RESOLUTION NO. 28-91

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESOUITE, TEXAS, EXPRESSING APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE TO GEORGE A. VENNER, SR. AND ROB SCHLEGEL FOR THEIR DEDICATED EFFORTS TO PROMOTE PASSAGE OF THE CITY SALES TAX REFERENDUM; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite held an election on August 10, 1991, to allow voters to decide whether to adopt an additional one-half of one percent sales and use tax to be used to reduce the property tax rate; and

WHEREAS, the referendum passed by an overwhelming majority, with 4,027 votes cast for the proposition and 1,013 votes cast against the proposition; and

WHEREAS, George A. Venner, Sr., and Rob Schlegel were instrumental in forming a committee called "Citizens for Lower Property Taxes" for the purpose of promoting the sales tax referendum; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Venner, as Chairman of the Committee, and Mr. Schlegel, as Treasurer, worked tirelessly to inform the citizens of Mesquite of the advantages to be gained by passage of the sales tax referendum; and

WHEREAS, they have each served the City of Mesquite in countless ways that have made the community a better place in which to live; and

WHEREAS, their efforts in leading the City in a successful sales tax referendum deserve special recognition;

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

SECTION 1. That the members of the City Council of the City of Mesquite do hereby extend their sincere appreciation to George A. Venner, Sr., and Rob Schlegel, for their hard work and dedication in promoting the City of Mesquite Sales Tax Referendum and to urge all citizens to join in recognizing these two outstanding members of the community for their many contributions to the progress of the City of Mesquite.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon date of passage as the law in such cases provides.

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