

RESOLUTION NUMBER 7283

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, ENCOURAGING CITIZEN PARTICIPATION DURING THE ZONING AND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW PROCESS.**

**WHEREAS**, the involvement of neighbors and interested parties is a fundamental part of the development process in any community; and

**WHEREAS**, current local and State notification procedures do not adequately provide for the timely and effective involvement of interested citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mesa City Council believes that all parties benefit from increased awareness of local zoning and development issues; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mesa City Council wishes to encourage productive and timely discussions between the development community and interested Mesa and/or Maricopa County residents; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1:** That the City Council affirms its support for the concept of early and productive involvement of all interested parties in the development process;

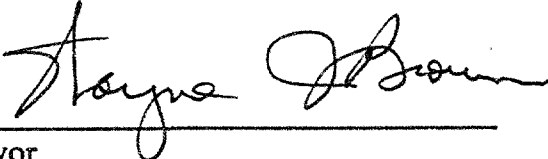
**Section 2:** That all applicants for public hearing cases are required to meet application deadlines as established and published by the City of Mesa Planning Division.

Section 3: That all applicants for public hearing cases are required to submit complete application materials as established and published by the City of Mesa Planning Division.

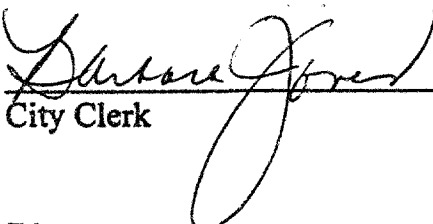
Section 4: That all applicants for public hearing cases are strongly encouraged to voluntarily follow the Citizen Participation Plan Guidelines as published by the City of Mesa Planning Division, and that furthermore, applicants choosing not to follow the Guidelines should encourage public awareness of their case in an appropriate manner.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Maricopa County, Arizona this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 1998.

**APPROVED:**

  
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Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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City Clerk

