



CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP

CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS

AGENDA TOPIC: Transportation Safety Advisory Committee recommendations from the February 5, 2025 committee meeting

DATE: February 20, 2025

DEPARTMENT: Transportation Safety Advisory Committee

PRESENTED BY: Al Schmidt, Chairperson, Transportation Safety Advisory Committee
Carole Vanzant, CPM, Assistant City Manager

INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND:

On July 18, 2024, the City Council approved an ordinance establishing a Transportation Safety Advisory Committee. The role of the Committee is to assist the City Council in the continuance of the city's quality of life through a citizen-government partnership that promotes safe and secure public roads and walks.

At the same meeting, the City Council approved a resolution adopting the committee's Rules of Procedure. Rule 5.1 provides the committee shall review transportation (vehicles, bicycles, pedestrians, etc.) safety issues submitted either by citizens or by city staff and to provide recommendations to the City Council with respect to the submittals.

Through January 10, 2025, staff received eight submittals inclusive of twelve requests for the committee's consideration. On February 5, the Committee received a staff report on two submittals where recommendations were not required. The Committee discussed and provided recommendations to three submittals.

Below is a summary of the three citizen submissions. **Attachment A** includes each complete requestor submission and desired resolution with a staff report for each submission. The submissions have been updated to reflect meeting notes and the Committee's action or recommendation.

1. Request for placement of two radar feedback signs on Dietz Elkhorn (west)
2. Request to reduce the speed limit on Dietz Elkhorn(west) to 30 mph
3. Request for traffic and pedestrian improvements at the intersection of Fair Oaks Parkway and Front Gate (westbound traffic)
4. Request for median improvement located at Fair Oaks Parkway and Front Gate
5. Request for traffic and pedestrian improvements at the intersection of Fair Oaks Parkway and Front Gate (eastbound traffic)

The Committee scheduled a special meeting for February 26, 2025 to consider the additional submissions.

Based on the City Council direction, staff will develop agenda items for the Council's consideration and action at a future meeting.

POLICY ANALYSIS/BENEFIT(S) TO CITIZENS:

1. Provides input from TSAC and citizens.
2. Follows the Committee's Rules of Procedures
3. Allows for continued improvement of the city's quality of life relative to transportation safety.
4. Meets the City's Strategic Action Plan pillar of Reliable and Sustainable Infrastructure.

LONGTERM FINANCIAL & BUDGETARY IMPACT:

Dependent on City Council direction.