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# COUNTY OF ALAMEDA PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY

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Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Alameda 1221 Oak Street, Suite 536 Oakland, CA 94612-4305

Dear Board Members:

SUBJECT: ADOPT AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS TRAFFIC CODE RELATING TO "VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC" IN EDEN TOWNSHIP

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## **<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>**:

Adopt an Ordinance amending the Alameda County Public Works (ACPW) Traffic Code relating to "Vehicles and Traffic," with changes to Chapter 1, Article 4, relating to "Stop Signs" and Chapter 1, Article 20, relating to "Disabled Persons and Veterans Parking Zones" in Eden Township.

#### **DISCUSSION/SUMMARY:**

To improve traffic operations and on-street parking conformity on roadways in the unincorporated area of Alameda County, modifications to the existing ACPW Traffic Code are required. The ACPW Traffic Code amendments reflect action taken on studies by the Public Works Agency and requests made by residents. Implementing these changes involves installing or removing signs and curb markings. The specific changes involve "Stop Signs" on Rizzo Avenue at Orange Avenue and on Vegas Avenue at Orange Avenue in the Castro Valley area and "Disabled Persons and Veterans Parking Zones" on Garrison Avenue and Madison Avenue in the Castro Valley area.

#### FINANCING:

There is no impact on the General Fund. The cost of implementing the proposed ACPW Traffic Code amendments is part of the ongoing Roadway Maintenance Program.

Yours truly,

Daniel Woldesenbet, Ph.D., P.E. Director of Public Works

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c: CHP-Castro Valley Area Tom Rodrigues, Sergeant, Sheriff's Department

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## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, RELATING TO "TRAFFIC REGULATIONS - COUNTY HIGHWAYS OF TITLE 6, RELATING TO VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC" OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS TRAFFIC CODE

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda ordains as follows:

## SECTION I

Article 4, relating to "Stop Signs," of Chapter 1 of Title 6 of the Alameda County Public Works Traffic Code is amended by the addition of Sections 6-98.14 and 6-100.55 to read:

#### STOP MANDATORY ON DESIGNATED APPROACHES.

6-98.14 <u>Rizzo Avenue at Orange Avenue</u>.

6-100.55 Vegas Avenue at Orange Avenue.

#### SECTION II

Section 6-705.116 of Article 20, relating to "Disabled Persons and Veterans Parking Zones," of Chapter 1 of Title 6 of the Alameda County Public Works Traffic Code is repealed.

Article 20, relating to "Disabled Persons and Veterans Parking Zones," of Chapter 1 of Title 6 of the Alameda County Public Works Traffic Code is amended by the addition of Section 6-705.152 to read:

6-705.152 <u>Garrison Avenue</u>. On the westerly curbline, from a point 380 feet southerly from the prolongation of the southerly curbline of Lux Avenue, southerly a distance of 20 feet.

#### SECTION III

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days from and after the date of its passage, and before the expiration of 15 days after its passage, it shall be published once with the names of the members voting for or against the same in the Inter-City Express, a newspaper published in the said County of Alameda.

## SUMMARY OF ACTION

### STOP SIGNS

#### STOP MANDATORY ON DESIGNATED APPROACHES

• Vegas Avenue at Orange Avenue, Castro Valley (4)

Change: Install STOP control on Vegas Avenue due to limited intersection visibility.

Initiated by: Traffic Engineering

• Rizzo Avenue at Orange Avenue, Castro Valley (4)

Change: Install STOP control on Rizzo Avenue due to limited intersection visibility.

Initiated by: Traffic Engineering

#### **DISABLED PERSONS AND VETERANS PARKING ZONES**

- Madison Avenue, Castro Valley (4)
  - Change: Remove "Disabled Persons and Veterans Parking Zones" at #18932 Madison Avenue because the current property owner no longer needs the disabled persons parking zone.

Requested by: Property Owner

• Garrison Avenue, Castro Valley (4)

Change: Establish an on-street parking zone reserved for vehicles of disabled persons.

Requested by: Property Owner