

ORDINANCE NO. 2480

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS AMENDING CHAPTER 10, SECTION 10-47.8 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY ADDING CERTAIN LANGUAGE THEREBY CREATING A TWENTY (20) MPH SPEED ZONE ON HOLLEY STREET FROM EBRITE STREET TO GROSS STREET; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY:

WHEREAS, Holley Street within City Lake Park, is uncurbed and slightly less than 20 feet in width and adjacent to Holley Street are two (2) acres for 90 degree parking for park patrons; and

WHEREAS, the Lakeside Activity Center is located on the southwest corner of Gross and Holley, and access to its parking facility requires pedestrian crossing of Holley; and

WHEREAS, considering adult and child pedestrian activity, and backing vehicles from the parking areas described, a speed limit of twenty (20) MPH is appropriate.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 10, 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 added to Chapter 10, Section 10-47.8 of the Code of the City of Mesquite:


<u>STREET</u>	<u>EXTENT</u>	<u>SPEED (MPH)</u>
Holley Street	From Ebrite Street to Gross Street	20

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 (\$200.00) Dollars 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 in such cases provides.

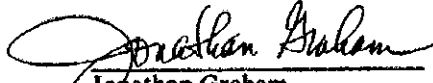
DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas on the 19th day of October, A.D., 1987.


George A. Venner, Sr.
Mayor

ATTEST:


Lynn Prugel
City Secretary

APPROVED:


Jonathan Graham
City Attorney