## ORDINANCE NO. 4936 File No. Z1121-0229

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MESQUITE ZONING ORDINANCE BY APPROVING A CHANGE OF ZONING TO AMEND PLANNED DEVELOPMENT – LIGHT COMMERCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2088 TO ALLOW A CREMATORY AS A PERMITTED USE ON PROPERTY WITHIN THE MESQUITE ARENA/RODEO ENTERTAINMENT OVERLAY LOCATED AT 1720 NEAL GAY DRIVE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000.00; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission and the City Council, in compliance with the Charter of the City of Mesquite, state laws and the zoning ordinance, have given the required notices and held the required public hearings regarding the rezoning of the subject properties; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the public interest to grant this change in zoning.

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

- SECTION 1. That the subject property is platted as Rodeo Centre South, Block A, Lot 4, Mesquite, Dallas County, Texas, and located at 1720 Neal Gay Drive (the "**Property**"); and
- SECTION 2. That the Mesquite Zoning Ordinance is amended by approving a change of zoning to amend Planned Development Light Commercial Ordinance No. 2088 to allow a crematory as a permitted use on the Property located within the Mesquite Arena/Rodeo Entertainment Overlay.
- <u>SECTION 3.</u> That all ordinances, or portions thereof, of the City of Mesquite in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict are hereby repealed; otherwise, they shall remain in full force and effect.
- SECTION 4. That the Property shall be used only in the manner and for the purposes provided for by the Mesquite Zoning Ordinance, as amended.
- SECTION 5. 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.

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SECTION 6. 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 Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) 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 7. That 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 7th day of February 2022.

Daniel Alemán, Jr.

Mayor

ATTEST: APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Sonja Land David L. Paschall
City Secretary City Attorney