

CITY OF MARSHALL, TEXAS ORDINANCE NO. O-24-26

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSHALL , TEXAS, CHANGING HOLLIS TAYLOR STREET FROM A TWO-WAY STREET TO A ONE WAY STREET RUNNING FROM EAST TO WEST, FROM PECAN STREET TO SOUTH WASHINGTON AVE., AS IS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AND OR DEPICTED IN EXHIBIT A, WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AND INCORPORATED HEREIN FOR ALL PURPOSES; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PENALTY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PUBLICATION CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Marshall, Texas, is a Texas home-rule municipality; and

WHEREAS, Section 311.001(a) of the Texas Transportation Code generally provides that a home-rule municipality has exclusive control over and under the public highways, streets, and alleys of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marshall, Texas, has conducted a traffic review by staff concerning the traffic pattern surrounding Marshall Early Childhood Center, and specifically at Hollis Taylor Street; and

WHEREAS representatives of the Marshall Independent School District Police Department have requested that Hollis Taylor Street be designated as a one way street causing traffic to flow from east to west from Pecan Street to South Washington Street; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Marshall, Texas, finds that changing Hollis Taylor Street from two way to one way is in the best interest of the safety of the children attending the Marshall Early Childhood Center (“the School”), property owners near the School, and parents driving to and from the School; and further that the changes made herein will improve traffic flow and safety for those using the streets;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSHALL, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the findings set forth above are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. ONE WAY STREET CREATED. Exhibit A to this ordinance shall provide a depiction of the roads and traffic flow as one way, as follows:

One way traffic is required on Hollis Taylor Street, beginning at the intersection of Pecan St. and Hollis Taylor Street, to the intersection of South Washington Ave.

And Hollis Taylor St., and flowing from East to West. Traffic flow in the opposite direction is prohibited.

SECTION 3. That if any section, article paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word in this Ordinance, or application thereto any persons or circumstances is held invalid or unconstitutional by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance; and the City Council hereby declares it would have passed such remaining portions of this Ordinance despite such invalidity, which remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

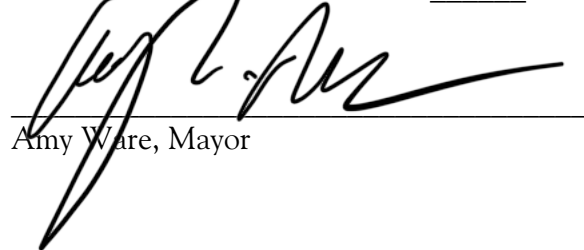
SECTION 4. That all provisions of the Ordinances of the City of Marshall, Texas, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same are hereby amended, repealed, and all other provisions of the ordinances of the City not in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 5. Penalty Clause. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions or terms of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a class C misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense; and each and every day during or on which such violation shall occur or continue shall be deemed to constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 6. Publication. In accordance with Section 52.011 of the Local Government Code, the caption of this Ordinance shall be published either (a) in every issue of the official newspaper of the City of Marshall for two days or (b) one issue of the newspaper if the official newspaper is a weekly paper. An affidavit by the printer or the publisher of the official newspaper verifying the publication shall be filed in the office of the City Secretary.

SECTION 7. That this Ordinance shall become effective from and after its date of passage in accordance with law.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THE COLONY, TEXAS, THIS THE _____ DAY OF DECEMBER, 2024.



Amy Ware, Mayor

ATTEST:



Nikki Smith, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Scott Rectenwald, City Attorney

THE STATE OF TEXAS	§
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COUNTY OF HARRISON	§

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the ____ day of _____, 2024, by Amy Ware, Mayor of the City of Marshall, Texas , as having been executed for the purposes and consideration stated therein.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Texas
My Commission Expires: _____

Typed or Printed Name of Notary