AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 40 (PURCHASES BY TOWN) OF THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA, AND PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Mexico Beach is of the opinion that an enactment of this Ordinance is required for the protection and preservation of the peace, safety, health, and the general welfare of the Town and its inhabitants, NOW, Therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH THAT SECTION 40 OF THE TOWN CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA, BEING SPECIAL ACT 3012 OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

## Section 1.

Purchases by Town -- Unless otherwise directed by the Town Council, all purchases for supplies, materials, or for contract work made by the Town in excess of \$750.00shall be by competitive bid; said bid to be advertised and published in a local newspaper of daily circulation in Bay County, and be posted in three (3) conspicuous places in the Town of Mexico Beach. Both publication and notice shall be made at least fifteen (15) days prior to the return date of the bids. No officer or employee of the Town of Mexico Beach shall be interested in the procurement or emolument of any contract work or service for the municipality, unless in such contract work or service, competitive bid first be allowed, and any such contract in which an officer or employee is or may become interested shall be declared void by the Council unless said contract work shall have been awarded by competitive bids. In considering any bids, the lowest and best bid shall be accepted by the Town Council.

This Ordinance INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the Town Council on the 28th day of October, 1975, and ADOPTED by the Town Council on the 11 day of November, 1975.

TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA

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Mayor-Councilman

ATTEST:

Town Clerk