

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-118

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PATTISON, TEXAS, BY AMENDING THE PRIMA FACIE MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT FOR RED BIRD LANE, AND BLUE JAY WAY AT 30 MPG TO A PRIMA FACIE MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT AT 20 MPH; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT OR IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND PROVIDING SEVERABILITY.

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WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Pattison determines that RED BIRD LANE AND BLUE JAY WAY is a two-lane, undivided street or part of a street within the corporate limits of the City of Pattison and RED BIRD LANE AND BLUE JAY WAY are not an officially designated or marked state highway or road; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Pattison determines that RED BIRD LANE AND BLUE JAY WAY current prima facie speed limit is unreasonable or unsafe; and

WHEREAS, Texas Transportation Code Section 545.356 (b-3) states that a City with a population of 2,000 or less may declare a lower speed limit of not less than 10 miles per hour without an engineering and traffic investigation.

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

Section 1. Facts and recitations. The facts and recitations set forth in the preamble of this Ordinance are found to be true and correct.

Section 2. The speed limit on RED BIRD LANE AND BLUE JAY WAY is set at 20 mph.

Section 3. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined in an amount not to exceed \$200.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 5. In the event any clause, phrase, provision, sentence, or part of the Ordinance or the application of the same to any person or circumstance shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this Ordinance as a whole or any part or provision hereof other than the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of the City of Pattison, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, whether there be one or more parts.

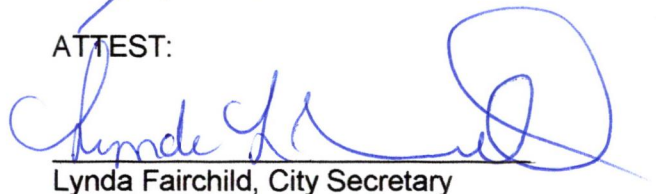
Section 6. **Effective date.** This ordinance shall become effect from the date that the speed limits signs are officially and properly posted and said ordinance is published in the newspaper as required by Texas Law.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of January 2019.



Joe Garcia, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lynda Fairchild, City Secretary