

## **Staff Report**

**TO:** Planning Commissioners

**FROM:** Christina Taylor, Community Development Director

DATE March 8, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Public Hearing and Consideration of an Ordinance Establishing

**Beaumont Municipal Code Chapter 5.72 "Food Trucks"** 

**APPLICANT:** City of Beaumont

## **Background and Analysis:**

On December 7, 2021, and February 1, 2022, discussion was held and City staff received direction from City Council regarding developing an ordinance for regulating food trucks and other motorized, mobile food vendors. This ordinance is intended to address motorized and mobile food vendors not covered by SB946. Based on the direction City staff received, a draft ordinance has been prepared addressing the following:

- Licensing and permitting,
- Operational standards, and
- Term, renewal and revocation.

The ordinance contains an extensive list of operational standards including:

- Location,
- Providing proof of a sellers permit (tax tracking),
- Health certificate.
- Canopies or seating,
- Quarterly inspections,
- Waste disposal, and
- Noise and light.

As part of this ordinance, a food truck permit application has been developed and will be used specifically for food truck or mobile, motorized food operations. A copy of the draft ordinance and food truck permit application are included as attachments to this report.

## **Recommended Action:**

Hold a public hearing; and

Forward a recommendation of approval of an ordinance establishing Beaumont Municipal Code Chapter 5.72 Food Trucks.

## **Attachments:**

- A. Draft Ordinance
- B. Food Truck Permit Application