

RESOLUTION NO. 8-69

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, OR IN HIS ABSENCE THE CHIEF OF POLICE, OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE TEXAS, TO MAKE PROVISION FOR ITS REGULARLY EMPLOYED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ASSIST IN ANY OTHER COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY.

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Texas has duly enacted Senate Bill 233, said Bill having been enacted by the Senate of the State of Texas on March 24, 1969, and by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas on April 2, 1969, at the regular session of the Legislature of the State of Texas, and thereafter signed by the Governor of the State of Texas, providing that any County or Municipality by resolution or order of its governing body to make provision for, or authorize its Mayor or Chief Administrative Officer, Chief of Police, or Marshal to make provision for, its regularly employed law enforcement officers to assist any other County or Municipality, when in the opinion of the Mayor, or other officer authorized to declare a state of emergency, in such other County or Municipality, there exists in such other County or Municipality a need for services of additional law enforcement officers to protect the health, life and property of such other County or Municipality, its inhabitants and visitors thereto, by reason of riot, unlawful assembly characterized by the use of force and violence, or threat thereof by three (3) or more persons acting together or without lawful authority, or during such time of natural disaster or man-made calamity; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Mesquite acting as a Legislative Body, is of the opinion that a resolution should be adopted by such governing body to make provision for or authorize the City Manager of the City of Mesquite to direct the Chief of Police of said City of Mesquite to detail regularly employed officers of the Police Department of the City of Mesquite to assist in any other County or Municipality when in the opinion of the Mayor or other officer authorized to declare a state of civil emergency in such other County or Municipality, there exists in such other County or Municipality the need for the services of additional law enforcement officers to protect the health, life and property of such other County or Municipality, its inhabitants and the visitors thereto by reason of riot, unlawful assembly, and characterized by the use of force or violence or threat thereof within the meaning of Senate Bill 233, which is now in full force and effect, and a request for additional law enforcement officers is made to the City Manager of the City of Mesquite by such Mayor or officer authorized to declare a state of emergency in such other County or Municipality; Now, Therefore,

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE:

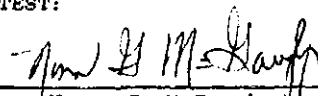
SECTION 1. That the City Manager, or in his absence, the Chief of Police of the City of Mesquite is hereby authorized to detail regularly employed law enforcement officers of the Mesquite Police Department to assist any other County or Municipality, when in the opinion of the Mayor, or other officer authorized to declare a state of civil emergency in such other County or Municipality, there exists in such other County or Municipality a need for the services of additional law enforcement officers to protect the health, life, and property by such other County or Municipality, its inhabitants, and the visitors thereto, by reason of riot, unlawful assembly characterized by the use of force and violence, or threat thereof by three (3) or more persons acting together or without lawful authority, or during a time of natural disaster or man-made calamity, and a request for additional law enforcement officers is made to the City Manager of the City of Mesquite by such Mayor or Officer authorized to declare a state of emergency in such other County or Municipality.

SECTION 2. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage as in the Charter in such cases is made and provided.

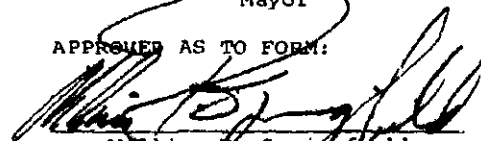
DULY PASSED this 16th day of June 1969.


George Boyce
Mayor

ATTEST:


Norma G. McGaughy
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


William K. Springfield
City Attorney