

**ORDINANCE 2013-18**

**AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING DECEMBER 14, 2013 AS THE DATE FOR THE 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE IN LA FERIA AND AUTHORIZING THE TEMPORARY CLOSING OF CERTAIN AND SPECIFIED STREETS WITHIN THE CITY OF LA FERIA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THE SAFETY AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE PUBLIC DURING THE 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE ON SAID DATE OR IN THE EVENT OF INCLEMENT WEATHER ANY OTHER ALTERNATE DATE APPROVED BY THE CITY MANAGER.**

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of the City of La Feria and surrounding communities have shown much interest in participating in the annual Christmas Parade; and

**WHEREAS**, such celebration will promote the goodwill of the community and provide the opportunity for citizens to come together and celebrate together in a safe environment in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the safety and general welfare of the participants and the general public are of prime concern; and

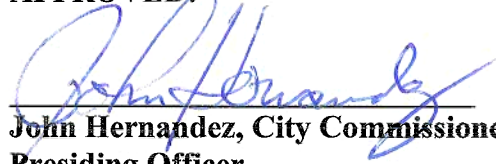
**WHEREAS**, the temporary closing of certain and specified streets to vehicular traffic will improve safety and provide an increased level of protection,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS THAT DECEMBER 14, 2013 BE DESIGNATED AS THE DATE FOR THE 15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE IN LA FERIA, THE CITY MANAGER BE AUTHORIZED TO APPROVE AN ALTERNATE DAY FOR THE CHRISTMAS PARADE IN THE EVENT OF ANY INCLEMENT WEATHER, AND THE FOLLOWING STREETS BE CLOSED TO ANY AND ALL VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2013, OR ANY OTHER ALTERNATE DAY IN 2013 APPROVED BY THE CITY MANAGER DURING THE HOURS OF 3:00 PM TO 7:00 PM.**

- 1. Main Street from Jessamine Avenue to Ninth Street**

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 4<sup>th</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2013.**

**APPROVED:**

  
**John Hernandez, City Commissioner  
Presiding Officer**

**ATTEST:**

  
**Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
**Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney**