

ORDINANCE NO. 391

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, 1960, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE III, SECTION 18-28 TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL PLUMBING FEES WHERE MORE THAN TWO "ROUGH-IN" AND TWO "FINAL" INSPECTIONS OF PLUMBING INSTALLATIONS ARE REQUIRED; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

Section 1. That Chapter 18, Article III, Section 18-28 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, 1960, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 18-28. Fees

Plumbing permit fees shall be three dollars for the first fixture and fifty cents for each additional fixture. Where more than two rough-in inspections are required in connection with the installation of plumbing work, an additional fee of \$5.00 shall be charged for each additional inspection. Where more than two final inspections are required in connection with any plumbing installation, an additional fee of \$5.00 shall be paid for each such additional inspection. The additional inspection fees provided for herein shall be paid prior to the time such inspections are to be made. It being the intention of this ordinance to provide for the payment of additional fees where more than two regular inspections are required before the approval of plumbing installations."


Section 2. That all other provisions of the City Code not inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in the Corporation Court shall be assessed a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense.

Section 4. The fact that the present Code of the City of Mesquite does not adequately regulate the making of inspections under the plumbing code as contained in the 1960 City Code of the City of Mesquite nor provide for the payment of adequate fees for such re-inspection, creates an urgency and an emergency in the

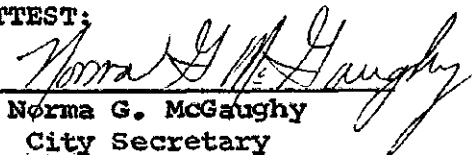
preservation of the public health, safety and welfare and requires that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication of the caption sheet, as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS
on the 18th day of September, 1961.



B. W. Cruce, Jr.
Mayor

ATTEST:



Norma G. McGaughy
City Secretary