

Consider Ordinance Amending Chapter 12  
Traffic & Vehicles  
No Parking Zone – Thistle Drive

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# Summary

- Question
  - Should the City Council prohibit on-street parking along Thistle Drive
- Options
  - Approve
  - Deny
  - Other
- Declaration
  - Prohibiting parking along this street will greatly increase traffic visibility for residents and emergency vehicles

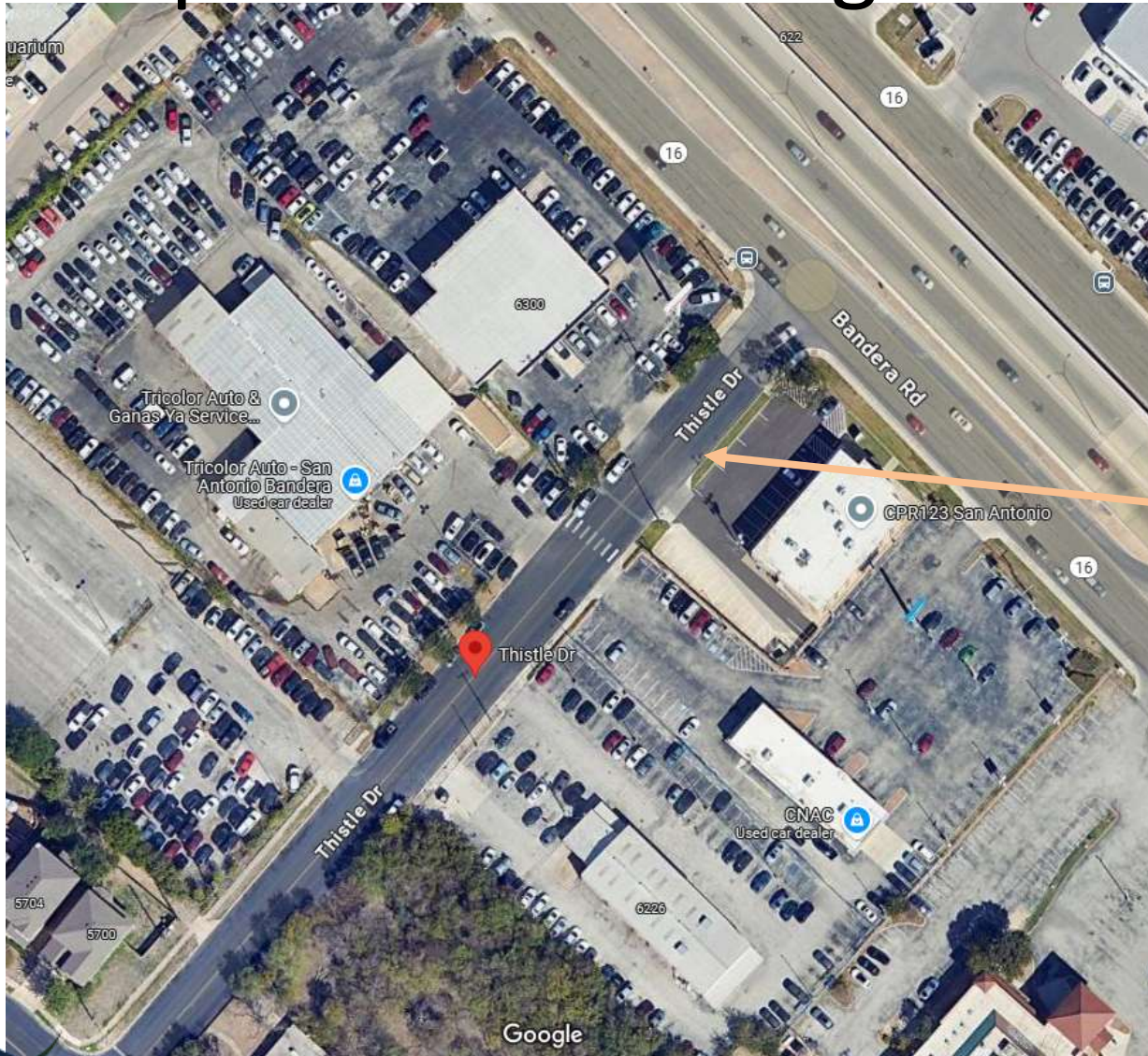
# Purpose

- To consider approval of an Ordinance amending the Leon Valley Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12 Traffic and Vehicles, Article 12.03 Parking, Stopping and Standing, Section 12.03.006 Parking Restrictions on Specific Streets
- To prohibit on-street parking along Thistle Drive

