RESOLUTION NO. 66-2003

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, CONSENTING TO REDUCING THE CITY OF MESQUITE'S EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION BY APPROXIMATELY 109 ACRES IN A PORTION OF KAUFMAN COUNTY AND RELINQUISHING ALL RIGHTS TO THAT PORTION OF ITS EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite's ("Mesquite") Extraterritorial Jurisdiction (ETJ) extends into Kaufman County; and

WHEREAS, portions of Mesquite's ETJ in Kaufman County are adjacent to the ETJ of the City of Forney ("Forney"); and

WHEREAS, with the current population of Forney, Forney would be eligible to extend its ETJ beyond its current boundaries if not for the presence of Mesquite's ETJ; and

WHEREAS, a property owner in Kaufman County in the area currently in Mesquite's ETJ has requested that Mesquite consent to the reduction of its ETJ in order that it may be a part of Forney's ETJ; and

WHEREAS, upon review by the City Council of Mesquite ("City Council"), at the request of the Kaufman County property owner, the City Council believes it to be in the best interest of Mesquite and Forney to consent to the reduction of Mesquite's current ETJ.

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

SECTION 1. That the City Council of the City of Mesquite hereby consents to the reduction of its Extraterritorial Jurisdiction ("ETJ") by approximately 109 acres as shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto, and by such consent does relinquish all rights to that portion of its ETJ for all purposes.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 17th day of November, 2003.

Mayor Mayor

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ATTEST:

APROVED:

B. J. Sm

City Secretary

City Attorney

