

ORDINANCE NO. 3793

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, INCREASING THE NUMBER OF POSITIONS IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN THE CLASSIFICATION OF LIEUTENANT FROM EIGHT TO NINE AND IN THE CLASSIFICATION OF POLICE OFFICER FROM 180 TO 181; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, a need exists for creating a new lieutenant position to be assigned to Technical Services to supervise the jail operations along with other responsibilities within Technical Services; and

WHEREAS, a need exists for creating a new police officer position to be assigned to Staff Support to enhance our training, recruiting efforts and work with all bureaus within the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, by this action the number of officers in the Police Department in the classification of Lieutenant would increase from eight to nine; and

WHEREAS, by this action the number of officers in the Police Department in the classification of Police Officer would increase from 180 to 181; and

WHEREAS, the total number of sworn police officers will be increased to a total of 222.

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

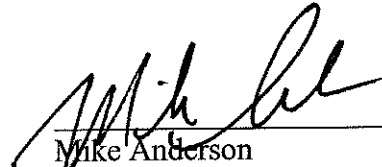
SECTION 1. That the number of officers in the classification of Lieutenant in the Police Department shall be increased from eight to nine and the number of officers in the classification of Police Officer in the Police Department shall be increased from 180 to 181.

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or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed.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 remaining provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. That the ordinance shall become effective on and after July 1, 2006.

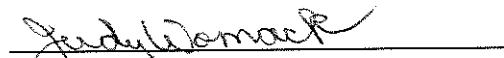
DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas,
on this the 3rd day of April, 2006.

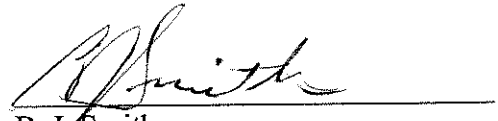


Mike Anderson
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED:



Judy Womack
City Secretary

B. J. Smith
City Attorney