

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, July 22, 2003 Council Session

Item G19

#2003-213 - Approving Intersection Changes for Traffic Control at the Intersection of Seedling Mile Road and Seedling Mile Access Road.

Council action is required for the installation of stop signs. Property owners and motorists utilizing the intersection of Seedling Mile Road and the Seedling Mile Access Road have requested changes to the intersection to improve traffic flow. This intersection was created during the construction of the new Stuhr Road/US Highway 30 intersection. The Engineering Division of the Public Works Department has reviewed the area and requests the following changes:

Removal of the stop sign for south bound traffic on the Seedling Mile Access Road

Installation of a stop sign for east bound traffic on Seedling Mile Road.

Installation of a stop sign for west bound traffic on Seedling Mile Road with Right Turns permitted without stopping.

The above changes would create an intersection very similar to the Stolley Park Road and North Road intersection in the west portion of the City. It is recommended that Council pass a Resolution authorizing the installation of new traffic controls for the intersection of Seedling Mile Road and the Seedling Mile Access Road. The costs for the change would be minimal for the signs and installation.

Staff Contact: Steve Riehle, City Engineer/Public Works Director

RESOLUTION 2003-213

WHEREAS, the City Council, by authority of Section 22-27 of the Grand Island City Code, may by resolution regulate motor vehicle traffic upon the streets of the City of Grand Island; and

WHEREAS, requests have been made to improve traffic flow at the intersection of Seedling Mile Road and the Seedling Mile Road Access Road;

WHEREAS, after a review of the traffic flow in the area, it is recommended that the following changes be made at the intersection:

- A. Remove the stop sign for south bound traffic on the Seedling Mile Access Road
- B. Install a stop sign for east bound traffic on Seedling Mile Road
- C. Install a stop sign for west bound traffic on Seedling Mile Road, with right turns permitted without stopping

WHEREAS, it is in the city's best interests to effectuate such changes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the following traffic control changes be made at the intersection of Seedling Mile Road and the Seedling Mile Access Road:

- 1. The stop sign for south bound traffic on Seedling Mile Access Road be removed.
- 2. A stop sign be installed on Seeding Mile Road, requiring all east bound traffic to stop prior to entering such intersection.
- 3. A stop sign be installed on Seedling Mile Road for west bound traffic, permitting right turns without stopping.
- 4. The Street Department is hereby directed to remove and/or install such signs to regulate traffic as outlined above.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, July 22, 2003.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk