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January 23, 2025

The Honorable Nick Long  
Mayor, City of League City  
300 W. Walker Street  
League City, Texas 77573

**RE: Request for City School Speed Zone Ordinance  
Control Section: 976-03  
FM 518  
Galveston County**


Dear Mayor Long:

Our office has completed a Speed Zone Study along FM 518 within the City of League. Attached you will find Speed Zone Strip Maps numbered 5646 D, and a prepared Speed Zone Ordinance suggested by the Texas League of Municipalities containing the recommended speed zone along FM 518.

If you concur with the recommended zone please furnish this office with a copy of your executed ordinance.

Should you have any questions, please contact Gaurang Pandit at (713) 802-5856.

Sincerely,

Signed by:  
  
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Ugonna U. Ughanze, P.E.  
Director of Transportation Operations  
Houston District

Attachments

**CC:** John Baumgartner, City Manager, City of League City  
Gaurang S. Pandit, P.E., Transportation Engineer Supervisor, HOU, TxDOT  
David R. Lazaro, P.E., Galveston Area Engineer, HOU, TxDOT

SPEED ZONE ORDINANCE # \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE ALTERING THE PRIMA FACIE SPEED LIMITS ESTABLISHED FOR VEHICLES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF § 545.356, TEXAS TRANSPORTATION CODE, UPON THE BASIS OF AN ENGINEERING AND TRAFFIC INVESTIGATION, UPON CERTAIN STREETS AND HIGHWAYS, OF PARTS THEREOF, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE, AS SET OUT IN THIS ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING A PENALTY OF A FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$200 FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, § 545.356, Vernon’s Texas Civil Statutes, provides that whenever the governing body of the city shall determine upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that any prima facie speed therein set forth is greater or less than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist at any intersection or other place or upon any part of a street or highway within the city, taking into consideration the width and condition of the pavement and other circumstances on such portion of said street or highway, as well as the usual traffic thereon, said governing body may determine and declare a reasonable and safe prima facie speed limit thereat or thereon by the passage of an ordinance, which shall be effective when appropriate signs giving notice thereof are erected at such intersection or other place or part of the street or highway;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE, TEXAS:

Section 1. Upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation heretofore made as authorized by the provisions of § 545.356, Texas Transportation Code, the following prima facie speed limits hereafter indicated for vehicles are hereby determined and declared to be reasonable and safe; and such speed limits are hereby fixed at the rate of speed indicated for vehicles traveling upon the named streets and highways, or parts thereof, described as follows:

Along FM 518 a school zone from 555 feet. east of Christopher Road to 560 feet west of Louisiana road, a distance of approximately 0.280 mile, the speed limit shall be 25 MPH WHEN FLASHING.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

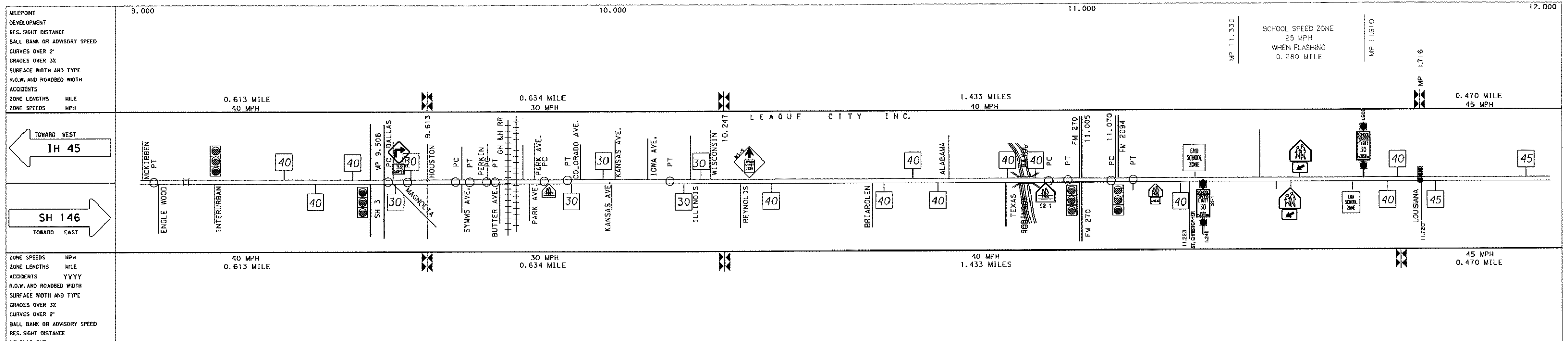
PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Secretary

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor



DISTRICT	HOUSTON	COUNTY	GALVESTON	MINUTE NO.	DATE	/ /
HIGHWAY	FM 518	CITY	LEAGUE CITY	REPLACES	DATE	/ /
DATE OF SURVEY	10/2010	SCALE	5" = 1 MILE	REPLACED BY	DATE	/ /
				CANCELED BY	DATE	/ /

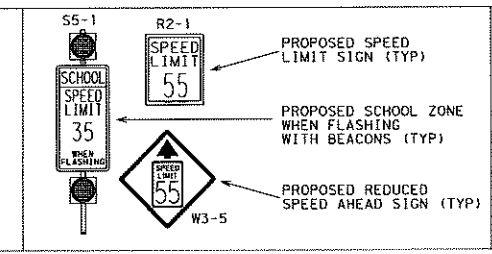
LIMITS OF ZONE			
SECTION ONE		SECTION TWO	
BEGINS	STA. OR M.P.	BEGINS	STA. OR M.P.
ENDS	STA. OR M.P.	ENDS	STA. OR M.P.
SECTION THREE		SECTION FOUR	
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**SPEED CHECK BLOCK:**

- 68 - 85 PERCENTILE SPEED
- 74 - TOP SPEED MEASURED
- 85 - NUMBER OF CARS CHECKED

(65) - TRIAL RUN CONDUCTED

- - FATAL ACCIDENT
- - PERSONAL INJURY ACCIDENT
- ⊖ - PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT
- SECTION ZONED BY COMMISSION MINUTE ORDER
- 55 - EXISTING SPEED LIMIT SIGN
- SECTION ZONED BY CITY ORDINANCE
- #N - SPEED CHECK STATION
- ★ - EXCEEDED STATEWIDE AVERAGE ACCIDENT
- ⊖ - EXISTING SIGNAL
- ⊖ - EXISTING FLASHING BECON
- ⊖ - EXISTING POLE
- ⊖ - PROPOSED SIGN
- PC - POINT OF CURVE
- PT - POINT OF TANGENT



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
**SPEED ZONE**  
 STRIP MAP 5646 D

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