ORDINANCE NO. 3594

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 9, SECTION 9-147(4) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE CONCERNING THE LOCATION OF SCHOOL ZONES BY ADDING A SCHOOL ZONE FOR NORTH MESQUITE HIGH SCHOOL ON NORTH MESQUITE DRIVE; 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.

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

<u>SECTION 1.</u> That Chapter 9, Section 9-147(4) of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, is hereby amended to read as follows, in all other respects said Code and Chapter to remain in full force and effect.

(8	1)	Chapter 9	, Section 14	47(4).	Amend by	adding the	following:
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School

Location of school zone

North Mesquite HS North Mesquite Drive from 300 feet north of its most westerly driveway to North Mesquite High School to 500 feet south of its most westerly driveway to North Mesquite High School.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> 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or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed.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.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> 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.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> 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.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> That the present ordinances of the City of Mesquite are inadequate to provide for the proper location of school zones, 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. Traffic Engineering/NMHS School Zone/August 18, 2003 Page 2 of 2

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 18th day of August, 2003.

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Mayor

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City Attorney

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City Secretary