

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-O-197

SETTING THE MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS ON THAT PORTION OF MCPHERSON ROAD BETWEEN SHILOH DRIVE AND BOB BULLOCK LOOP, WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF LAREDO, WEBB COUNTY, TEXAS, AS 40 MPH, BASED ON AN IN-HOUSE SPEED ZONE STUDY CONDUCTED BY THE CITY OF LAREDO TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVISION, ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, state law requires that an Engineering and Traffic investigation serve as the basis for a City to alter a speed limit; and

WHEREAS, the City of Laredo Traffic Safety Division, Engineering Department has undertaken a thorough traffic investigation of that portion of McPherson Road lying within the city limits of Laredo, Webb County, Texas, utilizing Texas State Department of Highways and Public Transportation procedures; and

WHEREAS, a speed study and traffic accident examination of that portion of McPherson Road has been completed in-house by the City of Laredo Traffic Safety Division, Engineering Department; and

WHEREAS, the City of Laredo Traffic Safety Division, Engineering Department has recommended that the maximum speed limits on that portion of McPherson Road be altered in accordance with said study; and

WHEREAS, the City's Traffic Engineer has reviewed and recommended the speed posting for McPherson Road as was recommended by the City of Laredo Traffic Safety Division, Engineering Department; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Safety Division, Engineering Department, after proper analysis, has determined that better traffic flow will result on this section of McPherson Road and the interest and safety of the citizens of Laredo will be improved by the speed zoning; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Laredo is of the same opinion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAREDO THAT:

SECTION 1:

That any other prior enacted ordinances regulating same be repealed and superseded.

SECTION 2:

That the maximum speed limits on the portions of McPherson Road lying within the City limits

of Laredo shall be altered and posted as follows:

40 MPH between Shiloh Drive and Bob Bullock Loop

SECTION 3:

This ordinance shall be published one time in an official newspaper in the City of Laredo.

SECTION 4:

That this Ordinance shall take effect at expiration of thirty (30) days after adoption, provided there has been publication as provided in Section 2.09(D) of the Laredo City Charter, and shall supersede any prior ordinances for the sections described.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR ON THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2025.

Dr. Victor D. Treviño, Mayor

Attest:

Mario Maldonado, Jr., City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Doanh "Zone" T. Nguyen, City Attorney
By: Joaquin A. Rodriguez, First Assistant City Attorney