

ORDINANCE NO. 1039

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS; PROVIDING FOR AND ALLOWING VESTING OF CERTAIN RIGHTS, AND FOR RETIREMENT UNDER TEXAS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE WHO HAVE ATTAINED FIFTY YEARS OF AGE, AND HAVE COMPLETED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF CREDITABLE SERVICE WITH SAID CITY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. Effective on the 1st day of January, 1973, any employee of the City of Mesquite, who has attained the age of fifty (50) years, and who as an employee of this City has completed twenty-five (25) or more years of creditable service for which he is entitled to credit in the Texas Municipal Retirement System, and who has been a member of the System for one year or more, shall be eligible for service retirement as provided in subsection 1(b), Section VII of Article 6243h, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, as amended. Any such employee who shall have completed twenty (20) years or more of creditable service as an employee of said City shall continue as a member of Texas Municipal Retirement System despite subsequent absence from service for a period in excess of sixty months, provided he does not withdraw his deposits during such absence, and shall be eligible to retirement upon and after attainment of the minimum age prescribed by the Act above mentioned.

SECTION 2. The fact that present ordinances of the City of Mesquite do not adequately provide for retirement as allowed by Texas Civil Statutes, requires that this ordinance shall be adopted for the preservation of the health safety and welfare of its employees and constitutes an urgency and an emergency and makes it necessary that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from its date of passage and publication of the caption as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 22 day of May, A.D., 1972.

*George Boyce*  
George Boyce  
Mayor

ATTEST:  
*Norma G. McGaughey*  
Norma G. McGaughey, City Sec.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
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Elland Archer, City Attorney

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