

RESOLUTION NO. 13-90

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, SUPPORTING EXPANSION OF THE DALLAS/FORT WORTH INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport has had a substantially positive impact on the total economy of the North Texas region from its opening in 1974 to the present time; and

WHEREAS, that very positive economic impact has been created in North Texas because of the outstanding service to the air traveling public of the airlines which serve the airport and the efficient operation of the airport and its support facilities managed by the DFW International Airport staff; and

WHEREAS, the DFW International Airport Board has determined that adjustments to the original DFW Airport Master Plan in the form of the construction of additional runways, runway extensions, additional carrier terminal facilities and roadway improvements will be necessary to maintain the current level of operating efficiency and, at the same time, permit additional expansions of air carrier service; and

WHEREAS, the planned improvements to the DFW International Airport will create an immediate economic impact resulting from 1.5 billion dollars in construction activity, increased direct aviation related employment on the airport and, most importantly, the support system essential for the DFW International Airport to continue to function as the most important economic growth accelerator in North Texas for the foreseeable future; and

WHEREAS, the DFW Airport is a critical factor in the development of economic opportunities for all citizens of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex and for future generations; and

WHEREAS, the planned improvement of the DFW International Airport will establish it as the preeminent airport in the world;

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 hereby supports the changes to the DFW International Airport Master Plan as approved by the DFW International Airport Board.

SECTION 2. That the City Council of the City of Mesquite speak out in favor of the planned improvements to the DFW International Airport and encourage all citizens of the Metroplex to support these improvements.

SECTION 3. That the City Council of the City of Mesquite supports rapid completion of the required Environmental Impact Studies; approval of the proposed plan and appropriate mitigation programs for affected neighboring property owners; and implementation of the planned improvements at the earliest date possible.

SECTION 4. That official copies of this resolution will be distributed to the DFW International Airport Board and the regional office of the Federal Aviation Administration.

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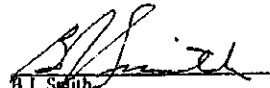
DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 2nd day of April, 1990.

  
George A. Venner, Sr.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Lynn Prugel  
City Secretary

APPROVED:

  
B.J. Smith  
City Attorney