

ORDINANCE NO. 2897

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, ADDING SECTION 9-207 TO THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE THEREBY PROVIDING PARKING AND STANDING OF VEHICLES SHALL BE PROHIBITED WITHIN FIFTEEN FEET OF AN ALLEY INTERSECTION; 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. The Code of the City of Mesquite is hereby amended to add Section 9-207 as follows, in all other respects to remain in full force and effect:

Sec. 9-207. Parking of vehicles prohibited within fifteen feet of an alley intersection.


It shall be unlawful and an offense for any person to stand or park a vehicle on a public street, except momentarily to pick up or discharge a passenger or passengers or engage in loading or unloading of merchandise, within fifteen (15) feet of an alley intersection.

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 Section 9-207 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 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 20th day of September, 1993.




Cathye Ray
Mayor

ATTEST:



Lynn Prugel
City Secretary

APPROVED:



B.J. Smith
City Attorney