



## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Mayor and City Council

**From:** Kent Collins, P.E., Director of Public Works

**Date:** September 11, 2018

**Reference:** Wrangler School Zone Ordinance

**2030:** Special Place to Live; Sense of Community

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### General Information:

- This is an amendment to an existing ordinance.
- The existing ordinance covers Wrangler Circle, which is a private drive.
- This ordinance will extend the school zone onto Wrangler Drive.

### Introduction:

This item is to consider approval to amend an existing ordinance to extend the school zone onto Wrangler Drive. On September 8, 2015 City council approved an ordinance to create a school zone on Wrangler Circle, which is a private drive. Since then it has been requested that the school zone be extended onto Wrangler Drive.

### Analysis:

Wrangler Drive is a 40mph collector roadway with a new ninth grade center adjacent to it. The Coppell Police Department has requested that a school zone be established on Wrangler Drive. Given that the school fronts onto Wrangler Drive, and generates school-related vehicular and pedestrian activity, the reduced speed limit school zone on Wrangler Drive is justified. This ordinance will be an amendment to the existing ordinance to extend the school zone onto Wrangler Drive. The limits of the school zone will be from 2000 feet west of its intersection with Belt Line to 500 feet east of its intersection with Freeport Parkway. Existing signs and flashers located on Wrangler Circle will be relocated to Wrangler Drive to implement this extended school zone.

If this ordinance is approved by Council, all appropriate signage and flashers will be installed as soon as possible.

### Legal Review:

The City Attorney reviewed the ordinance.

**Fiscal Impact:**

There will be no capital cost associated with this item.

**Recommendation:**

The Public Works Department recommends approval of this ordinance.