



ORDINANCE NO. 3893

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, CHAPTER 82 “TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES”, ARTICLE II “OPERATION OF VEHICLES”, DIVISION 5 “STOP AND YIELD”, SECTION 82-73 “STOP SIGN LOCATIONS”, BY AUTHORIZING THE PLACEMENT OF STOP SIGNS AT THE INTERSECTION OF DENNIS LANE AT LONGMEADE DRIVE; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY OF FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$200; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, City Administration, in order to increase the safety of the movement of traffic along the public thoroughfares of the City of Farmers Branch, has recommended additional stop signs placed on Dennis Lane at its place of intersection with Longmeade Drive; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, finds it to be in the public interest to adopt the additional stop restrictions as recommended.

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

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances, City of Farmers Branch, Texas, Chapter 82, “Traffic and Vehicles,” Article II, “Operation of Vehicles,” Division 5, “Stop and Yield,” Section 82-73, “Stop sign locations”, is hereby amended by adding the following to the list of existing locations of stop signs set forth in said Section 82-73, immediately following the entry for “Northwest bound approach of Longmeade Drive at Dennis Lane”:

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Sec. 82-73. - Stop sign locations.

The following locations are hereby identified as stop intersections, and the installation of stop signs is hereby authorized in order to properly and clearly mark these intersections as stop intersections:

Stop sign controlled:

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Northeast bound and southwest bound approach of Dennis Lane at Longmeade Drive.

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SECTION 2. City administration is hereby authorized and shall install and maintain the appropriate stop signs consistent with this Ordinance and the Texas Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts thereof expressly in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. 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 5. 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).

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 8TH OF OCTOBER 2024.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Stacy Henderson, City Secretary

Terry Lynne, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

David Berman, City Attorney
(DB 8.30.24)