

ORDINANCE NO. 001-2022

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF BUFFALO GAP DESIGNATING INTERSECTIONS AS STOP INTERSECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Buffalo Gap (the "Town") is a Type A general law municipality operating pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas;

WHEREAS, Section 544.003(b)(2) of the Texas Transportation Code allows a municipality to "designate an intersection on a highway under its jurisdiction as a stop intersection...and place a sign at one or more entrances of the intersection"; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town finds that establishing certain intersections within the Town as four-way stop intersections will promote the safety of Town residents and visitors.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BUFFALO GAP, TEXAS, that:

Section 1. Intersections Designated as Four-Way Stop Intersections. The following intersections are hereby designated as four-way stop intersections:

North Street and West Street
Northwest Street and Elm Street

All other intersections previously designated as stop intersections are unaffected by this Ordinance.

Section 2. Signage Authorized. The Mayor is hereby authorized to direct appropriate Town staff or officials to place official traffic-control devices to effectuate this Ordinance.

Section 3. State Law Enforcement. Pursuant to Section 544.004 of the Texas Transportation Code, motor vehicle operators must comply with an official traffic-control device placed by the Town as provided by this Ordinance.

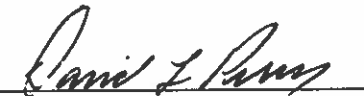
Section 4. Severability. If any section or clause of this Ordinance is deemed to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, the validity of the remaining sections and clauses shall not be affected thereby, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Buffalo Gap, Texas, on this the 8th day of September 2022.

ATTEST:


Mackenzie Swanzy, City Secretary


David L. Perry, Mayor