

ORDINANCE NO. 232

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF UHLAND, TEXAS AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE PLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES (FLASHING YELLOW LIGHTS) AT THE INTERSECTION OF STATE HIGHWAY 21 (SH 21) AND COTTON GIN ROAD; AND PROVIDING FOR THE FOLLOWING: FINDINGS OF FACT; SHORT TITLE; ENFORCEMENT BY FINE, NOT TO EXCEED FIVE-HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00); REPEALER; SEVERABILITY; EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas seeks to protect the public safety, preserve the quality of life, and prevent nuisances in the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas has the authority pursuant to Chapter 51 of the Texas Local Government Code to adopt and publish ordinances or police regulations that are necessary for the government, interest, welfare, or good order of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas has the authority under Subchapter B of Chapter 542 of the Code to regulate traffic-control devices; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas herby determines placement of flashing yellow lights at the heretofore mentioned intersections is necessary to promote the safety and welfare of pedestrians and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas is requesting Texas Department of Transportation to place and maintain traffic control devices (flashing yellow lights) at the heretofore mentioned intersections; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UHLAND, TEXAS:

1. Finding of fact

The foregoing recitals are incorporated into this Ordinance by reference as findings of fact as if expressly set forth herein.

2. Short Title

This Ordinance and the authorizations herein shall be known as the: "SH 21 Flashing Yellow Lights Ordinance".

3. Authorization of Traffic Control Devices

The City Council of the City of Uhland, Texas hereby authorizes Texas Department of Transportation to place and maintain traffic control devices (flashing yellow lights) at the intersection of state highway 21 (SH 21) and cotton gin road, and at the intersection of SH 21.

4. Repealer

All ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof, that are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain controlling as to the matters regulated, herein.

5. Severability

Should any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance be deemed invalid, unconstitutional, or unenforceable by a court of law or administrative agency, with jurisdiction over the matter, such determination shall not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

6. Effective date

This Ordinance shall be effective as provide by law.

Ayes Nays Abstentions

7. Proper Notice & Meeting

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, and notice was provided as required by Chapter 52 of the Texas Local Government Code.

PASSED, ADOPTED & APPROVED this 7th day of August 2019 by a vote of:

Vickie Hunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

City Administrator

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