

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

DEPARTMENT: Engineering Department, Traffic Division
AGENDA DATE: May 20, 2008
CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Ted Marquez, 541-4035
DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: District 3

SUBJECT: ORDINANCE (Doc. # 39359)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEULES), SECTION 12.88.180 (NO STOPPING OR STANDING-TOW-AWAY ZONE), OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, TO ADD PARAGRAPH K.; NO PARKING OR STANDING, 9:00 P.M. – 2:00 A.M., TOW-AWAY ZONE, PERMIT ONLY, ON METTLER DRIVE, FROM HAWKINS BOULEVARD TO CESSNA DRIVE AND HOPEWELL DRIVE, FROM HAWKINS BOULEVARD TO CESSNA DRIVE, AND SUNBURST DRIVE, FROM METTLER DRIVE TO HOPEWELL DRIVE, AND TO PROVIDE THAT VEHICLES BE TOWED. THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.88.180 (VIOLATION--PENALTY) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

This ordinance is being amended at the request of the residents in the area that want to include Tow-Away zone on Mettler Drive to Hopewell, from Hawkins Boulevard to Cessna Drive and Hopewell Drive, from Hawkins Boulevard to Cessna Drive and Sunburst Drive, from Mettler Drive to Hopewell Drive . The Engineering Traffic Division recommends this ordinance be amended.

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: _____


(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. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.180 (NO STOPPING OR STANDING-TOW-AWAY ZONE), OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, TO ADD PARAGRAPH K.; NO PARKING OR STANDING, 9:00 P.M. – 2:00 A.M., TOW-AWAY ZONE, PERMIT ONLY, ON METTLER DRIVE, FROM HAWKINS BOULEVARD TO CESSNA DRIVE AND HOPEWELL DRIVE, FROM HAWKINS BOULEVARD TO CESSNA DRIVE, AND SUNBURST DRIVE, FROM METTLER DRIVE TO HOPEWELL DRIVE, AND TO PROVIDE THAT VEHICLES BE TOWED. THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.88.180 (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 12.88.180 (No stopping or standing – tow-away zone) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended to add the following paragraph:

12.88.180 No stopping or standing- Tow-away zone.

K. When signs are erected in the following locations reading substantially, “No Parking or Standing, 9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m., Tow-away Zone, Permit Only”, no person, except a person who holds a valid parking permit, shall stop, park, or stand any vehicle on the following parts of streets between 9:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m., on any day, including, but not limited to Sundays and holidays:

1. Mettler Drive, from Hawkins Boulevard to Cessna Drive;
2. Hopewell Drive, from Hawkins Boulevard to Cessna Drive;
3. Sunburst Drive, from Mettler Drive to Hopewell Drive.

2. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.180 (No stopping or standing – tow-away zone), Paragraph F and G of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended as follows:

F. Any person violating any provision of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

G. The police department is directed to cause to be towed away any vehicle found parked or standing in violation of this section; and the owner of such vehicle shall be civilly liable to the person doing such towing for the reasonable cost thereof.

3. Except as expressly herein amended, Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.180 (No stopping or standing – tow-away zone) of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____ 2008.

CITY OF EL PASO:

John F. Cook
Mayor

ATTEST:

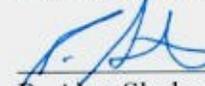
Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Cynthia Osborn
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



R. Alan Shubert, P.E.
City Engineer

Residential Parking District Zone S



CITY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC DIVISION

COST ESTIMATES

Project: Zone S, No Parking, Tow Away Zone, 9:00pm - 2:00am

DATE: May 15, 2008

SCOPE: INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

PROJECT COST SUMMARY

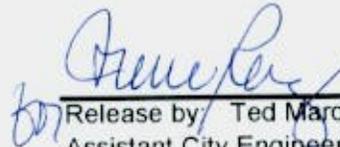
TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES	\$722
PAVEMENT MARKINGS	
LABOR COST	\$1,663
ADMINISTRATIVE COST	\$119
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$2,504

Dept. ID : 32010287
Account No. : 503203

Fund : 01101
Location / Class : 32000



Report by: Keith Bennet
Traffic Control Planner



Release by: Ted Marquez, P.E.
Assistant City Engineer

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ESTIMATED MATERIAL COST					
COLD PLASTIC - L.F.					
PAVEMENT MARKINGS	WHITE SOLID	WHITE BROKEN	YELLOW BROKEN	YELLOW DOUBLE	ESTIMATED COST
STREET					
SUBTOTAL					

**** MATERIAL COST IN PLACE: WHITE /YELLOW- BROKEN & SOLID @ 1.10 L. F.
DOUBLE YELLOW @ 2.15 L.F.**

ESTIMATED LABOR COST				
EMPLOYEE / VEHICLE	CLASSIFICATION / GRADE	HOURLY COST	TOTAL HOURS	ESTIMATE COST
SIGN CREW				
TRAFFIC SIGNS & MKR TECH	GS-47	14.79	34	679.06
TRADES HELPER	GS-45	12.44	34	571.08
UNIT529		9.00	34	413.10
PAINT CREW				
TRAFFIC SIGNS & MKR TECH	GS-47	14.79		
TRADES HELPER	GS-45	12.44		
TRADES HELPER	GS-45	12.44		
UNIT 570		14.00		
SUBTOTAL				\$1,663

NOTE:

HOURLY COST INCLUDE EMPLOYEE'S BENEFITS

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TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE	UNIT COST	ESTIMATED QUANTITY	** MOUNT		HARDWARE	ESTIMATED COST
			12 Ft @ \$19.00	10.5 Ft @ \$17.00	CLAMPS @ \$2.00	
Tow-Away	5.29	62			62	451.98
12x18(R7-107C)	24.00	6		6	12	270.00
12x24	18.00					
18x24	27.00					
24x24	36.00					
24" Stop	36.00					
24x30	45.00					
30" Yield	57.00					
30" Pentagon	57.00					
30" Stop	57.00					
30" Railroad	57.00					
30x30	57.00					
30x36	68.00					
36x8	50.00					
36x12	27.00					
36" Yield	82.00					
36" Pentagon	82.00					
36" Stop	82.00					
36" Railroad	82.00					
36x36	82.00					
36x24	54.00					
36x48	110.00					
48x24	73.00					
48x30	91.00					
48x48	145.00					
***9"SNS Arterial	64.00					
*3 Panel Barricade	145.00					
TOTAL			68		6	74
SUBTOTAL						\$722

* (1.) COST OF 3-PANEL BARRICADE INCLUDE ALL MATERIALS

** (2.) SIGN MOUNTS INCLUDES CONCRETE MIX

*** (3.) STREET NAME SIGNS INCLUDE SIGN ASSEMBLY