

ORDINANCE NO. 1405

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KYLE, TEXAS, REGULATING THE RATE AND SPEED OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON THE NORTHBOUND AND SOUTHBOUND IH 35 FRONTAGE ROADS FROM MILE POINT 13.208 TO MILE POINT 20.211, WHICH IS THROUGHOUT THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF KYLE; DEFINING THE SPEED LIMIT; REPEALING ANY ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; DECLARING A PENALTY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the regulation of traffic, motor vehicles and conveyances upon all public streets, roadway and rights-of-way within the City limits of the City of Kyle (the “City”) is essential and necessary to protect the traveling public and to preserve and protect the public safety of the City; and

WHEREAS, in Kyle, Texas, a traffic investigation by Texas Department of Transportation has determined the prima facie maximum speed of motor vehicles on the northbound and southbound IH-35 Frontage roads within City limits; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the speed limits set forth herein will provide for and will be in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of its residents and businesses and the general traveling public.

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

Section 1. Findings of Fact. The above and foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein as findings of fact.

It is hereby determined upon the basis of a traffic investigation that the prima facie maximum speed limit on those portions of IH 35 FRONTAGE ROADS within the city limits of the City is hereby determined and declared to be reasonable and safe, which prima facie maximum speed limit shall be effective at all times when signs are erected giving notice thereof.

Section 2. Speed Zone Designation. The City Council has determined that all vehicles proceeding along the following streets shall abide by the posted speed limit as defined in the sections to follow.

FOR NORTHBOUND TRAFFIC

From mile point 13.208 (Kyle South City Limit – 90 feet N. of Yarrington Rd.) to mile point 20.211 (Kyle North City Limit – 300 feet N. of Kelly Smith Lane), a distance of 7.003 miles, a prima facie maximum speed limit of 55 miles per hour.

FOR SOUTHBOUND TRAFFIC

From mile point 20.211 (Kyle North City Limit – 400 Feet N. of RM 967) to mile point 16.882 (at Marketplace Ave.), a distance of 3.329 miles, a prima facie maximum speed limit of 55 miles per hour.

From mile point 16.882 (at Marketplace Ave.) to mile point 13.208 (Kyle South City Limit – 90 feet N. of Yarrington Rd.), a distance of 3.674 miles, a prima facie maximum speed limit of 50 miles per hour.

Section 3. Confirmation. For the above-described zone,

No person shall drive any vehicle in excess of 55 miles per hour from mile point 13.208 to mile point 20.211 along the northbound IH-35 frontage road and from mile point 20.211 to mile point 16.882 along the southbound IH-35 frontage road. No person shall drive any vehicle in excess of 50 miles per hour from mile point 16.882 to mile point 13.208 along the southbound IH-35 frontage road.

Section 4. Violation and Fines. Any person violating any provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to the penalty provided in Section 1-14 of the Code of Ordinances and in accordance with state law, including the Texas Transportation Code.

Section 5. Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances. All ordinances or parts thereof conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance as adopted and amended herein, specifically including portions of Ordinance No. 784 and Ordinance No. 1356, are hereby amended to the extent of such conflict. In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this ordinance and any other code or ordinance of the City, the terms and provisions of this ordinance shall govern.


Section 6. Open Meetings. That it is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapt. 551, Gov't. Code.

Section 7. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any purpose, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 8. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective from and after its approval and passage in accordance with the Texas Local Government Code and the city charter.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 21st day of April, 2026.
FINALLY PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 5th day of May, 2026.

The City of Kyle, Texas



Yvonne Flores-Cale, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jennifer Kirkland, City Secretary