



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

#21-0802

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: September 9, 2021

TITLE: Resolution Supporting Broward County Traffic Engineering Division to post
“NO THRU TRUCKS” Signage on the Northbound Lane of Bayview Drive
at NE 51st Street - **(Commission District 1)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission adopt a resolution supporting the Broward County Traffic Engineering Division (BCTED) to post a “NO THRU TRUCKS” sign on the northbound lane of Bayview Drive at NE 51st Street.

Background

The Landings Residential Association has shared concerns of increased commercial truck traffic within their residential neighborhood. City Traffic Engineering staff conducted field research in response to the neighborhood’s concerns and discovered that commercial truck traffic is traveling northbound on Bayview Drive from East Commercial Boulevard.

The Traffic Engineering Agreement between the City of Fort Lauderdale and Broward County requires the City Commission to approve a Resolution of Support for the installation of “NO THRU TRUCKS” signage. The City of Fort Lauderdale Traffic Engineering staff recommends “NO THRU TRUCKS” signage to be installed on Bayview Drive northbound at the intersection of NE 51st Street to enhance public safety in that residential area.

The installation of proposed sign is recommended, based upon community feedback and with the objective to enhance the safety of the residential street. Proposed signage is expected to improve conditions by alerting commercial truck drivers of the restricted movement, prior to turning onto or continuing north across the bridge into the community on Bayview Drive.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *2021 Top Commission Priority*, advancing the Transportation and Traffic initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024 Strategic Plan*, specifically advancing:

- The Infrastructure Focus Area
- Goal 2: Build a multi-modal and pedestrian friendly community.
- Objective: Improve transportation options and reduce congestion by working with partners
- Objective: Improve roads, sidewalks, and trails to prioritize a safer, more walkable and bikeable community

This item advances the *Fast-Forward Fort Lauderdale Vision Plan 2035: We Are Ready*

This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan specifically advancing:

- The Infrastructure Focus Area
- The Transportation and Mobility Element
- Goal 3: Ensure a cohesive transportation network among local, regional, and state regulatory institutions

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Location Map

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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