

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, REPEALING SECTION 3, AUTHORIZATION OF UPDATED SERVICE CREDITS, OF ORDINANCE NO. 4983 WHICH ADOPTED A 2022-23 PAY PLAN IN ORDER TO ELIMINATE POTENTIAL CONFLICT WITH ORDINANCE NO. 4611 WHICH PROVIDES ONGOING UPDATED SERVICE CREDITS; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, on September 6, 2022, the City Council of the City of Mesquite approved and adopted Ordinance No. 4983 adopting a 2022-23 pay plan for general government personnel and commissioned police and fire personnel; and

WHEREAS, Section 3 of Ordinance No. 4983 provided for the authorization of updated service credits under the TMRS Act as defined in Ordinance No. 4983; and

WHEREAS, on October 1, 2018, the City Council approved and adopted Ordinance No. 4611 that provided an allowance for updated service credits under the TMRS Act on January 1 of each subsequent year until Ordinance No. 4611 ceases to be in effect; and

WHEREAS, Section 3 of Ordinance No. 4983 was and is unnecessary and should be repealed to eliminate confusion with respect to updated service credits under the TMRS Act and any potential conflict with Ordinance No. 4611.

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

SECTION 1. The statements, facts, findings, and recitals contained in the preamble of this ordinance are hereby found and declared to be true and correct and are incorporated herein and adopted as part of this ordinance for all purposes.

SECTION 2. Section 3 of Ordinance No. 4983 is hereby repealed and, except as amended hereby, Ordinance Nos. 4983 and 4611 shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Should any word, sentence, clause, paragraph or provision of this ordinance be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon approval by the City Council.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas,  
on the 7th day of November 2022.

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Daniel Alemán, Jr.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Sonja Land  
City Secretary

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David L. Paschall  
City Attorney