

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

DEPARTMENT: Department of Transportation
AGENDA DATE: Introduction: June 9, 2015
Public Hearing: June 16, 2015
CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Ted Marquez, Director, Department of Transportation (915) 212-7015
DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 8

**STRATEGIC GOAL: No. 3: Promote the Visual Image of El Paso
No. 7: Enhance and Sustain El Paso's Infrastructure Network**

SUBJECT:

Approve an ordinance amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.200 (Schedule XVII – Restrictions on Parking in Residential Districts) of the El Paso City Code to add the area bounded by Resler Drive, Escondido Drive, Westwind Drive, Northwind Drive and Cloudview Drive, the penalty being as provided in section 12.84.010 and Chapter 12.85 of the El Paso City Code.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The request for parking restrictions near Coronado High School was initiated by residents due to students parking on residential streets during school hours, blocking residents' driveways and leaving behind trash. The quality of life of these residents is being negatively impacted by a lack of available parking on school days between 7:00am and 4:00pm, inability to access their own driveways, and a visually unattractive neighborhood. Restricting parking on school days will make parking more available to residents, will enhance their quality of life and improve the visual impression of the community.

SELECTION SUMMARY:

N/A

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

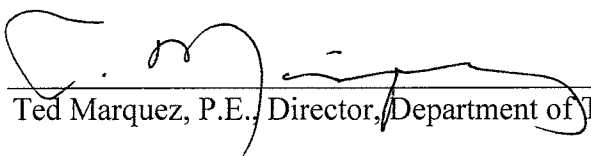
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Funding Source: N/A
Amount: N/A

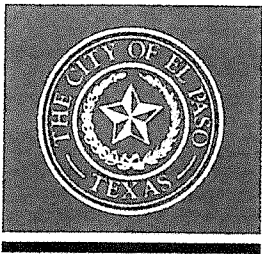
BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:

N/A

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

DEPARTMENT HEAD:


Ted Marquez, P.E., Director, Department of Transportation



Department of Transportation

Mayor

Oscar Leaser

DATE: May 12, 2015

TO: Lauren Ferris, Assistant City Attorney

FROM: Rudy Pino, P.E., Division Manager *R.P.*

City Council

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Ann Morgan Lilly

District 2
Larry Romero

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SUBJECT: Residential Parking District Ordinance

It is requested that an ordinance be drafted amending Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.200 Schedule XVII—Restrictions on parking in residential districts, of the El Paso City Code, to add new locations.

Zone K: No Parking 7:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M., School Days

Add:

Area bounded by: Resler Drive, Escondido Drive, Westwind Drive, Northwind Drive and Clouldview Drive.

City Manager

Tommy Gonzalez

Ted Marquez, Director
7968 San Paulo | El Paso, Texas 79907 | (915) 212-0118

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ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.200 (SCHEDULE XVII – RESTRICTIONS ON PARKING IN RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS), ZONE K (NO PARKING, 7:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M., SCHOOL DAYS ONLY), OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, TO ADD THE AREA BOUNDED BY RESLER DRIVE, ESCONDIDO DRIVE, WESTWIND DRIVE, NORTHWIND DRIVE AND CLOUDVIEW DRIVE, THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.84.010 AND CHAPTER 12.85 OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

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

Section 1. That Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.200 (Schedule XVII – Restrictions on parking in residential districts), Zone K (No parking, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., school days only), of the El Paso City Code, is amended to add the following streets:

Zone K: No parking, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., school days only

Area bounded by: Resler Drive, Escondido Drive, Westwind Drive, Northwind Drive and Cloudview Drive

ADOPTED THIS ____ day of _____, 2015.


