



AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
City Council
Meeting of: November 18, 2020

Agenda Item No.:
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DEPARTMENT: Public Works
DIRECTOR: Mike Janssen

CONSENT

SUBJECT:

For possible action to approve the installation of speed humps on St. Louis Avenue, Baltimore Avenue, Cleveland Avenue, and Cincinnati Avenue located within the Meadows Village Neighborhood (\$28,600 - Traffic Improvements Capital Project Fund [CPF]) - Ward 3 (Diaz)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Budget Funds Available
Amount: \$28,600
Funding Source: Traffic Improvements CPF
Dept./Division: Public Works/Transportation Engineering

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

The Transportation Engineering Division received notification that residents living in the Meadows Village Community were concerned about the speeding in front of their homes. In response, staff conducted a traffic study for each of the following segments within the Meadows Village Community, and results are listed below:

- St. Louis from Industrial to Fairfield: 2203 average daily traffic (ADT), 85th Percentile speed 35 mph (Posted speed 25 mph)
- Baltimore from Tam to Fairfield: 1477 ADT, 85th Percentile speed 35 mph (Posted speed 25 mph)
- Cleveland from Tam to Fairfield: 694 ADT, 85th Percentile speed 34 mph (Posted speed 25 mph)
- Cincinnati from Tam to Fairfield: 1477 ADT, 85th Percentile speed 35 mph (Posted speed 25 mph)

The existing volumes and prevailing speeds are not within the normal thresholds and are indicative of traffic safety issues. For this reason, the Transportation Engineering Division recommends the installation of speed humps on St. Louis Avenue, Baltimore Avenue, Cleveland Avenue, and Cincinnati Avenue. Community support for speed humps was received on February 22, 2020 in coordination with community partners, Brazen Architecture and Casa de Luz. During an event at the Stupak Community Center on September 24, 2020, residents were presented with a survey requesting their feedback on the potential for installation of speed humps within the Meadows Village Community. As a result, we received 53 votes in favor of the installation and 1 vote in opposition.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Meadows Village Speed Hump Exhibit