

## ORDINANCE NO. 77-13

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## ORDINANCE NO. 77-14

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE WESLACO HOSPITAL AUTHORITY IN THE CITY OF WESLACO, TEXAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY ACT; PROVIDING THAT SAID AUTHORITY SHALL HAVE NO TAXING POWER; PROVIDING FOR ITS TERRITORIAL LIMITS; PROVIDING FOR ITS CORPORATE EXISTENCE; DESIGNATION THE AUTHORITY'S NAME; PROVIDING FOR THE POWER OF PERPETUAL SUCCESSION; PROVIDING A PROHIBITION AGAINST THE APPROPRIATION OF PUBLIC FUNDS TO OR FOR THE OPERATION OF THE AUTHORITY; PROVIDING FOR A BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NINE MEMBERS WITH STAGGERED TERMS; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND ORDAINING OTHER MATTERS WITH RESPECT TO THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Hospital Authority Act, Chapter 472, Acts of the 55th Legislature of Texas, Regular Session, 1957, as amended, and codified as Article 4437E, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), the City Commission of the City of Weslaco, is authorized and empowered to create a Hospital Authority, without taxing power, for the purpose of effectuating the intent of the Act if the creation thereof would be in the best interest of the City of Weslaco, and its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, any bonds or notes issued by the Hospital Authority in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Act or any other provision of law will not impose any financial obligation, responsibility, or liability upon the City at any time; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission now finds and determine that it is in the best interest of the City and its inhabitants to create a Hospital Authority and appoint the first Board of Directors under the provisions of the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WESLACO, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: The City Commission has found and determined and hereby finds and determines, that it is in the best interest of the City and its inhabitants to create a Hospital Authority, without taxing power, to comprise all of the territory included within the boundaries of the City and said Hospital Authority is hereby created pursuant to the Hospital Authority Act, Article 4437e, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, and

SECTION 5: That the WESLACO HOSPITAL AUTHORITY shall be governed by a Board of Directors consisting of nine (9) members, and the first Directors shall be:

DAVID S. DONALSON  
 MRS. KINDRED CASKEY  
 H. DALE MAULDIN  
 JOE CARDENAS  
 MRS. KEITH ANDERSON  
 WALTER BAXTER  
 FLOYD ENNIS  
 JOE SILVA  
 DR. BEN VILLALON

Directors DAVID S. DONALSON , MRS. KINDRED CASKEY, H. DALE MAULDIN, JOE CARDENAS, and JOE SILVA, each, unless other provision is made in the bond resolution or trust indenture in connection with the issuance of bonds as provided in the Act, shall serve for a term of two (2) years from the date hereof and until his or her successor is appointed and has duly qualified. Directors MRS. KEITH ANDERSON, WALTER BAXTER, FLOYD ENNIS, and DR. BEN VILLALON, each, unless other provision is made in the bond resolution or trust indenture in connection with the issuance of bonds as provided in the Act, shall serve for a term of one (1) year from the date hereof and until his or her successor is appointed and has fully qualified. Each successor to these Directors shall be appointed for a term of two (2) years. or, in the case of a vacancy, until the expiration of the applicable unexpired term. Each of the Directors herein appointed shall qualify by executing the oath of office required of appointed officials of the State of Texas.

SECTION 6: That all Ordinances and Resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed insofar as they conflict herewith.

SECTION 7: The importance of this measure to the public with respect to providing better health care facilities within the City creates an emergency and urgent public necessity that this Ordinance be passed as an emergency measure on first and final reading.

PASSED AND APPROVED on first and final reading this 21st day of June, A.D., 1977.

CITY OF WESLACO

ATTEST:

/s/ Hilda Adame, City Secretary

BY: /s/ Joe V. Sanchez, Mayor