

ORDINANCE NO. 1440

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, WHEREBY THE CITY OF MESQUITE CONTRACTS WITH THE COUNTY OF DALLAS FOR THE CITY OF MESQUITE TO FURNISH FIRE-RESCUE (AMBULANCE) PROTECTION AND TO ANSWER FIRE-RESCUE CALLS IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS ADJOINING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, AS SHOWN ON THE OFFICIAL FIRE PROTECTION ZONE MAP OF DALLAS COUNTY, AS EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL MAY BE AVAILABLE CONSIDERING THE NEEDS OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND FOR THE CONSIDERATION SET FORTH IN THE ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF DALLAS COUNTY, ATTACHED HERETO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. That for the Calendar year of 1978, the City of Mesquite, contracts with the County of Dallas for the City of Mesquite to furnish Fire-Rescue (ambulance) protection and to answer Fire-Rescue calls in the unincorporated areas adjoining the corporate limits of the City of Mesquite, as shown on the official fire protection zone map of Dallas County, as equipment and personnel may be available considering the needs of the City of Mesquite, upon the terms and conditions and for the consideration set forth in the order of the Commissioners Court of Dallas County, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

SECTION 2. That the City Secretary file with the Dallas County Fire Marshal, a certified copy of this ordinance signed by the Mayor of this City.

SECTION 3. That the City Secretary, or Chief of the Fire Department or Secretary of the Fire Department file with the County Fire Marshal of Dallas County, not later than the fifth (5th) of each month a certified copy of the monthly report listing the total number of runs made into the County for the previous month.

SECTION 4. Whereas, the fact that there is no contract in effect for the calendar year of 1978, for the furnishing of Fire-Rescue (ambulance) protection and to answer Fire-Rescue calls in the unincorporated area adjoining the corporate limits of this City, causes it to be necessary in order to protect the public comfort and general welfare and creates an urgency and an emergency for the preservation of the public health, safety and

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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.

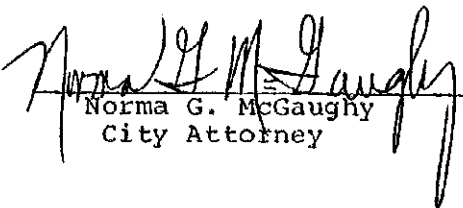
DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 19th day of June, A.D., 1978.



E. J. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Norma G. McGaughy
City Attorney

Elland Archer
City Attorney