

## ORDINANCE NO. 663

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING THE MESQUITE CITY CODE OF 1960 BY AMENDING CHAPTER 10, ARTICLE V, SECTION 10-47.8 SO AS TO REGULATE THE SPEED OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON PORTIONS OF BELT LINE ROAD, BRUTON ROAD, AND SOUTH GALLOWAY AVENUE, PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. That Chapter 10, Article V, Section 10-47.8 of the Mesquite City Code of 1960 is hereby amended by deleting therefrom the following:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Extent</u>	<u>Speed (MPH)</u>
Belt Line Road	From a point one hundred feet south of the south curb line of Whitehurst Street and Belt Line Road, north on Belt Line Road or South Galloway Avenue to a point fifty feet south of the south curb line of Borchardt Street and South Galloway Avenue	35
Bruton Road	From the west city limit, east to a point two hundred feet east of the east curb line of Acorn Drive and Bruton Road	35
Bruton Road	From a point two hundred feet east of the east curb line of Acorn Drive and Bruton Road, east to the west curb line of Belt Line Road and Bruton Road	40

SECTION 2. That Chapter 10, Article V, Section 10-47.8 is hereby amended by adding thereto the following so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 10-47.8 - Speed Restrictions

No person shall operate or drive a motor or other vehicle on the following designated streets at a greater speed than the speed designated for that street or portion of that street as set forth below in this section. Any speed in excess of the limit set forth in this section shall be prima facie evidence that such speed is neither reasonable nor prudent and is unlawful.

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<u>Street</u>	<u>Extent</u>	<u>Speed (MPH)</u>
Belt Line Road	From a point one hundred feet south of the south curb line of Whitehurst Street and Belt Line Road, north on Belt Line Road to the south right-of-way line of New Market Road and Belt Line Road	35
South Galloway Avenue	From the south right-of-way line of New Market Road, north on South Galloway Avenue to a point fifty feet south of the south curb line of Borchardt Street and South Galloway Avenue	35
Bruton Road	From the west city limit, east to a point two hundred feet east of the east right-of-way line of Interstate Highway 635 and Bruton Road	35
Bruton Road	From a point two hundred feet east of the east right-of-way line of Interstate Highway 635, east to the west curb line of Belt Line Road and Bruton Road	40

SECTION 3. That all other provisions of Chapter 10, Article V, Section 10-47.8 shall remain in full force and effect.


SECTION 4. That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in corporation court shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense.

SECTION 5. The fact that the present ordinances of the City of Mesquite do not adequately regulate the speed of motor vehicles on those portions of Belt Line Road, Bruton Road and South Galloway Avenue, as above described, creates an urgency and an emergency and in the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare requires that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and the publication of the caption as the law and charter in such cases provide.

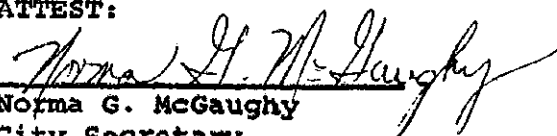
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DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite,  
Texas, on the 19 day of December, 1966.

  
George Boyce  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Norma G. McGaughy  
City Secretary

