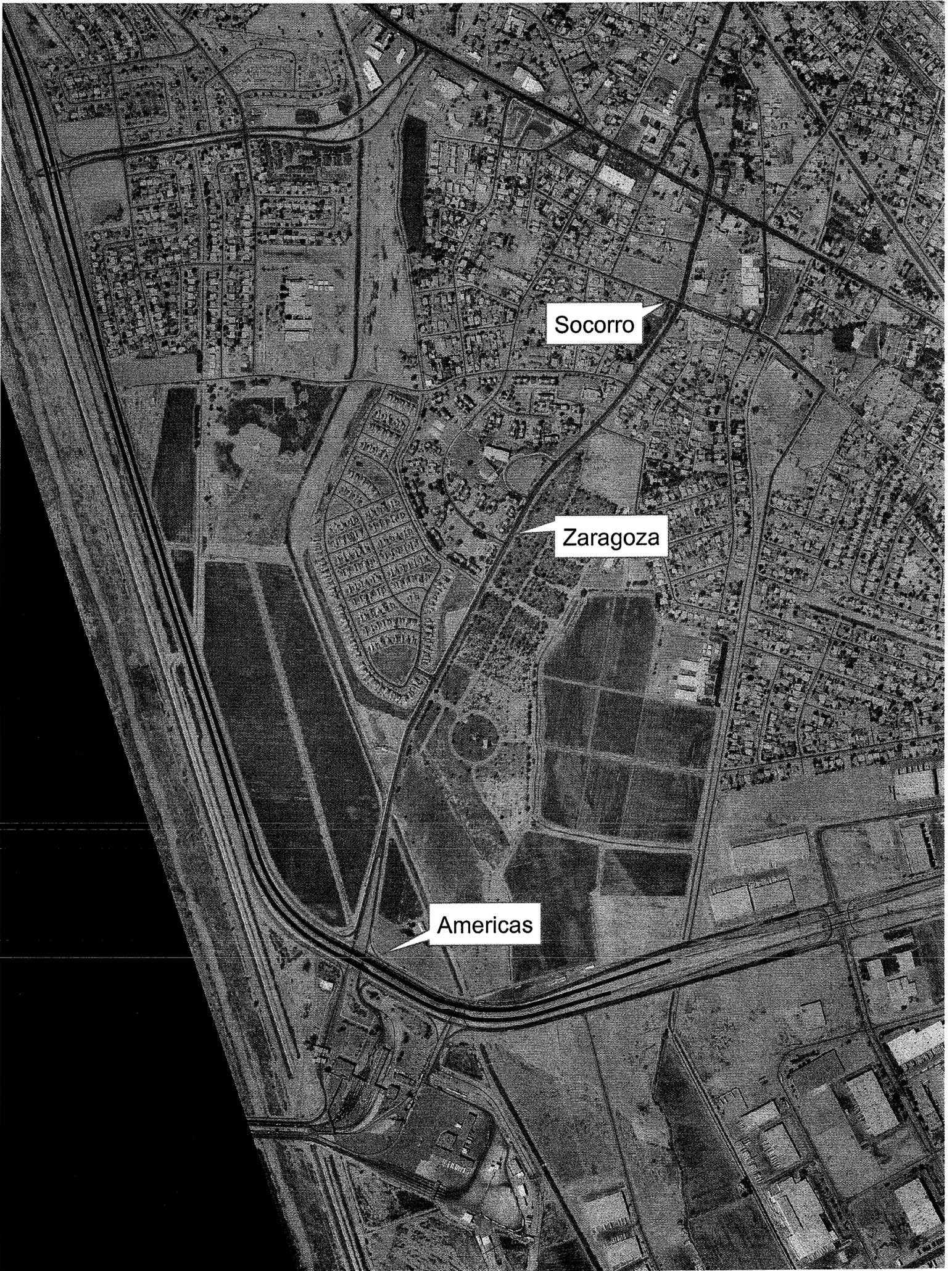
Theresa Cullen-Garney
Deputy City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Rick Conner

for Rick Conner, P.E.
City Engineer

CM



Socorro

Zaragoza

Americas

CITY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC DIVISION

COST ESTIMATES

Zaragoza Speed Limit Change

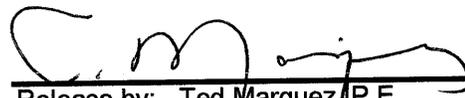
DATE: March 28, 2006

SCOPE: INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES / PAVEMENT MARKINGS

PROJECT COST SUMMARY	
TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES	\$270
PAVEMENT MARKINGS	
LABOR COST	\$68
ADMINISTRATIVE COST	
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$338
Dept. ID : 32010287	Fund : 01101
Account Number : 503203	Location / Class : 32000

RECEIPT OF PAYMENT IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF WORK ORDER


Report by: Keith Bennett


Release by: Ted Marquez, P.E.
Traffic Engineer Division Manager