CITY OF HUMBLE

ORDINANCE NO. 16-773

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HUMBLE, TEXAS, BY CREATING A NEW SECTION 18-29 "AGE REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITATIONS" IN ARTICLE II, **DEPARTMENT" OF** CHAPTER 18, "FIRE **PREVENTION** AND PROTECTION"; PROVIDING FOR A MINIMIMUM AGE FOR ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS TO BECOME A PAID FIREFIGHTER, A MAXIMUM AGE FOR BEING CERTIFIED AS A PAID FIREFIGHTER IN A BEGINNING POSITION, AND MAKING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATED THERETO.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HUMBLE TEXAS:

SECTION 1. A new section 18-29 Age Requirements and Limitations in Article II, Fire Department in Chapter 18, Fire Prevention and Protection of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Humble, Texas is hereby created as follows:

"Sec. 18-29. Age Requirements and Limitations

A person may not take an entrance examination for a beginning paid position in the fire department unless the person is at least 18 years of age and a person may not be certified as eligible for a beginning paid position in the fire department if the person is thirty-six (36) years of age or older, as provided by 29.U S.C.A. § 623(j)(1)."

SECTION 2. In the event any clause, phrase, provision, sentence, or part of this Ordinance or the application of the same to any person or circumstances shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this Ordinance as a whole or any part of provision hereof other than the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of the City of Humble, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, whether there be one or more parts.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the $14\ day$ of January, 2016

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Mayor

ATTEST.

Jason Stuebe City Secretary