

ORDINANCE NO. 944

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 10-47.8, CHAPTER X, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY CHANGING THE MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT ON PORTIONS OF SCYENE ROAD, AND STATE HIGHWAY 352; BY PROVIDING THAT ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE ARE REPEALED TO THE EXTENT OF SUCH CONFLICT AND THAT SECTION 10-47.8, CHAPTER X IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT; BY PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; BY PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. Section 10-47.8, Chapter X of the Code of the City of Mesquite is hereby amended as follows; in all other respects to remain in full force and effect:

The designated maximum speed limit on the following streets is changed as follows:

Scyene Road - (Eastbound lanes) From the West City Limits to a point 650 feet East of Peachtree Road - increased from 35 miles per hour to 45 miles per hour.

Scyene Road - (Eastbound lanes) From a point 650 feet East of Peachtree Road to Military Parkway - increased from 35 miles per hour to 40 miles per hour.

State Highway 352 - (Westbound) From Pioneer Road to its intersection with Scyene Road - decreased from 50 miles per hour to 40 miles per hour.

All other sections of the foregoing streets and highways shall remain as zoned.

SECTION 2. That all ordinances of the City of Mesquite in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are, hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict and all ordinances not in conflict herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. That should any paragraph, sentence, subdivision, clause, phrase, section or provision of this ordinance be adjudged or held to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any part or


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or provision hereof other than the part so decided to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid and shall not affect the validity of the remainder of Article 10-47.8 or any other provision of the Code of the City of Mesquite.

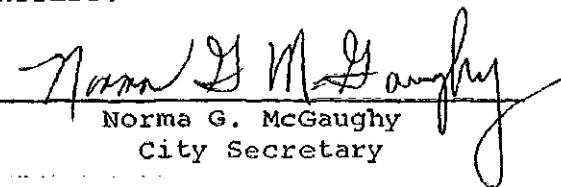
SECTION 4. That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in corporation court shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense.

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 Scyene Road, Davis Street, and State Highway 352, 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.

DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 3 day of May, A.D., 1971.


George Boyce
Mayor

ATTEST:


Norma G. McGaughy
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Elland Archer
City Attorney