

AGENDA MEMORANDUM

First Reading for the City Council Meeting of April 12, 2016 Second Reading for the City Council Meeting of April 19, 2016

DATE: April 6, 2016

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Leopard Street (From Rose Street to Pierpont Street) - Parking Prohibition

CAPTION:

Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 53, Section 53-252 Schedule III – Parking prohibited at all times on certain streets by adding Leopard Street, south side, from Rose Street to Pierpont Street.

PURPOSE:

This ordinance would prohibit parking at all times along south side of Leopard Street (3100 block) from Rose Street to Pierpont Street.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

The Corpus Christi Fire Department (CCFD) requests prohibited parking in front of Fire Station No. 5 located at 3105 Leopard Street. Safe transit of emergency vehicles exiting and entering the Fire Station is blocked by parked vehicles whenever events are held at the adjacent Buccaneer Stadium. The CCFD's frontage along Leopard is also blocked during street events such as the Buc Day Parade.

City Traffic Engineer recommends prohibited parking for better public safety. The inconvenience to residents, businesses, and Roy Miller High School is negligible. The City's Traffic Engineering Division distributed letters to affected property owners and invited them to voice their input at the City's Transportation Advisory Commission (CTAC) meeting. No objections were raised.

City Transportation Advisory Commission (CCTAC) reviewed the item on its October 26, 2015 meeting. CTAC recommended the parking prohibition approval.				
ALTERNATIVES:				
Not applicable				
OTHER CONSIDERATION	ONS:			
Not applicable				
CONFORMITY TO CITY	POLICY:			
This item conforms to the	e City Charter requ	uirements to ame	nd the Code of Or	dinances.
EMERGENCY / NON-EN	MERGENCY:			
DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:				
Transportation Advisory	Commission, Stree	et Operations		
FINANCIAL IMPACT:				
□ Operating □ Revenue		□ Capital	Not applicable ■	
Fiscal Year 2015-2016	Project to Date Expenditures (CIP only)	Current Year	Future Years	TOTALS
Line Item Budget	(On Only)			
Encumbered /				
Expended Amount				
This item				
BALANCE				
Comments: None				

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of this ordinance amendment.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Presentation Ordinance Location Map