ORDINANCE NO. 3659

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 9, SECTION 9-10 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE BY DELETING THE DESIGNATION OF A ONE-WAY STREET ON A PORTION OF MCWHORTER 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.

WHEREAS, school construction in the area necessitated that McWhorter Drive, eastbound from Hickory Tree Road to 190 feet west of Savage Drive, be temporarily designated as a one-way street with the passage of Ordinance No. 3559 in March 2003; and

WHEREAS, the Mesquite Independent School District has informed the City of Mesquite the school construction is complete and the temporary designation as a one-way street is no longer necessary.

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

SECTION 1. That Chapter 9, Section 9-10 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.

CHAPTER 9

MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC

Sec. 9-10. One-way streets designated.

Amend by deleting the following:

McWhorter Drive, eastbound from Hickory Tree Road to 190 feet west of Savage Drive.

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or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed.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.

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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.

That the present ordinances of the City of Mesquite are in need of SECTION 5. revision to remove the one-way street designation of McWhorter Drive, eastbound from Hickory Tree Road to 190 feet west of Savage Drive, 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 21st day of June, 2004.

Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Secretary