

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS

ORDINANCE NO. 16-2021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE BY AMENDING CHAPTER 17, TRAFFIC, ARTICLE 17.03, OPERATION OF VEHICLES, DIVISION 3, SPEED LIMITS, SECTION 17.03.086, "SCHOOL ZONES", AT ITS SUBSECTION (b) BY ESTABLISHING AND DESIGNATING THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL ZONES (1) A SCHOOL ZONE ON ALTO ROAD, FROM SEAGOVILLE ROAD TO WOOLEY WAY; (2) A SCHOOL ZONE ON TRAVERS TRAIL, THE ENTIRE DISTANCE BETWEEN SEAGOVILLE ROAD AND WOOLEY WAY; AND (3) A SCHOOL ZONE ON WOOLEY WAY FROM ITS POINT OF INTERSECTION WITH TRAVERS TRAIL TO ITS POINT OF INTERSECTION WITH ALTO ROAD; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ERECT THE APPROPRIATE SIGNAGE; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PENALTY OF FINE NOT TO EXCEED THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinance of the City of Seagoville, Texas is hereby amended by amending Chapter 17, Traffic, Article 17.03, Operation of Vehicles, Division 3, Speed Limits, Section 17.03.086, "School Zones", at its Subsection (b) by designating and establishing school zones on Alto Road, Travers Trail, and Wooley Way as provided herein, which shall read as follows:

"Chapter 17 Traffic

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Article 17.03 Operation of Vehicles

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Division 3 Speed Limits

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Sec. 17.03.086 School Zones.

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(b) The following areas shall be designated as school zones:

Alto Road, from its point of intersection with Seagoville Road to its point of intersection with Wooley Way.

Bowers Road . . .

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East Stark Road . . .

Travers Trail, from its point of intersection with Seagoville Road to its point of intersection with Wooley Way.

Wooley Way, from its point of intersection with Travers Trail to its point of intersection with Alto Road.”

SECTION 2. The City Manager or his designee is hereby directed to erect or cause to be erected appropriate signage giving notice of the designation of the school zones and the speed limits established for such school zones and the provisions establishing the school zones set forth in this ordinance shall not be effective unless such signs or markings are in place at the time of an alleged offense.

SECTION 3. All provisions of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Seagoville, Texas, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. Should any word, phrase, paragraph, section or phrase of this ordinance or of the Code of Ordinances, as amended hereby, be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof other than the part so decided to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, and shall not affect the validity of the Code of Ordinances as a whole.

SECTION 5. An offense committed before the effective date of this ordinance is governed by prior law and the provisions of the Code of Ordinances, as amended, in effect when the offense was committed and the former law is continued in effect for this purpose.

SECTION 6. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions or terms of this ordinance or of the Code of Ordinances, as amended hereby, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in the Municipal Court of the City of Seagoville, Texas, shall be subject to a fine not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense, and each and every day such violation is continued shall be deemed to constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.


DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Seagoville, Texas, this the 17th day of May, 2021.

APPROVED:



DENNIS K CHILDRESS, MAYOR

ATTEST:



KANDI JACKSON, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



VICTORIA THOMAS, CITY ATTORNEY