



CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE RESOLUTION

MEETING DATE: 03/4/2025

PRESENTER: Caryl DeVries, P.E., PTOE, Director of Transportation and Mobility

TITLE: Resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into an Agreement for the Temporary Closure of State Right of Way with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for the temporary closure of a portion of W. Main Street (SH-180) on Saturday April 26, 2025, for the Texas Country Reporter Festival

**REVIEWING
COMMITTEE:**

PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

For a State roadway to be closed on a temporary basis to support an event that serves a public purpose, TxDOT requires the requesting city enter into an agreement for the temporary closure. The temporary closure request is for W. Main Street (SH-180) on Saturday April 26, 2025, from 6 AM to 8 PM, for the Texas Country Reporter Festival. The closure will be from Dolores Huerta Drive to Bonham Street. A detour route will be provided via N. Center Street to Hill Street to NW 6th Street.

BODY

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF TEXAS, THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO CLOSE A PORTION OF SH-180 (W. MAIN STREET) ASSOCIATED WITH THE 2025 TEXAS COUNTRY REPORTER FESTIVAL

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation operates certain state highways within the City limits of the City of Grand Prairie; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Prairie requires the temporary closure of a state highway within the City of Grand Prairie; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 Texas Country Reporter Festival will be held in the City of Grand Prairie with anticipated attendance of approximately 10,000 citizens, visitors, and vendors; and

WHEREAS, the temporary closure of a portion of the state highway system serves a public purpose and is necessary to protect the safety of the patrons crossing from the parking area to the festival; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation and the City of Grand Prairie have agreed to certain terms and conditions regarding the temporary closing of a portion of the state highway system within the City of Grand Prairie limits for purpose of said closing; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie has considered the foregoing and aforesaid contract and have agreed to be bound by the provisions thereof for the purpose of closing said highway for the 2025 Texas Country Reporter Festival to be held April 26, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is authorized to execute an Agreement for the Temporary Closure of State Right of Way with TxDOT on behalf of the City of Grand Prairie.

SECTION 2. The project is for the closure of SH-180 (W. Main Street) from Dolores Huerta Drive to Bonham Street from 6 AM to 8 PM on April 26, 2025.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 4TH DAY OF MARCH 2025.