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November 13, 2024

Mrs. Renee W. Couture, P.E.  
Traffic Engineering Assistant Director  
2525 Hygeia St.  
Corpus Christi, Tx 78415

Dear Renee Couture,

My name is America Garza, Transportation Engineer Supervisor, at Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Corpus Christi District.

We recently performed a speed study along Spur 3 (Ennis Joslin) beginning at SH358 to Ocean Drive within the City of Corpus Christi to determine speed reduction in that area. Based on the data that was received TxDOT is proposing a speed reduction on Spur 3 (Ennis Joslin) within the city limits as described below:

- A 35mph zone beginning at the SH358 to Ocean Drive for a total length of 2.347 miles.

Attached is a map of the limits of our study and the proposed speed zones. If you find our proposal satisfactory, please secure city action and return a signed electronic copy of the city ordinance to our office. Once we have this information, we will schedule sign installations.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (361) 808-2490.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:

*America B. Garza*

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America B. Garza, P.E.  
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**From:** [Linda Guartuche](#)  
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**Cc:** [Juan Marfil](#); [David Pardo](#); [Sergio Castilleja](#); [Sergio Castilleja](#); [Kassondra Munoz](#)  
**Subject:** \*\*\*\*\*Spur 3 (Ennis Joslin) Reduce Speed Request\*\*\*\*\*  
**Date:** Friday, November 1, 2024 1:40:46 PM  
**Attachments:** [Ad-Hoc Crash Rates By Control-Section Milepoint.xlsx](#)  
[SP39\\_Spur3 Ennis Joslin Form 1929 Trial Run.pdf](#)  
[Trial Runs\\_30\\_40\\_45mph.pdf](#)

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CRP is requesting to reduce speed on Spur 3 (Ennis Joslin) in Nueces County from variance speeds of 30, 40, and 45 mph to 35mph. Comments are specified in the "Trial Runs\_30\_40\_45mph" data set.

NOTE: Please expedite this request as the City Commission meeting is scheduled on 11/12/2024. We are hoping to send this to the City Commission for review before 11/12/2024.

We are requesting to reduce speed as part of the Stream Line Process outlined in the speed zone manual.

Justifications:

- Segment has crash rate higher than the SW Avg as shown in the Ad-Hoc reports for this control sections (3596-01).
- Several horizontal curves
- Dense driveways
- Pedestrians and Cyclist (bike lane)
- College community
- City buses (bus stops)
- Cross-overs

We propose the 35mph speed limit along the entire trial run study zone on Spur 3 (Ennis Joslin) from SH358 (SPID) to Ocean Drive.

Respectfully,  
America Garza, District Traffic Engineer



**Linda Guartuche**  
Transportation Engineering  
Corpus Christi District  
Traffic Engineering





**From:** [Linda Guartuche](#)  
**To:** [America Garza](#)  
**Subject:** FW: SS 3 (3596-1) Speed Zone Approval  
**Date:** Tuesday, November 12, 2024 10:36:06 AM

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Spur 3 approved. I'll forward to Renee.

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**Subject:** SS 3 (3596-1) Speed Zone Approval

We have reviewed the following speed zone request:

Highway: SS 3  
County: Nueces  
Control: 3596-1  
City: Corpus Christi

We concur with the following speed zone:

#	Mile Points	Length (mi)	Speed (mph)
1	1.012 - 3.359	2.347	35

Please proceed with the City of Corpus Christi to have a city ordinance passed for Zone 1.

TxDOT District	County	Highway	Crash Control		Metrics	Beginning Milepoint	Ending Milepoint
			Section	Crash Year			
Corpus Christi	Nueces	SS0003	3596-01	2021		1.012	3.330
Corpus Christi	Nueces	SS0003	3596-01	2022		1.012	3.330
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**SW AVG BY ROAD TYPE**

Crash Year	Rural Urban Group	Road Type	Metrics	Crash Rate
<u>2021</u>	RURAL	NO DATA		0.00
		2 LANE, 2 WAY		97.99
		4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		61.45
	URBAN	4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		101.39
		2 LANE, 2 WAY		209.81
		4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		170.21
<u>2022</u>	RURAL	4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		314.82
		NO DATA		0.00
		2 LANE, 2 WAY		96.28
	URBAN	4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		57.59
		4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		101.69
		2 LANE, 2 WAY		212.42
<u>2023</u>	RURAL	4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		166.35
		4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		318.04
		NO DATA		0.00
	URBAN	2 LANE, 2 WAY		99.32
		4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		57.96
		4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		105.07
		2 LANE, 2 WAY		214.95
		4 OR MORE LANES, DIVIDED		165.27
		4 OR MORE LANES, UNDIVIDED		320.87

<u>Length of Section</u>	<u>Total Crashes</u>	<u>Section ADT</u>	<u>Section Crash Rate</u>
2.318	55	19,985	325.27
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2.318	58	19,985	343.01

**SW AVG BY HIGHWAY SYSTEM**

<b>Crash Year</b>	<b>Rural Urban Group</b>	<b>Highway Group</b>	<b>Metrics</b>	<b>Crash Rate</b>
<u>2021</u>	RURAL	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		58.35
		<u>US Highways</u>		70.45
		<u>State Highways</u>		89.47
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		119.59
	URBAN	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		161.35
		<u>US Highways</u>		198.11
		<u>State Highways</u>		226.87
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		244.32
<u>2022</u>	RURAL	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		53.22
		<u>US Highways</u>		69.04
		<u>State Highways</u>		87.00
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		119.03
	URBAN	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		154.56
		<u>US Highways</u>		195.04
		<u>State Highways</u>		230.39
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		248.98
<u>2023</u>	RURAL	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		51.64
		<u>US Highways</u>		70.65
		<u>State Highways</u>		91.12
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		123.07
	URBAN	<u>Interstate Highways</u>		153.93
		<u>US Highways</u>		194.62
		<u>State Highways</u>		230.53
		<u>Farm to Market</u>		248.97