ORDINANCE NO. 83-4-

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING FROM CALENDAR YEAR ACCOUNTING TO FISCAL YEAR ACCOUNTING ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1983 AND SHORTENING THE 1982-1983 BUDGET BY THREE MONTHS

WHEREAS, the City of Danbury, Texas, beginning January

1, 1982 began participation in the Brazoria County Appraisal

District Board pursuant to and governed by the Property Tax

Code of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Appraisal District Board functions on a calendar year basis; the City Council of the City of Danbury determined that it would be expediant and in the public interest to likewise function on a calendar year basis for budgetary matters, and therefore an ordinance to that effect was duly passed. But this method has become unworkable and upon the advice and counsel of the City Auditors, Thompson, Gratzer & Company, it is

THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DANBURY, TEXAS

- 1. THAT the City change from the present calendar year accounting beginning January 1, and ending December 31 of each year, to fiscal year account beginning October 1, 1983; and ending September 30 of each year thereafter; and
- 2. THAT the budget for the present calendar year ending December 31, 1983 be shortened three months, to end instead on September 30, 1983.

There exists a public emergency that this ordinance be finally passed on the date of tis introduction therefore said ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the City Council.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 27th day of Portely , 1983.

ORVILL HATTHORN, Mayor

ATTEST

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