# Background

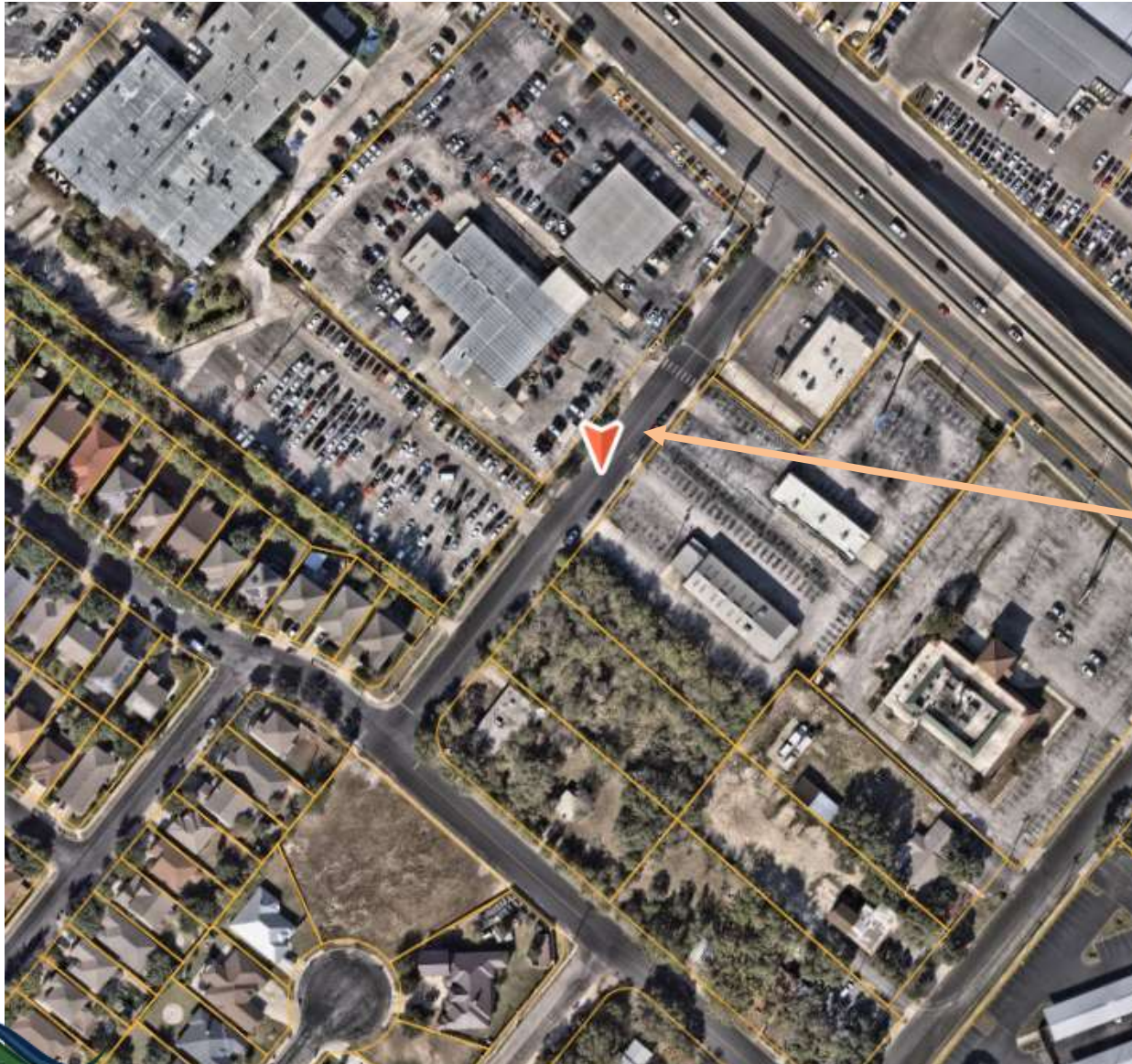
- Residents of both The Ridge at Leon Valley subdivision and Brisa Estates use this street to access Bandera Road
- The businesses along Bandera Road use this street to park excess vehicles
- Concern is that on-street parking impedes vision, causing unsafe traffic conditions as residents drive in and out of their subdivisions
- This also affects emergency vehicle services

# Proposed No Parking Zone



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# Fiscal Impact

- Signage would cost approximately \$200
- Taken from the Public Works existing signage budget

# Recommendation

- Council Discretion