

Fort Bend County Engineering FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

Richard W. Stolleis, P.E. County Engineer

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Commissioner W. A. "Andy" Meyers Fort Bend County Precinct 3 22333 Grand Corner Drive Katy, Texas 77494

RE:

South Firethorne Road at Weldons Forest Drive - Multi-Way Stop Control

"NO PARKING, STOPPING, STANDING" signs on Weldons Forest Drive in Firethorne

West. Section 2

Dear Commissioner Meyers:

The Fort Bend County Engineering Department has completed a review of the operational conditions at the intersection of South Firethorne Road at Weldons Forest Drive in response to a request for multi-way stop control. The intersection currently operates with stop control on Weldons Forest Drive. South Firethorne Road has a posted speed of 35 mph and is identified as a Collector in the 2015 Fort Bend County Major Thoroughfare Plan.

For northbound traffic on Weldons Forest Drive, there is an immovable restriction of sight distance to the west on South Firethorne. As northbound traffic cannot safely traverse the intersection, a multi-way stop is warranted and Engineering recommends the conversion of the intersection to multi-way stop control.

Additionally, at the request of the Firethorne HOA, the traffic control plan includes the addition of "NO PARKING, STOPPING, STANDING" signs on Weldons Forest Drive between South Firethorne Road and Blue Finch Court. This prohibition will be in effect on school days, 7:00 - 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. The updated traffic control plan is attached.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at 281-633-7528 or chris.debaillon@fortbendcountytx.gov.

Regards.

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