ORDINANCE NO. 3443-05-2007

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE V, PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS; OF THE LEWISVILLE CITY CODE, BY ADOPTING NORTH TEXAS COUNCIL OF **GOVERNMENTS'** CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AND DELETING THE CURRENT LANGUAGE IN SECTION 6-91.(b) AND REPLACING WITH NEW LANGUAGE, PROVIDING \mathbf{A} REPEALER: PROVIDING SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY; **EFFECTIVE** DATE: AND PROVIDING FOR AN DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lewisville has determined that to safeguard life, health, property, and public welfare, the amendment to Chapter 6, Article V, Public Improvements, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lewisville are necessary.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS. Chapter 6, Article V, Public Improvements, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lewisville, is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 6-91. (b) Standard specifications is hereby amended by deleting the current language in its entirety and in its place inserting the following:

Sec. 6-91. (b) Standard specifications. Standard specifications of the city are the "Public Works Construction Standards – 2004 Edition" as published under the authority of the North Central Texas Council of Governments. This publication, along with the amendments and special provisions to the document, approved or issued by the city, shall comprise the standard specifications.

SECTION II. REPEALER. Every ordinance or parts of ordinances found to be in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. SEVERABILITY. If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this ordinance, but they shall remain in effect.

SECTION IV. PENALTY. Any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be punished upon conviction by a fine not to exceed \$2,000.00 for each offense, and each and every day such violation shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION V. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication as required by law.

SECTION VI. EMERGENCY. It being for the public welfare that this ordinance be passed creates an emergency and public necessity, and the rule requiring this ordinance be read on three separate occasions be, and the same is hereby waived, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval and publication, as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE, TEXAS, BY A VOTE OF <u>5</u> TO <u>0</u>, ON THIS THE <u>7TH</u> DAY OF <u>MAY</u>, 2007.

APPROVED:

Gene Carey, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Julie Heinze, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ronald J. Neiman, CITY ATTORNEY