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RESOLUTION NO. 9-80

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, A TAXING UNIT ENTITLED TO VOTE ON THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE DALLAS COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT, CHANGING THE METHOD OF ALLOCATING THE COST OF OPERATION OF THE DALLAS COUNTY TAX APPRAISAL DISTRICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the Texas Property Tax Code establishes tax appraisal districts and provides a method of financing and allocating costs of operation of the District; and

WHEREAS, Section 6.06(d) of the Texas Property Tax Code provides that three-fourths of the taxing units entitled to vote on appointment of members to the tax appraisal district's board of directors may change the method of allocating costs and financing the district; and

WHEREAS, the Advisory Board of the Dallas County Tax Appraisal District voted unanimously upon motion of Bo Craft, Councilmember of Grand Prairie, seconded by Fred Blair, Deputy Pro Tem of Dallas, to recommend that the method of financing and allocating cost of operation of the Dallas County Tax Appraisal District be changed as set out hereinbelow; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite is a taxing unit entitled to vote on appointment of members to the Board of Directors of the Dallas County Appraisal District.

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

SECTION 1. That the method of allocating the costs of operating the Dallas County Appraisal District be changed as follows:

Each taxing unit participating in the district shall be allocated a portion of the amount of the budget equal to the proportion that the total number of tax accounts (excluding personal automobiles) assessed by the taxing unit bears to the total number of tax accounts assessed by all of the taxing units in the district (excluding personal automobiles), without regard to the dollar amount of taxes imposed in the district.

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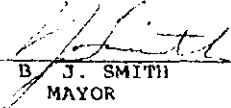
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SECTION 2. That the City Secretary shall send a certified copy of this Resolution to the chairman of the Board of Directors of the Dallas County Tax Appraisal District.

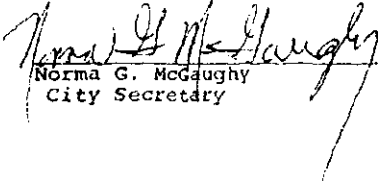
SECTION 3. That the Board of Directors of the Dallas County Tax Appraisal District record this Resolution as the vote of the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, to change the method of allocating the costs of the Dallas County Tax Appraisal District and turn these over to the chief appraiser when one is appointed.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage as the Charter in such cases provides.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 24th day of March, A.D., 1980.

  
B. J. SMITH  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
Norma G. McGaughey  
City Secretary