

ADOPTED BY THE
MAYOR AND COUNCIL

April 12, 2005

ORDINANCE NO. 10140

RELATING TO STREETS AND SIDEWALKS; ESTABLISHING A TEMPORARY WORK ZONE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PROGRAM; AMENDING TUCSON CODE BY AMENDING SECTION 25-24 THEREOF AND BY ADDING A NEW ARTICLE V TO CHAPTER 25 THEREOF ENTITLED TEMPORARY WORK ZONE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TUCSON, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Tucson Code Section 25-24 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 25-24. Barricades; notice.

- (a) The applicant shall adequately barricade work in accordance with the latest edition of the "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices," including additions by the city, and shall install sufficient warning lights and signs to protect the public. The applicant shall notify and obtain approval from the traffic engineer seventy-two (72) hours in advance, except in emergencies, before closing or barricading any street or public right-of-way, or portion thereof.

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- (b) Three (3) copies of the “Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices,” including additions by the city, shall be filed in the office of the city clerk and are made public records and shall be available for public use and inspection during regular office hours.”

SECTION 2. The Tucson Code Chapter 25 is hereby amended by adding a new Article V entitled Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management, to read as follows:

“Article V. Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management

Section 25-88. Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management Program established.

There is hereby established a Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management Program to improve work zone safety and to manage temporary roadway restrictions in order to minimize delays and frustrations for the traveling public. The Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management Program is intended to enhance the planning, application, and oversight of traffic control management in temporary work areas in roadways, sidewalks, and transit zones.

Section 25-89. Definitions.

As used in this Article, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated below:

- (a) Major holiday shall mean any holiday enumerated in A.R.S. § 1-301.
- (b) MUTCD shall mean the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices as amended by the State of Arizona and including additions by the City.

- (c) NCHRP 350 Guidelines shall mean National Cooperative Highway Research Program Report 350, three (3) copies of which shall be kept on file in the office of the city clerk and are made public records and shall be available for public use and inspection during regular office hours.
- (d) Peak travel time shall mean 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding major holidays.
- (e) Transit zone shall mean those portions of public rights-of-way reserved for stopping and standing of public transit vehicles or for passenger waiting, alighting or boarding of public transit vehicles.
- (f) Active work shall mean the presence of workers engaged in maintenance of, or construction upon public rights-of-way, and shall include related activities necessary for full completion of the work, such as material drying or curing times when workers may not be physically present. As long as workers engaged in the maintenance of, or construction upon the public rights-of-way are present in the temporary work zone, the term active work shall also include those periods of time when they may be idle due to material, equipment, inspection or similar scheduling requirements.

Section 25-90. Temporary Work Zone Traffic Management.

In addition to the barricading and permitting requirements contained in Section 25-24 and elsewhere in this Chapter, all temporary work zone barricading within City of Tucson rights-of-way shall substantially comply