

Agenda item #94

**CITY OF SAN ANTONIO  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT  
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM**

TO: Sheryl Sculley, City Manager  
FROM: Thomas G. Wendorf, P.E., Director of Public Works  
SUBJECT: Speed Humps on Tres Caminos in the El Sendero Neighborhood  
DATE: June 29, 2006

**SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

This ordinance accepts a Council Consideration Request submitted by Councilwoman Delicia Herrera to direct staff to install speed humps on Tres Caminos in the El Sendero neighborhood located in District 6, and accepts \$10,500 from the Tres Caminos Homeowners Association to fund the installation of these speed humps.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Staff performed a speed hump study in April 2005 on Tres Caminos in the El Sendero neighborhood. The City of San Antonio Speed Hump policy states that 85% of the actual speed of vehicles must be at 35 mph or greater for consideration of installation. The 85% speed on Tres Caminos was measured at 33 mph. Traffic engineering studies are valid for two years unless major development has occurred in the area. This area has not experienced any substantial growth since the study was last completed in April 2005.

**POLICY ANALYSIS**


Approval of this ordinance will direct staff to install speed humps on Tres Caminos as requested by a Council Consideration Request submitted by Councilwoman Delicia Herrera.

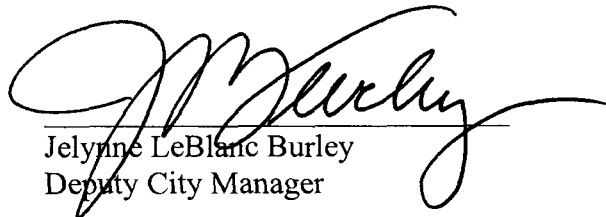
**FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact associated with this ordinance. Funds for the installation of these speed humps will be provided by the neighborhood association.

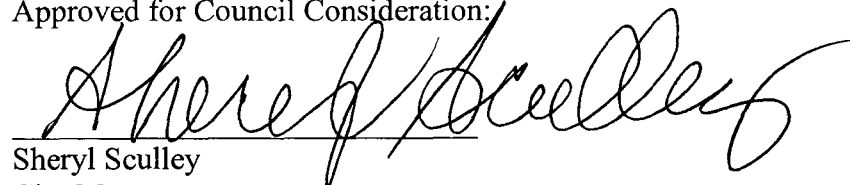
### COORDINATION

This request for ordinance has been coordinated with the Office of Management and Budget, the Finance Department, and the City Attorney's Office.

  
Thomas G. Wendorf, P.E.  
Director of Public Works

  
Jelynn LeBlanc Burley  
Deputy City Manager

Approved for Council Consideration:

  
Sheryl Sculley  
City Manager

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**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM:** Delicia Herrera, Councilmember, District 6

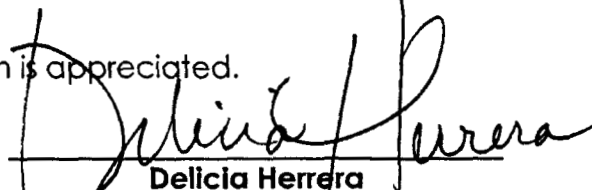
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**SUBJECT:** Speed Hump Installation

**DATE:** June 19, 2006

I respectfully request your concurrence in directing staff to install speed humps on Tres Caminos, located in the El Sendero neighborhood. Public Works has conducted a traffic study and found that this location did not meet the speed requirement necessary for eligibility. The study conducted showed that this location measured an average speed 33 mph, which is above the posted residential speed limit of 30 mph, but not the 35 mph required for speed hump approval. The El Sendero Homeowner's Association has successfully petitioned for and strongly requests that this project move forward, regardless of this finding. To demonstrate the desire and need for this project, the HOA has agreed to pay the amount of \$10,500 for the complete installation of these speed humps.

Your support for this action is appreciated.

  
Delicia Herrera  
District 6

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Phil Hardberger, Mayor

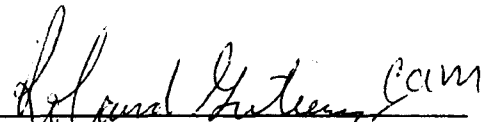
  
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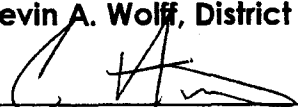
  
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