ORDINANCE NO. 482

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE #334 OF THE CITY OF MIDLOTHIAN BY ADDING CERTAIN PROHIBITIONS IN THE PUBLIC PARKS IN THE CITY OF MIDLOTHIAN; SETTING HOURS FOR USE OF THE LIGHTS IN THE CITY PARKS OF MIDLOTHIAN; PROVISIONS HEREOF; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDLOTHIAN, TEXAS:

 $\underline{\text{SECTION 1}}$. Section 7 of Ordinance #334 of the City of Midlothian shall be amended to read as follows:

- a. Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling or singing in the public streets, and public parks, particularly between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. or at any time or place so as to annoy or disturb the quiet, comfort or repose of persons in any office, or in any dwelling, hotel or other type of residence, or of any persons in the vicinity shall be deemed a violation of this section.
- b. All lights in the City parks in the City of Midlothian shall be cut off by 11:00 p.m. every evening unless there is an athletic event still in progress at 11:00 p.m. In that event, the lights shall remain on until the athletic event is completed and thereafter immediately cut off.

SECTION 2. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance or who shall fail to comply with any provisions hereof within the corporate limits of Midlothian shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred and No/100 (\$200.00) Dollars, and each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punishable accordingly.

SECTION 3. The importance of this ordinance creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity and the ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the <u>12th</u> day of <u>May</u> 1981.

George H. Kent, Mayor

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ATTEST:

June Smith, City Secretary