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ORDINANCE NO. 2582

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE AMENDING CHAPTER X, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 10-61.10 PROVIDING THAT WHEN NOTICE WI GIVEN BY THE POSTING OF SIGNS, PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES WITH A RATED CAPACITY EXCEEDING 3/4 (THREE-QUARTER) TON IS PROHIBITED AT ANY TIME ON CERTAIN DESIGNATED STREETS; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS 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 of the Code of the City of Mesquite is hereby amended by adding Section 10-61.10 to read as follows, in all other respects said chapter and code to remain in full force and effect:

Section 10-61.10 - Motor vehicles with a rated capacity exceeding 3/4 ton prohibited from parking on certain streets. When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park or cause to park a motor vehicle which exceeds 3/4 ton capacity, as rated by the manufacturer, at anytime upon any of the following streets or parts of streets described below:

*Astor Road, both sides, from Live Oak to 120 feet northwest of Live Oak*

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 so decided to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid and shall not affect the validity of the remainder of Article 10-61.10 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 of Mesquite creates an urgency and emergency and necessitates that this Ordinance become effective immediately from and after its passage and the publication of its 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 February, 1989.

*George A. Venner, Sr.*  
George A. Venner, Sr.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

*Lynn Prugel*  
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City Secretary

APPROVED:  
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