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RESOLUTION NO. 39-86

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION TO CONSTRUCT EXIT RAMP FROM INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 635 TO NEW MARKET ROAD AND ENTRANCE RAMP FROM NEW MARKET ROAD TO INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 635; AND REQUESTING THE WIDENING OF THE SOUTH BOUND EXIT RAMP FROM INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 635 TO STATE HIGHWAY 352 (SCYENE ROAD/MILITARY PARKWAY) TO ACCOMMODATE TWO LANES OF TRAFFIC AND DECLARING THE EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the growth and development of the City of Mesquite has and continues to bring more traffic into the City of Mesquite, and

WHEREAS, currently traffic exiting from Interstate Highway 635 to areas of south Mesquite must use the already overcrowded Scyene Road/Military Parkway ramps which also serve Hickory Tree Road, or use ramps for Bruton Road which is an unsignalized intersection (4-way stop) through which traffic moves very slowly, and

WHEREAS, the traffic demand for Interstate Highway 635 southbound exit ramp to Scyene Road/Military Parkway has already exceeded capacity and demand will continue at an even higher rate as the already planned development in the area continues; and

WHEREAS, the addition of entrance and exit ramps at Interstate Highway 635 and New Market Road, and the widening of Southbound Interstate Highway 635 exit ramp to State Highway 352 (Scyene Road/Military Parkway) would serve the traffic needs of a large number of inhabitants of the area as well as the many citizens of Texas attending the Mesquite Championship Rodeo on Hickory Tree Road and Football games at Memorial Stadium on Scyene Road and Forester Stadium on Military Parkway;

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

SECTION 1. That the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas hereby request the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation construct exit ramps from Interstate 635 to New Market Road, and entrance ramps from New Market Road to Interstate Highway 635 and request that the exit ramp from Interstate Highway 635 to State Highway 352 (Scyene Road/Military Parkway) be widened to accommodate two lanes of traffic.

SECTION 2. That a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.


SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately

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from and after its passage as the law in such cases provides.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas,
on the 1st day of December, A.D., 1986.


Mrs. Brunhilde Nystrom
Mayor

ATTEST:


Lynn Prugel
City Secretary