ORDINANCE NO. 188

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING CAMPING AND TENTING ON PUBLIC PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF MEXICO BEACH, EXCEPT WITHIN DESIGNATED AREAS; PROVIDING FOR THE DESIGNATION OF CAMPING AND TENTING AREAS BY THE CITY COUNCIL; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH AND PROVID-ING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Mexico Beach, Florida, has determined that it is in the best interests of the health, welfare and safety of the people of the City of Mexico Beach that this ordinance be enacted, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to erect any structure on any public property within the city limits of Mexico Beach, Florida, for the purpose and with the intention of using such structure as living quarters for any period of time. Provided, however, the City Council may, in its discretion, designate certain public property within the city limits of Mexico Beach which shall be available for the erection of structures to be used as living quarters.

Section 2. Violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by imprisonment of a period not to exceed sixty (60) days or a fine not to exceed \$500.00 or both.

Section 3. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the City Council on May 13, 1986, and ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council on June 10, 1986.

CITY OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA

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James T. Heathcock Mayor-Councilman

ATTEST:

City Clerk