RESOLUTION NO. 26-2008

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, RATIFYING THE EXPENDITURE OF \$146,291.00 WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO THE 36-INCH-DIAMETER SANITARY SEWER AERIAL CROSSING ON NORTH MESQUITE CREEK (SOUTH OF EDWARDS CHURCH ROAD): AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO B CONCRETE SAWING FOR SUCH REPAIRS.

WHEREAS, on March 31, 2008, it was discovered that a 36-inch-diameter sanitary sewer trunk main was undermined adjacent to an aerial crossing on North Mesquite Creek; and

WHEREAS, creek erosion had undermined and exposed approximately 32 feet of unsupported sanitary sewer main and leaking at a slow rate; and

WHEREAS, the unsupported section of main was concrete-encased during the original construction in 1972 and this added weight and concern of additional erosion with expected April and May rainfall caused Staff to initiate an emergency repair contract; and

WHEREAS, such unforeseen damage requires an immediate expenditure of funds without having competitively bid the repairs in order to protect and preserve the public health and safety of the residents of the City; and

WHEREAS, such procurement is authorized without competitive bidding by Texas Local Government Code §252.022.

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

That the expenditure of \$146,291.00 without competitive bidding SECTION 1. for emergency repairs for repairing the 36-inch-diameter sanitary sewer aerial crossing on North Mesquite Creek (south of Edwards Church Road) and payment of funds to B & B Concrete Sawing for such repairs is hereby ratified and authorized.

That the City Manager is authorized in taking those steps SECTION 2. reasonable and necessary to comply with the intent of this resolution.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas on the 2nd day of June, 2008.

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ATTEST:

City Secretary

City Attorney