

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-O-11C

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SPEED LIMIT OF 20 MILES PER HOUR IN THE HERITAGE PARK SUBDIVISION (FROM THE ENTRANCE TO THE SUBDIVISION OFF BUCHTA ROAD TO THE DEAD END); DIRECTING THE CHIEF OF POLICE TO ERECT AND MAINTAIN SIGNS STATING SUCH REGULATION; PROVIDING A PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 FOR EACH VIOLATION; PROVIDING A SEVERANCE CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AFTER ITS PASSAGE.

WHEREAS this Ordinance is authorized by Article 6701d, Texas Revised Civil Statutes; and many of the residents of Heritage Park (from the entrance off Buchta Road to the dead end) have petitioned the City of Angleton, Texas, in writing for the passage of this Ordinance; and the City Council of the City of Angleton finds that this Ordinance will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City of Angleton;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANGLETON, TEXAS, DULY ASSEMBLED:

- I. As authorized by Article 6701d, Texas Revised Civil Statutes, 20 miles per hour is hereby fixed as the prima facie speed limit for vehicles traveling in the Heritage Park Subdivision (from the entrance into the subdivision to the dead end) in the City of Angleton; and said speed limit is hereby determined and declared to be reasonable and safe.
- II. The Chief of Police of the City of Angleton is hereby directed to erect and maintain such signs as are necessary to effectuate and to notify the public of the speed limit established in this Ordinance.
- III. 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 \$500.00 for each separate offense.
- IV. If any section or part of this Ordinance is held unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, then such unconstitutionality, illegality, or invalidity of such section or part shall in no way affect, impair, or invalidate the remaining portion hereof, and such remaining portion shall remain in full force and effect.
- V. This Ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this the 25th day of November, 2008.

J. PATRICK HENRY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SHELLY DEISHER, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY