

ORDINANCE NO. 2444

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS AMENDING CHAPTER X, SECTION 10-47.8 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY DELETING CERTAIN PRESENT LANGUAGE AND ADDING CERTAIN LANGUAGE THEREBY CHANGING CERTAIN SPEED ZONE LOCATIONS ON PORTIONS OF OATES DRIVE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter X, Section 10-47.8 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 following language shall be deleted from Chapter X, Section 10-47.8 of the Code of the City of Mesquite:

<u>STREET</u>	<u>EXTENT</u>	<u>SPEED (MPH)</u>
Oates Drive	From the west city limit east to the east city limit	35

The following language shall be added to Chapter X, Section 10-47.8 of the Code of the City of Mesquite:

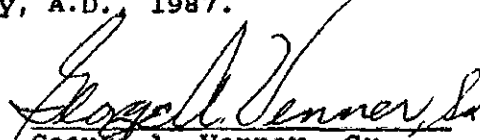
<u>STREET</u>	<u>EXTENT</u>	<u>SPEED (MPH)</u>
Oates Drive	From the west city limit to I-635	35
Oates Drive	From I-635 to the east city limit	40

Section 2. 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 3. That any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions or terms of this ordinance shall be deemed to be guilty of a Class C Misdemeanor and upon conviction in the Municipal Court shall be punished by a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense.

Section 4. The fact that the present ordinances of the City of Mesquite do not adequately protect the safety of the inhabitants of the City creates an urgency and emergency and in the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare requires that this ordinance shall become effective immediately from and after its passage and the publication of caption, as the law and in such cases provides.


DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas on the 6th day of July, A.D. 1987.


George A. Venner, Sr.
Mayor

ATTEST:


Lynn Frugel
City Secretary

APPROVED:


Jonathan Graham
City Attorney