

**ORDINANCE No.2256**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS, ADOPTING TECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS TO THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF TERRELL; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**SECTION I.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS THAT THE TECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS REVISED CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

**TECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

(a) Technical Construction Standards and Specifications is hereby adopted by the City of Terrell for the purpose of establishing rules, regulations and providing a set of standards for designing streets, thoroughfares, drainage facilities, water lines, sanitary sewer lines, and preparing construction plans for such facilities that are to be owned, operated and/or maintained by the City of Terrell. One copy of said code is on file in the Office of the City Engineer, and the same is hereby adopted and incorporated as fully as if set out at length herein, and the same shall be controlling in the construction of all buildings and other structures within the city limits of the City of Terrell.

(b) These standards will be used by the City staff and consulting engineers employed by the City for the above described improvement projects, and engineers for private developments in the City of Terrell. Unusual circumstances or special designs, requiring a variance from standards in this manual (Exhibit "A") may be approved by the City Engineer.

**SECTION II.**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

**SECTION III.**

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are severable and, if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and section to this Ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the city council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section.

**SECTION IV.**

This Ordinance will take effect immediately from and after its passage and the publication of the caption as the law in such cases provides.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON FIRST READING THIS THE 4<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JANUARY, 2005.  
PASSED AND ADOPTED ON SECOND READING THIS THE 18<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JANUARY, 2005.

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Frances Anderson, Mayor

Attest:

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John Rounsavall, City Secretary

Approved as to Form:

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Mary Gayle Ramsey, City Attorney