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To: Transportation Advisory Board

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Subject: Establish Speed Limit Crismon Road, Ray Road to Williams Field Road

Purpose and Recommendation

Approximately 1,200-feet of Crismon Road were constructed as part of the Eastmark development. This section of Crismon Road has been identified as a "district street" in the Eastmark Community Plan and will require a speed limit to be established per City Code. The section of Crismon Road currently has a posted speed limit of 35 mph.

Staff recommends establishing a speed limit in City Code of 35 mph on Crismon Road from Ray Road to Williams Field Road. See Figure 1 for a location map.

Background and Discussion

Crismon Road is a fully developed 66-foot wide street and will run from Ray Road to Williams Field Road once the Eastmark development is completed. This section of Crismon Road is a 4-lane collector with a raised median and will provide access to numerous local/residential streets throughout the Eastmark development, south of Ray Road. As the Eastmark development expands, Crismon Road is expected to continue farther south. A 35-mph speed limit is reasonable and typical for this type roadway within residential neighborhoods.

Alternatives

As an alternative, a speed limit other than the recommended 35 mph could be established. However, considering the roadway geometrics and the residential nature of this portion of Crismon Road, a speed limit of 35 mph is most appropriate and reasonable.

Fiscal Impact

The installation of speed limit signs is included in the construction of Eastmark, resulting in no fiscal impact.

