CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN

ORDINANCE # 078

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR A CALENDAR YEAR 2012 TAX RATE OF 0.0944 / \$100 OF APPRAISED PROPERTY VALUE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE:

Whereas, the City of Highland Haven, Texas depends on property taxes to obtain income for necessary operating expenses; and

Whereas, the City is authorized by the State of Texas to assess property taxes for such purpose; and

Whereas, the cost for fire protection and first responder services will increase significantly in fiscal year 2013; and

Whereas, the proposed fiscal year 2013 budget requires a property tax rate of 0.0944 / 100 of appraised value for calendar year 2012, and the calendar 2011 tax rate was 0.095 / 100; and

NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN, TEXAS:

The property tax rate for the year 2012 for the City is set at \$0.0944 per \$100.00 of appraised property value.

Section 1, Authorization:

The Burnet Central Appraisal District is authorized to collect taxes for the City of Highland Haven, Texas for calendar year 2012 at the rate of \$0.0944 / \$100 of appraised valuation.

Section 2, Application:

This Ordinance applies to all property located within the city limits of Highland Haven, Texas, as shown on the Burnet County Appraisal District 2012 property tax roll.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 21st DAY OF AUGUST 2012 BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN, TEXAS.

Attest:	
Dana Turner, City Secretary	Peter E. Freehill, Mayor