



Streets and Maintenance Department

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Dear Resident,

The City's Street and Maintenance Department, through its Neighborhood Traffic Management Program (NTMP), has programmed changes to Comet Street, between Hondo Pass and Moonlight, to address concerns such as speeding, accidents and cut-through traffic.

The NTMP was adopted by the City of El Paso to evaluate traffic patterns in residential neighborhoods and, where applicable, recommend and install traffic calming solutions. Through an NTMP application process initiated by your neighborhood, Comet Street was deemed eligible for traffic calming improvements in September 2018.

Until recently, limited funding had prevented the City from moving forward with traffic calming on Comet Street. In August 2019, City Council authorized funding that allowed staff to purchase speed cushions to address many of the streets on the waiting list, including Comet Street.

The City will be hosting a public meeting at the Canyon Hills Middle School cafeteria (8930 Eclipse) at 6 p.m. on Thursday, November 21, 2019. This meeting will include a presentation of the proposed speed cushion locations, as well as, a tentative installation schedule. *Please note that our policy requires that final locations for speed cushions be coordinated with abutting property owners prior to installation.*

If you have any questions or concerns, those items can be discussed with City staff at the public meeting. If you are unable to attend, or would like to discuss the improvements prior to the meeting, you may either contact my office by phone, at (915) 212-1875, or by email, at NTMP@elpasotexas.gov.

Sincerely,

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Lead Planner

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