RESOLUTION#007-25

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF DE LEON, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THAT A REQUEST BE MADE TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE PORTIONS OF STATE HIGHWAY 16 ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2025 FOR ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CHRISTMAS PARADE AND ANNUAL COUNTRY CHRISTMAS; AUTHORIZING MAYOR GRISHAM TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IF SAID REQUEST IS GRANTED.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of De Leon finds that closure of portions of State Highway 16 on Saturday, December 13, 2025 for activities associated with the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade and Annual Country Christmas serves a public purpose and is consistent with the safety and convenience of the traveling public;

WHEREAS, the areas to be closed for the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade and Annual Country Christmas are located within the incorporated limits of the City of De Leon;

NOW, THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DE LEON, TEXAS:

- Section 1. That the above and foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein as findings of fact.
- Section 2. That the City wishes to make a request to the Texas Department of Transportation to temporarily close portions of State Highway 16 on Saturday, December 13, 2025 for activities associated with the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade and Annual Country Christmas.
- Section 3. That the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and/or City Secretary are authorized to submit a request to the Texas Department of Transportation on behalf of the City of De Leon, pursuant to Rule §22.12 of Title 43 of the Administrative Code, that portions of State Highway 16 be closed on December 13, 2025 for activities associated with the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade and Annual Country Christmas. Said request shall conform to the requirements of Rule §22.12(2).
- Section 4. That the Mayor and Mayor Pro Tempore are authorized to enter into an agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation, on behalf of the City of De Leon, for the temporary closure of portions of State Highway 16 for the purposes stated herein.
- Section 5. That this Resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of De Leon at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 17TH day of November 2025.

Section 6. That the purpose of this Resolution is to comply with Rule §22.12 of Title 43 of the Texas Administrative Code to obtain temporary closures of State Highway 16 so that the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade and Annual Country Christmas may be held on Saturday, December 13, 2025.

Pursuant to Article VII, Section 10 of the De Leon City Charter, the requirement that this Resolution be read at two meetings is hereby waived by the affirmative vote of all members of the De Leon City Council.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED on this the 17th day of November 2025.

Jan Grisham, Mayor

ATTEST:

Melenda K. Harbour, City Secretary

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