

## RESOLUTION NO. 42-63

WHEREAS, the late President, John F. Kennedy, has been removed from office by tragic and untimely death by assassination, and

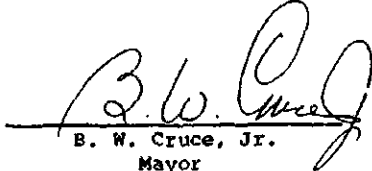
WHEREAS, the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson has now succeeded to the Presidency of the United States of America in the wake of this tragedy, and

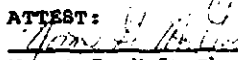
WHEREAS, Lyndon B. Johnson assumes the heaviest of responsibilities in the office of the Presidency, and

WHEREAS, the difficult process of assuming these responsibilities is aggravated by grief and other circumstances produced by this tragedy;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, in behalf of its citizens, bears the shame with all Americans for the crime of this assassination; mourns the loss of the late President of the United States, John F. Kennedy, but maintains its composure and pledges with the rest of America unyielding loyalty to our Country and its cause, and pledges support and assistance to you, Mr. President Johnson, as you assume this Country's highest office.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, this, the 23rd day of November, 1963.

  
B. W. Cruce, Jr.  
Mayor  
City of Mesquite  
Texas

ATTEST:  
  
Norma G. McGaughey  
City Secretary