ORDINANCE NO.	
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AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING AND INCREASING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MESA, ARIZONA, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 9, CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE 7, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES AND AMENDMENTS THERETO BY ANNEXING CERTAIN TERRITORY INTO THE EXISTING LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MESA.

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2018, the City of Mesa filed in the office of the Maricopa County Recorder a blank petition setting forth a description and an accurate map of the entire area to be annexed, showing the exterior boundaries of territory contiguous to the City of Mesa, and showing any county rights-of-way and roadways within or contiguous to the exterior boundaries; and

WHEREAS, a notice and copy of the filing was given to the Clerk of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors and to the Maricopa County Assessor; and

WHEREAS, notice of public hearing to consider the proposed annexation was given as required by A.R.S. Section 9-471(A) (3) and the public hearing was held on February 26, 2018; and

WHEREAS, at least thirty (30) days have elapsed since the filing of the blank petition with the Maricopa County Recorder's Office; and

WHEREAS, a written petition has been filed in the office of the Maricopa County Recorder and signed by the owners of one-half or more in value of the real and personal property and more than one-half of the persons owning real and personal property that would be subject to taxation by the City of Mesa in the event of annexation within the territory and land hereinafter described as shown by the last assessment of said property; and

WHEREAS, the petition was circulated and filed in the office of the County Recorder within one (1) year after the last day of the thirty (30) day waiting period under the statute; and

WHEREAS, said territory satisfies A.R.S. Section 9-471(H), and is not currently embraced within its limits, and the petition is asking that the property more particularly hereinafter described be annexed to the City of Mesa, and that the corporate limits of the City of Mesa be extended and increased so as to embrace said territory; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Mesa desire to comply with said petition and extend and increase the corporate limits of the City of Mesa to include said territory; and

WHEREAS, said petition sets forth a true and correct description of all the exterior boundaries of the entire area proposed to be annexed to the City of Mesa, and has attached to it an accurate map of the territory desired to be annexed; and

WHEREAS, no alterations increasing or reducing the territory sought to be annexed have been made after said petition was signed by a property owner; and

WHEREAS, no state lands were encompassed in this annexation; and

WHEREAS, proper and sufficient certification and proof of the foregoing facts are now on file with the City of Mesa together with the original petition referred to herein.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>SECTION 1</u>: That the following described territory is annexed into the City of Mesa and that the present corporate limits are extended and increased to include the following described territory contiguous to the present City of Mesa limits, as shown on the petition and map of the boundaries, attached hereto as Exhibit A, and as legally described below:

PARCEL 1:

THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 1 SOUTH, RANGE 7 EAST OF THE GILA AND SALT RIVER MERIDIAN, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA.

EXCEPT THE EAST 50 FEET THEREOF AS CONVEYED TO THE CITY OF MESA PER CITY OF MESA ORDINANCE NO. 1279 AND NO. 2514.

PARCEL 2:

THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 1 SOUTH, RANGE 7 EAST OF THE GILA AND SALT RIVER MERIDIAN, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA;

EXCEPT THE WEST 30 FEET AND THE NORTH 33 FEET THEREOF AS CONVEYED TO MARICOPA COUNTY PER DOCUMENT NUMBER 2003-1474732 OF MARICOPA COUNTY RECORDS.

PARCEL 3:

THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 1 SOUTH, RANGE 7 EAST OF THE GILA AND SALT RIVER MERIDIAN, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA;

EXCEPT THE NORTH 33 FEET THEREOF AS CONVEYED TO MARICOPA COUNTY PER DOCUMENT NUMBER 2003-1474732 OF MARICOPA COUNTY RECORDS.

ALSO EXCEPT THE EAST 50 FEET THEREOF AS CONVEYED TO THE CITY OF MESA PER CITY OF MESA ORDINANCE NO. 1279 AND NO. 2514.

SAID PARCELS CONTAINS 1,181,347.20 SQUARE FEET OR 27.12± ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

AS MORE PARTICULARLY SHOWN ON EXHIBIT 'A' ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART THEREOF.

<u>SECTION 2</u>: That the county zoning classifications applicable to the above- described territory immediately before this annexation shall continue in effect pursuant to A.R.S. Sections 9-462.04(E) and 9-471(L) until City of Mesa zoning is applied to the territory, but in no event longer than six (6) months after the annexation.

	APPROVED:	
ATTEST:	MAYOR	
City Clerk		
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 18, 2018		

June, 2018.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Arizona, this 18th day of