

ORDINANCE NO. 20-P

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 24, TRAFFIC, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF ALVIN, TEXAS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING AND ALTERING THE PRIMA FACIE SPEED LIMIT ESTABLISHED FOR VEHICLES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 545.356 OF THE TEXAS TRANSPORTATION CODE, UPON THE BASIS OF AN ENGINEERING AND TRAFFIC INVESTIGATION, UPON CERTAIN STREETS AND HIGHWAYS, OR PARTS THEREOF, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ALVIN, AS SET OUT IN THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION, AND EFFECTIVE DATE; AND SETTING FORTH OTHER PROVISIONS RELATED THERETO.

“Sec. 24-6. Same – On specified streets and highways.

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- (c) Along SH 6, from County Road 142 to the south Alvin City Limit, a distance of approximately 0.976 mile, the speed limit shall be 50 mph.

Section 4. Penalty Provision. Any person, firm or corporation violating a provision of this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine in accordance with the general penalty section 1-5 of the Code of Ordinances: Whenever in this Code or in any ordinance of the city an act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or wherever in such Code or ordinance the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful, and no specific penalty is provided therefore, the violation of any such provision of this Code or any such ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00); except that a violation of an ordinance or a provision of this Code governing fire safety, zoning or public health and sanitation, including dumping of refuse, may be punished by a fine not exceeding two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), if said offense is committed intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or with criminal negligence. Provided, however, that no penalty shall be greater or less than the penalty provided for the same or a similar offense under the laws of the state. Each day any violation of this Code or of any ordinance shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.