CITY OF EL PASO:

Oscar Leaser
Mayor

ATTEST:

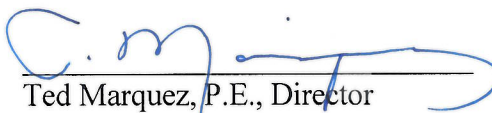
Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Lauren Ferris
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



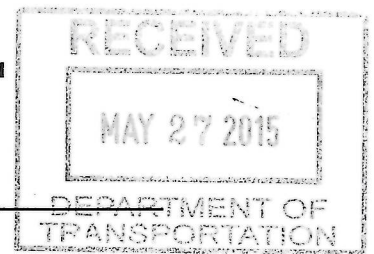
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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

7968 San Paulo Drive
EL Paso, TX 79907

APPLICATION TO CREATE A RESIDENTIAL PARKING DISTRICT



In accordance with City of El Paso City Code, 12.44.280, "**Restriction on parking in residential districts**", property owners may request the City of El Paso, Traffic Engineering Division, to create a residential parking district by completing this form.

Applicant's Name: <u>Geraldine Hatch</u>		Home
Property Address: <u>6740 Mariposa Dr.</u>		Work F
		Email:
Description of problems and proposed location for residential parking district: <u>Although my driveway is not blocked by students cars, my trash could not be picked up one day due to cars parked on the street no room for vehicle to empty receptacle also entering El Puente is hazardous due to limited viewing of approaching cars due to</u>		
Applicant's Signature: <u>Geraldine Hatch</u>		Date: <u>5-22-15</u>
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY		
The Traffic Engineering Division shall evaluate the proposed location for the criteria set by 12.44.280 C2		
a.) Non-residents utilize more than 60% of available curbside parking at the same times and days throughout a week or portion of a week.		
b.) Commercial, governmental, industrial or educational facilities exist close enough		
c.) Unreasonable burdens exist for the residents in securing adequate on-street parking and gaining access to their places of residence		
d.) An inadequate number of parking spaces exist for residents and non-residents to park their vehicles in the block or blocks		
e.) There is a need for the residents to obtain on-street parking adjacent to or close by their home		
f.) A safety issue has been identified because of congested street parking		
g.) A parking permit system would alleviate the lack of parking for residents		
h.) The blocks in the proposed district are zoned as a Light Density Residential District		

Comments: It's just an eyesore!
I have to be so careful when exiting
my driveway cars are parked bumper to
bumper on both sides of my street.
~~It~~ need ever arose no emergency vehicle
could access my home due to parking on both sides

Traffic Engineer's Signature:

Date:

Mariposa
Dr.



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TRANSPORTATION

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Applicant's Name: <i>Bula Ballard and N.J. Gradskey</i>	Home Phone: [REDACTED]
Property Address: <i>239 El Puente Dr. El Paso, TX 79912</i>	Work Phone: [REDACTED]
	Email: [REDACTED]
Description of problems and proposed location for residential parking district: <i>Overflow student parking from Coronado High School creates dangerous driving conditions, restricts access of emergency vehicles, does not allow for visitor parking and creates excessive noise and copious amounts of trash in the street. This occurs 4 times daily due to arrival, departure at lunch time, return after lunch and departure after school. El Puente becomes congested and dangerous! Can the bridge withstand the weight</i>	
Applicant's Signature: <i>N.J. Gradskey</i>	Date: <i>May 21, 2015</i>
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
The Traffic Engineering Division shall evaluate the proposed location for the criteria set by 12.44.280 C2	
a.) Non-residents utilize more than 60% of available curbside parking at the same times and days throughout a week or portion of a week.	
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Comments:

Traffic Engineer's Signature:

Date:

Before Shot- Cloudview Dr. WB

Morning before school at 7:00am



After Shot- Cloudview Dr. WB

Morning during school at 8:30am



Before Shot- El Puente NB

Morning before school at 7:00am



After Shot- El Puente NB

Morning during school at 8:30am



Before Shot- Mariposa EB and El Puente

Morning before school at 7:00am



After Shot- Mariposa EB and El Puente

Morning during school at 8:30am



After Shot- Mariposa WB and El Puente

Morning during school at 8:30am

