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ORDINANCE NO. 1522

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 10-47.8, CHAPTER X, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY ESTABLISHING MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS ON BARNES BRIDGE ROAD AND LA PRADA DRIVE; BY PROVIDING THAT ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE ARE REPEALED TO THE EXTENT OF SUCH CONFLICT AND THAT SECTION 10-47.8, CHAPTER X, IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS, SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT; BY PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY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 DOLLARS (\$200.00); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, based upon traffic surveys the maximum speed limits established herein are deemed necessary for the safety of the inhabitants of the City;

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 limits on the following streets are established as follows:

1. Barnes Bridge Road -
from the north city limits, south to La Prada Drive 35 MPH
2. Barnes Bridge Road -
from the south curb line of La Prada Drive, southeasterly to a point 100' southeast of I-635 35 MPH
3. Barnes Bridge Road -
from a point 100' southeast of IH-635 to the east city limits 40 MPH
4. La Prada Drive -
from the west city limits, east to the east city limits 35 MPH

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

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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all ordinances of the City of Mesquite in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are, hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict and ordinances not in conflict herewith shall remain in full force and effect.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 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 Class C Misdemeanor and upon conviction in Municipal 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 this portion of Barnes Bridge Road and La Prada Drive, 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.

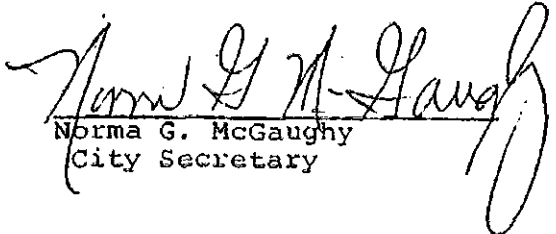
DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 2nd day of July, A.D., 1979.



B. J. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Norma G. McGaughy
City Secretary

Elland Archer
City Attorney