

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 9, SECTION 9-150 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY TEMPORARILY LOWERING THE SPEED LIMIT FROM 35 TO 30 MPH ON A CERTAIN DESIGNATED SECTION OF CARTWRIGHT ROAD; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, road construction in the area necessitates that the speed limit on Cartwright Road, 200 feet southeast of Cedar Trail to 500 feet southeast of Edwards Church Road, be temporarily lowered from 35 to 30 mph.

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

SECTION 1. That Chapter 9, Section 9-150 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, is hereby amended as follows, in all other respects said Code, Chapter and Section to remain in full force and effect.

<i>Street</i>	<i>Extent</i>	<i>Speed (mph)</i>
Cartwright Road	From 200 feet southeast of Cedar Trail to 500 feet southeast of Edwards Church Road	30

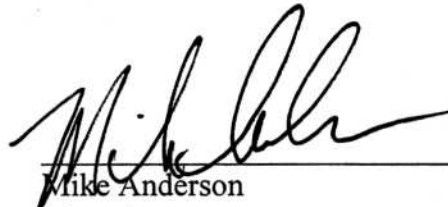
SECTION 2. That all ordinances or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed. To the extent that such ordinances or portions thereof are not in conflict herewith, the same shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. That should any word, sentence, clause, paragraph or provision of this ordinance be held to be invalid or unconstitutional the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. 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.

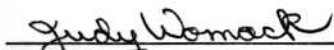
SECTION 5. That the present ordinances of the City of Mesquite are in need of revision to temporarily lower the speed limit from 35 to 30 mph on a certain designated section of Cartwright Road, creates an urgency and an emergency for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare, and requires that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication of said ordinance, as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas,  
on the 17th day of March, 2003.



Mike Anderson  
Mayor

ATTEST:



Judy Womack  
City Secretary

APPROVED:



B. J. Smith  
City Attorney