

RESOLUTION NUMBER 707

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND APPROVING AN OFFICIAL CITY OF DENISON MUNICIPAL FLAG.

WHEREAS, it has been stated that in 1872, city officials adopted an official municipal flag; and

WHEREAS, early City of Denison available municipal records do not specifically state that a municipal flag was adopted, although a drawing of such a flag is available; and

WHEREAS, Teri Vogel, Cathy Fisher and Julie McBride of the City of Denison Girls Club have made and presented to the City Council an official municipal flag which was copied from a drawing available to the City of Denison, Texas; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENISON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Council hereby accepts and adopts the flag as an official City of Denison Municipal Flag, a sketch and dimensions of which is attached to and made a part of this Resolution.

SECTION 2. That the upper field of the flag in green shall represent the grass of the Indian Territory and the lower field of white for the cotton of Texas. The fields being divided by a horizontal stripe of red representing the Red River and the vertical stripe of black representing the railroad that connected the Indian Territory and Texas. The star in the center represents Denison, a jewel at the crossroads of a great river and at the interweaving of two great sections of the country.

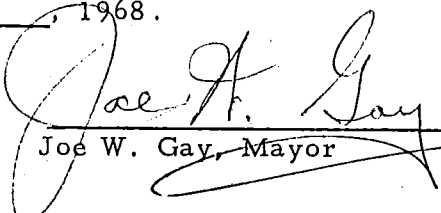
SECTION 3. That the official municipal flag shall be flown at a strategic location in the City of Denison.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.


On motion of Councilman Gerard, seconded by Councilman Couch, the above and foregoing Resolution was passed and approved on this the 13 day of November, 1968 by the following vote:

Councilmen voting aye: Unanimous.

At special meeting November 13, 1968.

  
Joe W. Gay, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Louise Blanton, City Clerk