RESOLUTION NO. 21-2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ABILENE TO INSTALL FOUR-WAY STOP SIGNS AT THE INTERSECTION OF MAPLE STREET AND S 14TH STREET

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene is currently designing to widen Maple Street to increase traffic capacity along the Maple Street corridor; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene performed a traffic analysis during design to consider signalization at the intersection of Maple Street and S 14th Street which is not currently recommended; and,

WHEREAS, Abilene City Ordinance Section 18-67 requires traffic control devices to conform to the manual and specifications approved by the state or conform to City Council resolution; and,

WHEREAS, the installation of all-way stop signs does not currently conform with the recent engineering study and state specifications; however, installing the four-way stop would be beneficial as an interim measure of traffic control to accommodate for future development and expansion in the area; and,

WHEREAS, the installation of all-way stop signs prior to the widening of Maple would allow marking accommodations during the project and prohibit the need for future adjustments to the intersection

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS:

PART 1. The City of Abilene formally resolves that all-way stop signs should be installed at the intersection of Maple Street and S14th Street.

PART2. The City Manager or designee is authorized to install all-way stop signs in accordance with this resolution.

ADOPTED this 9th day of February, 2023.

ATTEST:

Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary

Anthony Williams, Mayor

APPROVED:

Stanley Smith, City Attorney