ORDINANCE NO. ORD 2016-2

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SPRING BRANCH ADOPTING A MAP OF THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY; DECLARING THE SAME TO BE THE OFFICIAL MAP OF THE CITY AND THE BOUNDARIES DEPICTED IN THE MAP AND METES AND BOUNDS THEREON TO BE THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY; AND DIRECTING THE CITY SECRETARY TO MAINTAIN A COPY OF SAID MAP AND METES AND BOUNDS

WHEREAS, the incorporation of the City of Spring Branch, Texas was approved by the voters on November 10, 2015; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the requirements of Sec. 41.001, Texas Local Government Code, a map has been prepared to depict the boundaries of the municipality, including its extraterritorial jurisidiciton; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has caused such a map to be prepared and is of the opinion that it should now be adopted as the official map of the City;

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SPRING BRANCH, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. The recitals stated above are hereby adopted for all purposes.

Section 2. The map that is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and the Metes and Bounds is attached as "Exhibit B" is hereby adopted as the official map of the City of Spring Branch, and the boundaries depicted thereon shall be considered the official corporate limits and extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Spring Branch unless and until property is annexed or disannexed so that such boundaries are hereafter revised.

Section 3. The City Secretary is directed to retain a copy of the official map and Metes and Bounds in the office of the city secretary.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this, the 2 Meday of FSB 1414 2016.

CITY OF SPRING BRANCH

ATTEST:

Bambi Mayer City Secretary

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-2.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SPRING BRANCH WHEREBY JURISDICTION OVER WATER UTILITY RATES AND SERVICES WITHIN THE CITY SHALL BE EXCERCISED BY THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICT REPEALER; AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 13.042, Texas Water Code, provides that the governing body of a municipality may, by ordinance, elect to have the Public Utility Commission of Texas exercise exclusive original jurisdiction over the utility rates, operation, and services of water utilities, within the incorporated limits of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Springs Branch believes that it is in the best interest of the City to have the Public Utility Commission assume such jurisdiction;

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SPRING BRANCH, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. The recitals stated above are hereby adopted for all purposes.

Section 2. Pursuant to Sec. 13.042, Texas Water Code, the City Commission of Spring Branch elects to have the Public Utility Commission of Texas exercise exclusive, original jurisdiction over utility rates, operation, and services of water utilities within the incorporated limits of the municipality until such time, if ever, that the City Commission reinstates reinstate its jurisdiction by ordinance at any time after the second anniversary of the date on which the municipality surrendered its jurisdiction to the utility commission as provided by Sec. 13.042(c).

Section 3. Should any sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this ordinance be adjudged to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, , and shall not affect the validity of any remaining provision of the Ordinance as a whole.

Section 4. Any provision of the ordinance of the City Spring Branch in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

ADOPTED AND EFFECTIVE this, the 12th day of April, 2016.

CITY OF SPRING BRANCH

ATTEST: