

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

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 9 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AS AMENDED, BY PROVIDING CERTAIN ADDITIONS UNDER SECTIONS 9-147(1)(a) AND 9-147(1)(e) THEREBY PROVIDING A SCHOOL ZONE FOR MCKENZIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ALONG GUS THOMASSON ROAD, DRIFTWOOD DRIVE, EMERALD DRIVE AND EDGEBROOK DRIVE; AND PROVIDING A SCHOOL ZONE FOR TERRY MIDDLE SCHOOL ALONG FAITHON P. LUCAS SR. BOULEVARD AND CREEK VALLEY ROAD; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED \$500.00 FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. That Chapter 9 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, as amended, is hereby amended by providing certain additions under Sections 9-147(1)(a) and 9-147(1)(e) as follows, in all other aspects said Code, Chapter and Section to remain in full force and effect:

- (1) *Section 9(147)(1)(a).* Amend by adding the following to Section 9-147(1)(a):

<i>School</i>	<i>Location of school zone</i>
McKenzie ES	Driftwood Drive from 700 feet east of Gus Thomasson Road to 800 feet west of Gus Thomasson Road.  Emerald Drive from 50 feet southeast of Stephens Green Drive to 100 feet east of Edgebrook Drive.  Edgebrook Drive from 100 feet north of Driftwood Drive to 100 feet south of Emerald Drive.

- (2) *Section 9(147)(1)(e).* Amend by adding the following to Section 9-147(1)(e):

<i>School</i>	<i>Location of school zone</i>
McKenzie ES	Gus Thomasson Road from 300 feet south of Driftwood Drive to 300 feet north of Driftwood Drive.
Terry MS	Faithon P. Lucas Sr. Boulevard from 300 feet south of Creek Valley Road to 300 feet north of Creek Valley Road.

SECTION 2. That all ordinances or portions thereof in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict, are hereby repealed. To the extent that such ordinances or portions thereof are not in conflict herewith, the same shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. That 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. That any person (as defined in Chapter 1, Section 1-2 of the Code of the City of Mesquite, Texas, as amended) violating any of the provisions or terms of this ordinance shall be deemed to be guilty of a Class C Misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars for each offense, provided, however, if the maximum penalty provided for by this ordinance for an offense is greater than the maximum penalty provided for the same offense under the laws of the State of Texas, the maximum penalty for violation of this ordinance for such offense shall be the maximum penalty provided by the laws of the State of Texas. Each day or portion of a day any violation of this ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after five days after publication.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 16th day of September 2019.

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Stan Pickett  
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Sonja Land  
City Secretary



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David L. Paschall  
City Attorney