

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

**DEPARTMENT:** ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT/TRAFFIC DIVISION

**AGENDA DATE:** November 4, 2008

**CONTACT PERSON/PHONE:** TED MARQUEZ/ 541-4035 *C.M.*

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** District 8

**SUBJECT:** ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.010 SCHEDULE I (ONE WAY STREETS) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, BY DELETING NUMBER 38, OREGON STREET FROM ARIZONA AVENUE TO SAN ANTONIO AVENUE; THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.84.010 (VIOLATION--PENALTY) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

**BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:**

This request to rescind the existing One-Way Ordinance due to Oregon Street being converted to two-way traffic to incorporate the Bus Rapid Transit Program. The Engineering Traffic Division recommends that this ordinance be approved.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:** N/A

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:** N/A

**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. \_\_\_\_\_

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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 12.88.010 (Schedule I – One Way Streets) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended to delete the following street from the streets presently listed in Schedule I, One Way Streets.

38. Oregon Street: Southbound from Arizona Avenue to San Antonio Avenue. Provided one lane on the east side of Oregon Street between Mills Avenue and Main Drive, separated by a median from the rest of the roadway, shall be northbound and for the use of buses only. No person shall drive any vehicle except a bus in said east lane, and no person shall drive a bus therein except in a northerly direction.

2. Except as expressly herein amended, Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.010 (Schedule I, One Way Streets) of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.

THE CITY OF EL PASO:

ATTEST:

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John F. Cook, Mayor

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Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: .

  
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Mark Shoemith  
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

  
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R. Alan Shubert, P.E.  
City Engineer

**JOHN COOK**  
**MAYOR**



**CITY COUNCIL**  
ANN MORGAN LILLY, DISTRICT 1  
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EMMA ACOSTA, DISTRICT 3  
MELINA CASTRO, DISTRICT 4  
RACHAEL QUINTANA, DISTRICT 5  
EDDIE HOLGUIN JR., DISTRICT 6  
STEVE ORTEGA, DISTRICT 7  
BETO O'ROURKE, DISTRICT 8

**JOYCE WILSON**  
**CITY MANAGER**

**ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**

**October 24, 2008**

**TO:** Mark Shosmith, Assistant City Attorney  
**FROM:** Ted Marquez, P.E., Assistant City Engineer *TM*  
**SUBJECT:** Rescind One-Way Ordinance – Oregon Street

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It is requested that an ordinance be drafted amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88.010 Schedule I—One-way Streets of the El Paso City Code, to be amended to delete street:

**Delete:**

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Oregon Street is being converted to two-way traffic to incorporate the Bus Rapid Transit program. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at extension 4035.

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C: Engineering Dept., Traffic Div. Location File



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