

ORDINANCE 2011-05

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA ESTABLISHING FOUR WAY STOPS AT THE INTERSECTIONS OF WEST MAGNOLIA AND WEST STREET; EAST VERBENA AND EAST STREET; AND ESTABLISHING THREE WAY STOPS AT THE INTERSECTION OF SOUTH WILLOW AND PANCHO MAPLES DRIVE; CAUSING THE INSTALLATION OF APPROPRIATE REGULATORY TRAFFIC SIGNAGE; ESTABLISHING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the established and posted speed limits inside the city limits of La FERIA is thirty miles per hour (30 mph) unless posted for a higher or lower speed; and

WHEREAS, the City of La FERIA is concerned about the safety of the public and wanted to institute safety measures for proper traffic flow; and

WHEREAS, the La FERIA City Commission held a public hearing on May 10, 2011, to solicit public input regarding the establishment of four way stops at the intersections of West Magnolia and West Street; East Verbena and East Street; and establishing three way stops at the intersection of South Willow and Pancho Maples Drive; and

WHEREAS, the La FERIA City Commission examined the traffic patterns and heard citizens' and staffs' opinions regarding public safety in this area and has determined that it is in the best interest for the safety of the citizens of La FERIA that additional traffic safety regulations be established at the intersections of West Magnolia and West Street; East Verbena and East Street; and South Willow and Pancho Maples Drive.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS THAT:

1. A four-way stop is hereby established at the intersections of West Magnolia and West Street; East Verbena and East Street; and establishing three-way stops at the intersection of South Willow and Pancho Maples Drive.
2. The City Manager is hereby directed to cause appropriate regulatory traffic signage to be installed at the intersections.
3. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance or failing to comply with any requirements herein, upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine as provided for in the general penalty section 1.01.009 of the La FERIA Code of Ordinances.

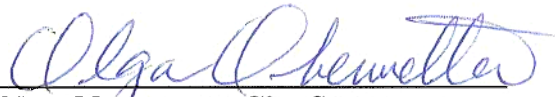
PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 10TH DAY OF MAY 2011.

APPROVED:



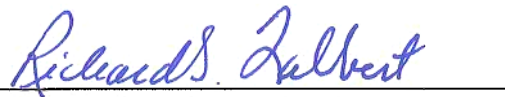
Steve Brewer, Mayor

ATTEST:



Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney