

ALAMO ST. AT RIVERA ST. / APPLE GROVE – 12-MONTH CUL-DE-SAC CLOSURE PILOT PROJECT

Public Works Department

City Council Meeting September 17, 2024

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BACKGROUND

- Riviera Communities HOA and residents have reported ongoing concerns within the cul-de-sac at the westerly end of Alamo St. including:
 - 1. Illegal dumping;
 - 2. Parking violations;
 - 3. Graffiti;
 - 4. Loitering activity; and
 - 5. Trash and debris; and





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DISCUSSION

- Public Works' review determined that the cul-de-sac:
 - 1. Provides no access to the Riviera Communities housing tract or adjacent businesses; and
 - 2.Though there is a catch basin at the end of the cul-de-sac no utilities run along the cul-de-sac.



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DISCUSSION (CONTINUED)

- To mitigate ongoing issues Public Works is proposing a 12-month cul-de-sac closure pilot project on the west leg of Alamo St. at Rivera St. / Apple Grove;
- A swing gate and signage to close the cul-de-sac is proposed; and

The swing gate will continue to allow cul-de-sac access

for emergency and service vehicles.



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PILOT PROJECT BENEFITS

- The 12-month pilot project is anticipated to reduce or eliminate illegal dumping and parking within the culde-sac and to deter graffiti, loitering activity, trash and debris:
- The swing gate will continue to allow cul-de-sac access for emergency and service vehicles; and
- The pilot project allows review of effectiveness/impacts prior to considering permanent improvements.
- Transportation Board recommended approval (5/24)



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STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT





Support programs and innovations that enhance community safety, 2.4. encourage neighborhood engagement, and build public trust.

Cross-Cutting Threads

This item aligns with each thread.



Equity



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RECOMMENDATION

• That the City Council approve the proposed 12-month cul-de-sac closure pilot project on the west leg of Alamo St. at its intersection with Rivera St. / Apple Grove.



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