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MEMORANDUM

TO: Thomas A. Golden, Jr., City Manager 

FROM: Yovani Baez-Rose, Assistant City Manager/DPD Director

CC: Elizabeth Oltman, PE, City Transportation Engineer

SUBJECT: MOTION RESPONSE: 5/30/2023– Councilor Jenness– Request City Manager Provide Update On The Implementation Progress and Timeline Of The 25 MPH Speed Limit Ordinance Previously Adopted By Council

The Ordinance establishing a citywide speed limit of 25 miles per hour within thickly settled or business district was passed in November 2022. At that time, DPD and LPD organized a plan for implementation and enforcement of the new ordinance that targeted June 2023 for installation of the appropriate signage and the education of the public. An Invitation For Bid issued in February 2023 for procurement and installation of the signs did not receive any responses.

The appropriate signage has since been procured by LPD. The installation of the signage, due to their size and number, was determined to be more appropriately undertaken by an outside contractor. A revised Invitation For Bid detailing the locations of the signs and the type of installation was issued on June 29, 2023, with bids received on July 12, 2023. A contractor has been identified at this time, and Procurement is progressing the contract with K5 Corporation. With the anticipated time for finalizing a contract, installation should progress in September 2023. Education campaigns coordinated between DPD and LPD will also begin in September 2023 as the installation occurs. It is recommended that LPD issue violation warnings for 60 to 90 days, with ticketed enforcement beginning in December 2023 or January 2024.

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