ORDINANCE NO. 155?

MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF CERTAIN STATE HIGHWAYS AND/OR PORTIONS OF STATE HIGHWAYS IN THE CITY OF MESQUITE, COUNTY OF DALLAS, TEXAS, HEREBY REFERRED TO AS MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE PROJECT AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OR OTHER AUTHORIZED CITY OFFICIAL, TO EXECUTE AND AFFIX THE CORPORATE SEAL AND ATTEST SAME. A CERTAIN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE STATE OF TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND USE OF THE SAID MAINTENANCE PROJECT: AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHOULD BE EFFECTIVE FROM AND AFTER ITS PASSAGE.

WHEREAS, the Public convenience, safety and necessity of the City, and the people of the City require that State Highway routes within the City be adequately maintained; and

WHEREAS, the City has requested that the State of Texas, enter upon and contribute financially to the maintenance of said project; and

WHEREAS, the State of Texas has made it known to the City that it will, with its own forces and equipment and at its sole cost and expense, enter upon and maintain said project, conditioned upon the provisions concerning liabilities and responsibilities for maintenance, control, supervision, and regulation which are set out in the form attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked "MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT"; and

WHEREAS, said project consists of those State Highways and/or portions thereof which are described and included in the form attached hereto and marked "MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the CITY OF MESQUITE:

SECTION 1. That the public convenience, safety and necessity of the City and the people of the City require said project be adequately maintained.

SECTION 2. That the State of Texas be and is hereby authorized to enter upon and maintain said maintenance project.

SECTION 3. That the Mayor, or proper City official, of the City, be and is hereby authorized to execute for and on behalf of the City an agreement with the State of Texas, in accordance with and for the purpose of carrying out the terms and provisions of this order, in the form attached hereto, made a part hereto, and marked "MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT." The City Secretary is hereby directed to attest the agreement and to affix the proper seal of the City thereto.

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SECTION 4. The Mayor of the City, having requested in writing that this ordinance take effect forthwith and there being in fact an emergency and imperative necessity that the work herein provided for be begun and carried out promptly and with expedition and that the agreement aforesaid shall be immediately made, executed and delivered to the end that such work herein provided for may be begun and carried out promptly and with expedition. The reading of the ordinance on three several days is hereby dispensed with and the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite on the 5th day of November, A.D., 1979.

B.J. Smith Mayor

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ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Norma G. McGaughy City Secretary

Elland Archer City Attorney