



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#18-1274

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: December 18, 2018

TITLE: Resolution in Support of Broward County Posting “NO THRU TRUCKS”
Signage at the Intersection of Southwest 25th Avenue and the Southern
Right-of-Way Line of Davie Boulevard

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution in support of Broward County’s Traffic Engineering Division (BCTED) posting a “NO THRU TRUCKS” sign at the intersection of Southwest 25th Avenue and the southern right-of-way line of Davie Boulevard.

Background

As part of an ongoing multi-agency investigation into a neighbor service request regarding commercial truck traffic and continuous use of SW 25th Avenue, the Broward County Traffic Engineering Division (BCTED) recommended a “No Thru Trucks” sign to be installed at the intersection of Southwest 25th Avenue and the southern right-of-way line of Davie Boulevard and SW 25th Avenue; which is classified as a city local street.

BCTED conducted field research in reference to this service request and discovered that, despite existing signage, commercial truck traffic appears to be using SW 25th Avenue, south of Davie Boulevard as a cut-through in order to save travel time by avoiding traffic on SW 27th Avenue. This portion of SW 25th Avenue is residential and is not suitable for use as a cut-through commercial truck traffic route.

BCTED has required a formal resolution be passed in order for the new sign to be installed. The installation of this sign is recommended, based upon a local preference and to enhance the safety of the residential street by alerting commercial truck drivers of the restricted movement prior to turning south onto SW 25th Avenue.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action. Design and installation of the necessary signage will be funded and completed by BCTED.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 1: Be a pedestrian friendly, multi-modal City.
- Objective 1: Improve transportation options and reduce congestion by working with agency partners.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Proposed Site Location Map

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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