79-2 ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DANBURY, TEXAS, RETAINING THE TAXES IMPOSED BY THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX ACT (ARTICLE 1066c, VERNON'S TEXAS CIVIL STATUTES) ON THE SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF GAS AND ELECTRICITY FOR RESIDENTIAL USE IN SAID CITY.

WHEREAS, the 65th Legislature, Second Called Session, enacted legislation exempting residential use of gas and electricity from the 4% State Sales Tax and providing a local option on the 1% City Sales Tax. The exemption covers "residential use", meaning use in a family dwelling, a multi-family apartment, a housing complex, or a building, structure, or portion of a building or structure occupied as a home or residence, therefore;

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

THAT by majority vote of its governing body, the City Council hereby votes to retain the taxes authorized by the Local Sales and Use Tax Act ( Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) on the receipts from the sale, production, distribution, lease, or rental of, and the use, storage, or other consumption of gas and electricity for residential use, as authorized by Section 6 of House Bill No. 1, Acts 1978, 65th Legislature, Second Called Session.

THAT there exists a public emergency requiring that this Ordinance be finally passed on the date of its introduction and shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Council.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 36 day of april, 1979.

Ted Cooper, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jampe MARILYN MAMPE City Secretary

THRASH & DOZIER ATTORNEYS AT LAW 116 SOUTH GORDON ALVIN. TEXAS 77511 331-5211

## CERTIFICATE

I certify that the attached Ordinance No. 79-2 of the City of Danbury, Texas, was passed by a majority vote of the City Council of said City on the 26th day of April, 1979, and is recorded in the Minutes of the City Council of said City.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 26 day of april , 1979.

MARILYN LAMPE

City Secretary

City of Danbury, Texas

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