

**ORDINANCE 2022-12**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA TEMPORARILY CLOSING CERTAIN AND SPECIFIED STREETS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA AND MODIFYING TRAFFIC PATTERNS ON CERTAIN STREETS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THE SAFETY AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE PUBLIC DURING THE ANNUAL "LIGHTING OF THE TREE" CELEBRATION TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2022.**

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of the city of La Feria have shown much interest in participating in an annual "Lighting of the Tree" community celebration to begin the holiday festivities; and

**WHEREAS**, such celebration will promote the goodwill of the community and entice economic development in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the safety and general welfare of the participants and the general public are of prime concern; and

**WHEREAS**, the temporary closing of certain and specified streets to vehicular traffic will improve safety and provide an increased level of protection for participants; and

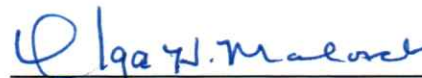
**WHEREAS**, the impact of the street closure will be a minimal impact to residents and to the general public residing in the area.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS** that the following streets be closed to all vehicular traffic on Thursday, **December 1, 2022, from 4:30 PM until 8:30 PM** or in the event of inclement weather any other alternate day in 2022 selected by the Event Planning Committee and approved by the City Manager.

1. Commercial Avenue from Main St. to East Street
2. The normal traffic patterns will resume after the event is complete.

**PASSED AND APPROVED ON THE 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 2022.**

**APPROVED:**



**Olga H. Maldonado, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**



**Amanda Morales, City Secretary**