

ORDINANCE NO. 552

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF WEST COLUMBIA, TEXAS, AMENDING THE LIST OF DESIGNATED SCHOOL ZONES WITHIN THE CITY PURSUANT TO SECTION 18-98 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WEST COLUMBIA AND DIRECTING THAT THE LIST OF SUCH SCHOOL ZONES ON FILE WITH THE CITY SECRETARY FOR THE CITY BE AMENDED BY DELETING FROM THAT LIST THE SCHOOL ZONE IN AND UPON THAT PORTION OF 17<sup>TH</sup> STREET NORTHERLY FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH JACKSON STREET TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH CLAY STREET, BUT RETAINING THE SCHOOL ZONE IN AND UPON 17<sup>TH</sup> STREET NORTHERLY FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH "B" STREET TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH JACKSON STREET; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, OR POLICIES OF THE CITY OF WEST COLUMBIA TO THE EXTENT THAT THEY ARE INCONSISTENT OR IN CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE; CONTAINING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST COLUMBIA, TEXAS:

Section One

The list of designated school zones on file with the City Secretary's office as provided under section 18-98 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of West Columbia, Texas, shall be and is hereby amended so that the school zone previously designated in and upon 17<sup>th</sup> Street from its intersection with "B" Street to its intersection with Clay Street have deleted from that designation that portion of 17<sup>th</sup> Street from its intersection with Jackson Street northerly to its intersection with Clay Street, and will henceforth read as follows:

- [1] A school zone during designated hours with a maximum speed limit of twenty miles per hour in and upon 17<sup>th</sup> Street from its intersection with "B" Street to its intersection with Jackson Street, provided that such school zone and reduced speed limit shall be effective beginning at 7:00 a.m. and ending at 8:30 a.m. and beginning at 2:30 p.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m. on each and every day that school is in session, provided further that in the event school is dismissed early for any reason and in the event the school zone is designated by flashing caution lights, those caution lights

may be activated and the school zone may be in effect beginning five (5) minutes before designated dismissal time and continuing for at least thirty (30) minutes and until the next even hour or half past the hour occurring after the expiration of that thirty minute period.

Section Two

Any and all code provisions, rules, ordinances, police regulations, resolutions, and/or informal policies of the City of West Columbia, whether written, or otherwise, which are in any manner in conflict with or inconsistent with this ordinance, shall be and are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict and/or inconsistency.

Section Three

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the several provisions of this ordinance are severable, and if any court of competent jurisdiction enters a final order which holds that any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase, or other portion of this ordinance is invalid, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable, then any such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and any such ruling shall not affect any provision of this ordinance which are not specifically designated as being illegal, invalid or unenforceable.

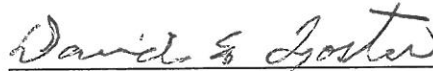
Section Four

This ordinance shall be effective and applicable immediately from and after the date of its passage and approval by the City Council and the City of West Columbia, and the publication of its caption as provided by law.

Section Five

This ordinance shall be effective and applicable immediately from and after the date of its passage and approval by the City Council of the City of West Columbia, Texas, and the publication of its caption as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2008.



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**DAVID E. FOSTER, Mayor**  
**City of West Columbia**

**ATTEST:**

*Kelli R. Kuban*

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**KELLI KUBAN, City Secretary**  
**City of West Columbia**