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

DEPARTMENT:

Engineering Department, Traffic Division

AGENDA DATE:

Introduction 11/03/2009, Public Hearing 11/10/2009

CONTACT PERSON/PHONE:

Ted Marquez, 541-4035

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:

2, 5 and 6

SUBJECT:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC), CHAPTER 12.88 (SCHEDULES), SECTION 12.88.110 (SCHEDULE IX- SPECIAL TRUCK ROUTES FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIAL - CARRYING VEHICLES) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE BY AMENDING THE ROUTES ON LOOP 375, AMERICAS AVENUE (LOOP 375 FRONTAGE), JOE BATTLE BOULEVARD (LOOP 375 FRONTAGE) AND ZARAGOZA ROAD AND ADDING SPUR 601 BETWEEN PATRIOT FREEWAY (U.S. 54) AND LOOP 375; THE PENALTY BEING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 12.84.010 (VIOLATION--PENALTY) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

Engineering Department, Traffic Division is submitting this ordinance to add SPUR 601. between Patriot Freeway and Loop 375 as a new hazardous cargo route. This ordinance also amends or corrects existing hazardous cargo routes distinguishing between Loop 375 and its frontage roads of Joe Battle Boulevard and Americas Avenue.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

DEPARTMENT HEAD:

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should sign also)

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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 12.88.110 (Schedule IX Special truck routes for hazardous material carrying vehicles) of the El Paso City Code shall be and hereby is amended by deleting numbers 4, 5, 6 and 8 and replacing them with the following:
 - 4. Loop 375 between U.S. 54 (Patriot Freeway) and Railroad Drive.
 - 5. Americas Avenue (Loop 375 Frontage) between Zaragoza Road and Interstate Highway 10.
 - 6. Joe Battle Boulevard (Loop 375 Frontage) between Interstate Highway 10 and Montana Avenue (U.S. 62/180).
 - 8. Zaragoza Road (FM 659) between east city limits and its north intersection with Joe Battle Boulevard (Loop 375 Frontage).

And adding the following

- 19. SPUR 601 between Patriot Freeway (U.S. 54) and Loop 375 (Purple Heart Highway).
- 2. Except as expressly herein amended, Title 12 (Vehicles and Traffic), Chapter 12.88 (Schedules), Section 12.88.110 (Schedule IX Special truck routes for hazardous material carrying vehicles) of the El Paso City Code shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF ______, 2009.

THE CITY OF EL PASO:

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John	F. (Cook,	Mayo	r

ATTEST:

Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark Shoesmith

Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Ted Marquez, P.E. Assistant City Engineer