City of Fort Worth, Texas

Mayor and Council Communication

DATE: 08/12/25 **M&C FILE NUMBER:** M&C 25-0686

LOG NAME: 20TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF A SECTION OF COLE STREET

SUBJECT

(CD 8 and CD 11) Ratify the Temporary Closure of a Section of Cole Street between East Ripy Street and East Butler Street, a Section of Echo Lake South Drive between East Ripy Street and South Freeway Northbound Frontage Road, a Section of Echo Lake North Drive between YC Shamblee Drive and South Freeway Northbound Frontage Road, and a Section of YC Shamblee Drive between Echo Lake North Drive and East Shaw Street from August 1, 2025 to September 9, 2026 for Construction Activities

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council ratify the temporary closure of a section of Cole Street between East Ripy Street and East Butler Street, a section of Echo Lake South Drive between East Ripy Street and South Freeway northbound frontage road, a section of Echo Lake North Drive between YC Shamblee Drive and South Freeway northbound frontage road, and a section of YC Shamblee Drive between Echo Lake North Drive and East Shaw Street from August 1, 2025 to September 9, 2026 for construction activities.

DISCUSSION:

The City of Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works Department on behalf of LJ Design and Construction authorized the August 1, 2025 to September 9, 2026 temporary closure of a section of Cole Street between East Ripy Street and East Butler Street, a section of Echo Lake South Drive between East Ripy Street and South Freeway northbound frontage road, a section of Echo Lake North Drive between YC Shamblee Drive and South Freeway northbound frontage road, and a section of YC Shamblee Drive between Echo Lake North Drive and East Shaw Street for removal and reinstallation of roads, sidewalks, parking lots, ball fields and playgrounds within Echo Lake Park (City Project No.104195). Access will be available at all times to local residents and businesses. The Park and Recreation Project Manager has confirmed that the public has been notified of the project and closure. Traffic control plans for this project have been previously accepted.

A Form 1295 is not required because: This M&C does not request approval of a contract with a business entity.

FISCAL INFORMATION / CERTIFICATION:

The Director of Finance certifies that approval of this recommendation will have no material effect on City funds.

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