INTRODUCED: October 10, 2022

AN ORDINANCE No. 2022-299

As Amended

To install one speed table along Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road, specifically located between 2604 Seminary Avenue and 2606 Seminary Avenue.

Patron – Ms. Lambert

Approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney

PUBLIC HEARING: DEC 12 2022 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road is located in

a populous residential area of the city; and

WHEREAS, upon information and belief of the Council, area residents have expressed concern about speeding on Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road for an extended period of time; and

WHEREAS, section 2-428 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2020), as amended, requires an appropriate study by the Department of Public Works prior to the adoption of an ordinance regulating motor vehicle traffic within the city; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been properly referred to the Department of Public Works

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and more than 60 days have elapsed since such referral;

THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. That one speed table shall be installed along Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road, specifically located between 2604 Seminary Avenue and 2606 Seminary Avenue, by no later than [90 days after the date of the adoption of this ordinance] June 30, 2023.

§ 2. This ordinance shall be in force and effect upon adoption or such other date as may be fixed by traffic order of the Director of Public Works if, prior to adoption, the speed table has been installed along Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road, specifically located between 2604 Seminary Avenue and 2606 Seminary Avenue.

A TRUE COPY: TESTE: Cambin D. Rich City Clerk







Office of the Council Chief of Staff

Ordinance/Resolution Request

ТО	Haskell Brown, City Attorney		
THROUGH	Joyce Davis, Interim Council Chief of Staff		
FROM	Steven Taylor, Council Policy Analyst		
СОРҮ	Anne-Frances Lambert, 3rd District Council Member Kiya Stokes, 3rd District Liaison Tabrica Rentz, Deputy City Attorney		
DATE	September 30, 2022		
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TITLE	Speed Bump Installations at locations on Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road.		

This is a request for the drafting of an	Ordinance 🛛 Resolution 🗌
REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/PATRON	SUGGESTED STANDING COMMITTEE
Ann-Frances Lambert	LUHT

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION SUMMARY

The patron requests that legislation be drafted for Council's consideration requiring the installation of one speed table, within 90 days of Council's approval of the legislation, as follows:

• Seminary Avenue between Overbrook Road and Edgehill Road, specifically between 2604 and 2606 Seminary Avenue.

BACKGROUND

The patron requested traffic studies of the area with Paper No. 2021-201 (approved June 28, 2021). DPW/Traffic Engineering study found that speed tables are not warranted. However; area residents have continued to contact their Council Member to address speeding concerns. The patron and area residents hope that the installation of speed tables here will help prevent speeding in the area and any collisions that might occur on the roadway.

The patron's office was notified that the Edgehill Chamberlayne Court Edgehill Civic Association voted to support installation of the proposed speed table at its September 2022 meeting by its President.

The patron hopes that there is improved traffic safety as a result of the speed table installation and that this will protect pedestrians, cyclists, and auto-drivers.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT				
Fiscal Impact	Yes 🗌 No 🖂			
Budget Amendment Required	Yes 🗌 No 🔀			
Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact	\$ N/A			
Note: DPW staff report that speed b	oumps cost approximately \$14,000 each.			
Attachment/s Yes 🗌 No 🖂				