AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF METAL MATERIALS FOR CULVERTS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS, TEXAS AND DECLARING A PENALTY AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

WHEREAS, the use of metal materials for culverts within the City limits of the City of Bevil Oaks is not in the best interest of the City in that the same deteriorates and causes drainage problems; and

WHEREAS, culverts made of metal material often crack and weaken with repeated use causing a hazard to traffic and pedestrian; and

WHEREAS, culverts which are made of metal materials are difficult to remove for purposes of cleaning and relocating; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to install on any street, street right-of-way, driveway, or ditch located on any street, street right-of-way, driveway or public thoroughfare connected to any street, any culvert consisting in whole or in part of any type of metal materials.

The term "Metal Materials" as used in the preceding paragraph shall mean any material consisting in whole or in part of iron or steel except for reinforcing rods and wire used in concrete culverts.

Section 2. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction such section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion shall be deemed as separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon a conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each

offense. Each day such offense shall continue shall be deemed a separate offense.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 15 day of Jamuary, 1985.

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS, TEXAS

ATTEST:

TOMMY LAROUSSE, CITY SECRETARY CITY OF BEVIL OAKS, TEXAS