



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

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts thereof expressly in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. Appropriate signs prohibiting parking at the places and during the times consistent with this Ordinance shall be installed by City forces.

SECTION 4. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined a sum not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense; and each and every day such violation shall continue shall be deemed to constitute a separate offense.

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. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or provision of this ordinance shall be judged to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any portion thereof other than the portion so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and the publication of the caption of said ordinance as the law and the City Charter in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, ON THE ____ DAY OF _____ 2024.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Stacy Henderson, City Secretary

Terry Lynne, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter G. Smith, City Attorney
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