20-1548 Resolution No. 21-247

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF THE COUNTY OF FRESNO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF CANCELING THE EXISTING SPEED) UNDULATIONS INSTALLATION POLICY, AND ADOPTING) A PROPOSED SPEED UNDULATIONS (SPEED HUMPS) POLICY, WHICH GENERALLY PROHIBITS THE) INSTALLATION OF SPEED HUMPS ON FRESNO COUNTY) MAINTAINED ROADS, AND PROVIDES A PROCEDURE) FOR REMOVAL OF EXISTING SPEED HUMPS

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, On December 6, 1994, your Board approved a policy for installation of Speed Humps (attached); and

WHEREAS, Speed Humps are a roadway design feature intended to curb vehicle speeds and/or reduce traffic volumes; and

WHEREAS, although Speed Humps do slow traffic to some degree, the use of Speed Humps diverts traffic to other neighborhood streets, increases emergency-vehicle response time, increases noise level due to vehicle brakes and engine noise, and present a potential hazard to cyclists and motorcyclists; and WHEREAS, for these reasons, the Department of Public Works and Planning recommends cancelling the existing Speed Undulations Policy, and adopting a policy generally prohibiting the installation of Speed Humps from this point forward.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby cancels the current Speed Undulations Installation Policy adopted on December 6, 1994, and adopts the attached Speed Undulations (Speed Humps) Policy, which generally prohibits the installation of new Speed Humps on Fresno County-maintained roads, and provides procedures for removal of existing Speed Humps.

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THE FOREGOING was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 24th day of August, 2021 to wit: AYES: Supervisors Brandau, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero NOES: None None ABSENT: None ABSTAINED: By: Steve Brandau, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno ATTEST: Bernice E. Seidel Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Fresno, State of California