

ORDINANCE NO. 23-17

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BRECKENRIDGE, TEXAS, TEMPORARILY REDUCING THE SPEED LIMIT FOR PORTIONS OF US HWY 180 WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BRECKENRIDGE WHICH WILL BE UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

WHEREAS, the Brownwood District of the Texas Department of Transportation (“Brownwood District TxDOT”) has requested, via minute order, temporary Construction Speed Zones on US Hwy 180;

WHEREAS, the Brownwood District TxDOT has requested that the City of Breckenridge temporarily reduce the speed limit on one section of US Hwy 180 in the City Limits from 55 MPH to a 45 MPH Construction Speed Zone, 50 MPH to a 40 MPH Construction Speed Zone and on one other section of US Hwy 180 from 40 MPH to a 30 MPH Construction Speed Zone while a construction project is underway; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BRECKENRIDGE, TEXAS:

THAT, the City of Breckenridge shall temporarily reduce the speed limit from 55 miles per hour to 45 miles per hour on US Hwy 180 from Mile Point 9.649 to Mile Point 9.849, a distance of 0.200 miles; and

THAT, the City of Breckenridge shall temporarily reduce the speed limit from 50 miles per hour to 40 miles per hour on US Hwy 180 from Mile Point 9.849 to Mile Point 10.929, a distance of 1.080 miles; and

THAT, the City of Breckenridge shall temporarily reduce the speed limit from 40 miles per hour to 30 miles per hour on US Hwy 180 from Mile Point 10.929 to Mile Point 11.093, a distance of 1.164 miles; and

THAT, appropriate sign age shall be placed on US Highway 180 by the City, the Brownwood District TxDOT, and/or the TxDOT contractor to indicate when and where the reduced speed limits, described above, are in effect.

THAT, this ordinance shall remain in effect until the time that the above project is complete and accepted by the Brownwood District TxDOT and the minute order has expired; and

THAT, upon termination of the minute order, the speed shall be set at the previously posted speed.

All Ordinances or part of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.

PASSED AND APPROVED the 24th day of October, 2023

Bob Sims, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jessica Sutter, City Secretary