

ORDINANCE NO. 4932

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 6 - "FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION" OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, BY REPEALING AND REPLACING ITEM NO. 46 FROM THE TABLE OF LOCAL AMENDMENTS TO THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE CONTAINED IN SECTION 6-151(2) REGARDING IFC 503.4.1 - "TRAFFIC CALMING DEVICES"; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED \$500.00 FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2022, the Building Standards Board held a public hearing to discuss the amendment being made to the 2018 International Fire Code ("IFC") regarding IFC 503.4.1 – "Traffic Calming Devices"; and

WHEREAS, the Building Standards Board, by majority vote, has recommended the City Council adopt the amendment to the 2018 IFC regarding IFC 503.4.1 – "Traffic Calming Devices"; and

WHEREAS, upon the favorable recommendation of the Building Standards Board and upon full review and consideration of all matters attendant and related thereto, the City Council is of the opinion that the amendment to the 2018 IFC regarding IFC 503.4.1 – "Traffic Calming Devices" should be approved and adopted.

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

SECTION 1. That Chapter 6 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, is hereby amended by repealing in its entirety Item No. 46 from the Table of Local Amendments to the 2018 International Fire Code contained in Section 6-151(2) and replacing it with a new Item No. 46 to read as follows, and in all other respects said Code, Chapter, and Table shall remain in full force and effect:

CHAPTER 6 – FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION

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ARTICLE II. FIRE CODE

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DIVISION 2. AMENDMENTS

Sec. 6-151. Local Amendments to the International Fire Code, 2018 Edition.

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Table of the local amendments.

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TABLE OF LOCAL AMENDMENTS TO THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE (IFC)		
No.	IFC Code Section No. Title	Local Amendment to IFC
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46	IFC 503.4.1. Traffic calming devices.	503.4.1. Traffic calming devices. Traffic calming devices may be installed on public streets through the procedure outlined in the City of Mesquite Neighborhood Speed Management Program, which necessitates the approval of the <i>Fire Code Official</i> .
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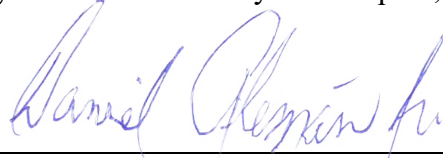
SECTION 2. That all ordinances or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed. To the extent that such ordinances or portions thereof are not in conflict herewith, the same shall remain in full force and effect.

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 (as defined in Chapter 1, Section 1-2 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, as amended) violating any of the provisions or terms of this ordinance shall be deemed to be guilty of a Class C Misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars for each offense, provided, however, if the maximum penalty provided for by this ordinance for an offense is greater than the maximum penalty provided for the same offense under the laws of the State of Texas, the maximum penalty for violation of this ordinance for such offense shall be the maximum penalty provided by the laws of the State of Texas. Each day or portion of a day any violation of this ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after five days after publication.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas,
on the 18th day of January 2022.



Daniel Alemán, Jr.
Mayor

ATTEST:



Sonja Land
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:



David L. Paschall
City Attorney