



CITY OF  
**FARMERS BRANCH**  
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# Modifying Ordinance 82-95 No Parking Zone

CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION | MAY 7, 2024

# Background

## NO PARKING ZONES

1

Following the opening of Joya Park the traffic along Tom Field between Valley View Lane and Rawhide Parkway became an issue.

2

City staff addressed local resident concerns by adding No Parking areas adjacent to the intersections.

3

Parks and Recreation staff then added special event fencing adjacent to Joya Park and temporary No Parking signs along Tom Field Road.

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The added fencing and signs have curtailed parking and improved traffic flow.



# Draft of proposed changes identified in Ordinance 82-95



## ORDINANCE NO. XXXX

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, CHAPTER 82 "TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES" ARTICLE II "OPERATION OF VEHICLES" DIVISION 6 "PARKING" SECTION 82-95 "NO PARKING ZONES" BY AMENDING SUBSECTION (b) ESTABLISHING A NO PARKING ZONE ON NORTHBOUND LANE OF VALLEY VIEW LANE AND SOUTHBOUND LANE OF RAWHIDE PARKWAY; CONTAINING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; REPEALING ALL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY OF FINE NOT TO EXCEED THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) FOR EACH OFFENSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Administration, in order to increase the safety of the movement of traffic along the public thoroughfares of the City of Farmers Branch, is recommending the establishment of certain no parking zones along Tom Field Road; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, finds it to be in the public interest to amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Farmers Branch to establish the recommended "no parking zones".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, Chapter 82, "Traffic and Vehicles", Article II, "Operation of Vehicles", Division 6, "Parking", Section 82-95, "No Parking Zones", subsection (b) "Specific Streets." is hereby amended by establishing new no parking zones on Tom Field Road to read as follows:

ADD:

Street	Description	Time of Day
Tom Field Road	Northbound from its intersection with Valley View Lane to Rawhide Parkway.	All times
Tom Field Road	Southbound from its intersection at Rawhide Parkway to Valley View Lane.	All times

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...Charter in such cases provides.

...OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH,  
...2024.

APPROVED:

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Terry Lynne, Mayor

# Direction

## STAFF IS SEEKING DIRECTION ON Updating Ordinance 82-95 - No Parking Zones



The updated ordinance would create “No Parking” zones along Tom Field Rd northbound and southbound from Valley View Ln to Rawhide Pkwy.



If Council provides direction to update the ordinance, the item will be placed on the May 21, 2024 City Council Agenda for consideration.





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# Questions?

