

CITY OF GAINESVILLE

Inter-Office Communication

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DATE: July 9, 2007
TO: Recreation, Cultural Affairs and Public Works Committee
FROM: Stewart Pearson, Engineering Manager
SUBJECT: #070082 - NW 22nd Street Speeding Issues
Evaluation of an Alternative Traffic Calming Measure

Project Description:

Installation of 'Radar' speed limit signs on road segment for a period of up to six months as a means to accentuate the neighborhood speed limit for drivers.

Purpose:

Evaluate the effectiveness of flashing sign technology to reinforce the 25 MPH speed limit on the road segment.

Schedule:

- Installation of signs by mid-August.
- Speed Studies
 - Mid – September
 - Mid – October
 - Mid – November
- Data Compilation complete by end of November
- Report to Recreation, Cultural Affairs and Public Works Committee in December

Problem:

A number of vehicles are traveling through the neighborhood in-excess of the posted speed limit.

Project Team:

- GPD – Anthony Ferrara
- Traffic Operations – Phil Mann
- GFD – Gene Prince
- Engineering Services – Stu Pearson

Neighborhood Representatives:

- Stephen Packard
- Jimmy Harnsberger