

STAFF REPORT*CITY OF OCEANSIDE*

DATE: May 16, 2012
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers
FROM: Development Services Department
SUBJECT: **RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING STOP CONTROLS ON WINDWARD WAY AT NEVADA STREET**

SYNOPSIS

Staff and the Planning Commission recommend that the City Council adopt a resolution establishing stop controls on Windward Way at Nevada Street.

BACKGROUND

City staff received a traffic request from a resident for the installation of stop controls at the intersection of Windward Way and Nevada Street to help assign the right-of-way to motorists. The resident informed staff that there had been several accidents at this intersection due to motorists not adhering to the existing yield controls on Windward Way.

ANALYSIS

Windward Way at Nevada Street is a four-leg intersection with existing yield controls on Windward Way (Refer to Exhibit A). The intersection is located within a residential neighborhood. The corner-sight distance is limited for eastbound and westbound traffic on Windward Way. The minimum stopping sight distance of 155 feet is not met at this intersection due to the existing trees and landscaping. In the past year, there has been a reported collision at the subject intersection concerning a motorist not yielding the right-of-way to vehicular traffic on Nevada Street.

After staff reviewed the existing corner-sight distance and conditions of the intersection, staff recommends changing the yield controls to stop controls on Windward Way at Nevada Street. Establishing stop controls on Windward Way will help enforce the right-of-way at the intersection and will also coincide with the existing stop controls in the area.

FISCAL IMPACT

The installation of the proposed stop controls will cost approximately \$600 with an increase in annual maintenance of one work hour.

CITY ATTORNEY'S ANALYSIS

The referenced documents have been reviewed by the City Attorney and approved as to form.

COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE REPORT

At their March 26, 2012, meeting, the Planning Commission approved the proposed stop controls on Windward Way at Nevada Street.

RECOMMENDATION

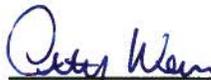
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Attachment:
Exhibit A – Location Map
Resolution

1 RESOLUTION NO.

2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
3 OCEANSIDE ESTABLISHING CERTAIN TRAFFIC CONTROLS
4 WITHIN THE CITY OF OCEANSIDE

5 (Stop controls on Windward Way at Nevada Street)

6 WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Oceanside finds the public health, safety,
7 and welfare will be benefited by establishing certain traffic controls on particular streets within
8 the City of Oceanside.

9 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Oceanside does resolve as follows:

10 SECTION 1. There are established stop controls on Windward Way at Nevada Street.

11 SECTION 2. Staff is directed to effect the foregoing controls as soon as possible.

12 PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Oceanside, California,
13 this _____ day of _____, 2012, by the following vote:

14 AYES:

15 NAYS:

16 ABSENT:

17 ABSTAIN:

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MAYOR OF THE CITY OF OCEANSIDE

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22 ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

23 _____
24 CITY CLERK

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26 *Barbara Hamilton, 1988*
27 _____
28 CITY ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A



PROJECT:

PROPOSED STOP CONTROLS ON WINDWARD WAY AT NEVADA STREET

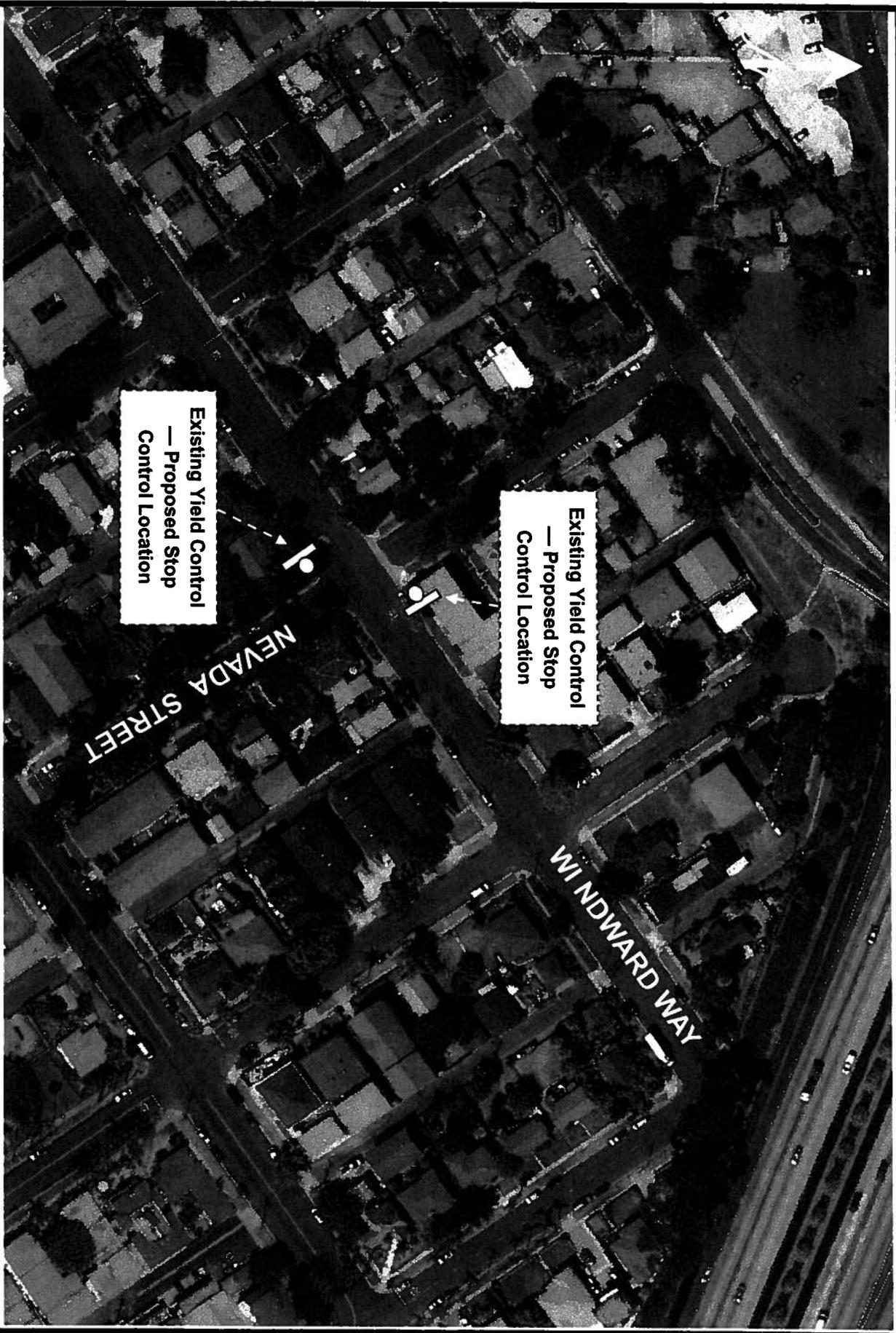


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