

**ORDINANCE NO. 16-2115**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE JACKSON, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 98 TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES TO PROHIBIT BLOCKING THE BESS BRANNEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUS ENTRANCE OFF OF THAT WAY AND TO PROHIBIT A LEFT TURN FROM SOUTH BOUND THAT WAY TO THE CIRCULAR DRIVE AT BESS BRANNEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; AND AUTHORIZING THE PLACEMENT OF SIGNS; PROVIDING THAT ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH SHALL BE REPEALED TO THE EXTENT OF THE CONFLICT ONLY; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE EFFECT AND BE IN FORCE FIVE DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE JACKSON, TEXAS:**

**Section 1:** That section 98-129.1(c) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lake Jackson is hereby amended to add the following:

*(c) No stopping, standing, parking, and/or loading or unloading passenger zones designated.*

The intersection of That Way and the bus entrance near FM2004 at Bess Brannen Elementary School.

**Section 2.** That section 98-129.5 is hereby amended to add the following:

**Sec. 98-129.5. Left turn only zones designated.**

The following are designated as left turn only lanes:

The left and middle lanes of north bound Yaupon Street at its intersection with FM2004.

The left lane of west bound Plantation at its intersection with Oleander.

South bound That Way into the circular drive of Bess Brannen Elementary School.

**Section 3:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict only.

**Section 4:** The Chief of Police is hereby directed to place and maintain, or to cause to be placed and maintained, the appropriate signs as authorized by the Texas Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices at the designated locations.

**Section 5:** Any person, firm, corporation, association or other entity that violates this ordinance shall be subject to the maximum fine set forth in section 542.401 of the Texas Transportation Code.

**Section 6:** If any part or portion of this ordinance shall be invalid or unconstitutional, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect or impair any remaining portions or provisions of this ordinance.

**Section 7:** The City Secretary shall publish the caption of this ordinance within ten (10) days of final passage in the official newspaper of the City. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after publication in accordance with Section 3-15 of the Charter of the City of Lake Jackson, Texas.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** on the first reading this 3rd day of October, 2016.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on the first reading this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

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**Joe Rinehart, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

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**Alice A. Rodgers**  
**City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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**Sherri Russell**  
**City Attorney**