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Press Release

Celina Texas passes comprehensive fire sprinkler ordinance:

On Monday, September 8th, the City Council of the City of Celina Texas passed a comprehensive sprinkler ordinance that will include all one and two family dwellings. Effective immediately, any structure built, or moved into the City of Celina will be required to be fitted with a fire sprinkler system, regardless of the square footage of the structure. Also, in any existing building, remodeled or reconstructed after the effective date of this ordinance, where the work performed exceeds 50% of the square footage, or 50% of the dollar value of the building. Exceptions would include utility buildings, open concrete parking garages, covered walkways or open canopies.

Celina is located along Highway 289 and the North Dallas Parkway, approximately thirty miles north of the Dallas City Limits. The Celina Fire District includes an incorporated area, and extra territorial jurisdiction. Both areas combined encompass approximately 90 square miles including regions of Collin, Grayson, and Denton Counties. Currently there are approximately 10,000 residents within this total fire district. Approximately 5000 residents reside in the incorporated area, and approximately 5000 residents in the extra territorial jurisdiction. The Collin and Denton County area is one of the fastest growing in the nation, and Celina anticipates tremendous growth within the next 5 to 10 years.

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