ORDINANCE NO. 893

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO LICENSING, OPERATION AND REGULATION OF AIRPORT LIMOUSINES FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF PASSENGERS FOR HIRE WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS AS HEREIN PROVIDED, SUBJECT TO AND CONDITIONED UPON PROCEDURES, LICENSING REQUIREMENTS, FEES AND REGULATORY PROVISIONS AS PRESCRIBED FOR TAXICABS, INSOFAR AS HEREIN ADOPTED BY REFERENCE AND MADE A PART OF THIS ORDINANCE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT OR INCONSISTENT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROS-

WELL, NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Definitions. As used in this ordinance:

a. "Airport Limousine" means a motor vehicle operated for the transportation of passengers for hire:

From Roswell Industrial Air Center to any passenger directed destination within the corporation limits or,

From such terminus point or points within the corporate limits as shall be designated and approved by the City Board of Taxicabs to the Roswell Industrial Air Center, or,

Between the Roswell Industrial Air Center and such other additional points within the corporate limits as the Board of Taxicabs shall hereafter direct and approve.

- b. "Owner" means any person, firm or corporation holding the legal title or conditional sale right of possession to a motor vehicle with the right to purchase the same.
 - c. "City" is the City of Roswell, New Mexico.

Section 2. Adoption by reference of certain sections of Chapter 33 of the Code of the City of Roswell, New Mexico 1962.

Sections 33-2 through 33-7 and 33-9 through 33-18 of the Code of the City of Roswell, New Mexico 1962 be, and the same hereby are referred to and by reference adopted and incorporated as part and parcel of this ordinance as fully and effectively in manner and form for all intents and purposes as though said sections be herein set forth in full, provided, however, that for the purpose of this ordinance the words "taxicab" or "taxicabs" as used in any of said sections, respectively, are hereby deleted from the context by substituting therefor the words "airport limousine" or "airport limousines" as the case may be in lieu thereof. For the purposes of this ordinance the words "Boards of Taxicabs" shall be construed to mean the authorized agency or body created for the regulation of airport limousines as well as taxicabs.

Section 3. Miscellaneous provisions.

- a. Such airport limousine service shall be limited to the carrying of passengers for hire as herein provided or, as may be hereafter directed and approved by the Board of Taxicabs after due publication of notice of hearing and public hearing held.
- b. No taxicab meters shall be required in the case of airport limousine service.
- c. Airport limousine service shall be provided for each and every scheduled passenger airline arrival or departure at the Roswell Industrial Air Center.
 - d. Any vehicle so used shall be plainly marked "Airport Limousine".
- e. It is the intent of this ordinance that airport limousines shall be licensed, administered, controlled and regulated by the Board of Taxicabs in the same manner and subject to and conditioned upon the provisions prescribed by ordinance in the case of taxicabs, except as herein otherwise provided.

Section 4. Repealer.

a. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent only of such inconsistency. This repealer shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or parts of any ordinance heretofore repealed.

Section 5. Severability.

a. That if any section, paragraph, clause or provisions of this ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any other part of this ordinance.

Section 6. Emergency.

a. That this ordinance is necessary for the preservation of the public health, peace, safety, and general welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Roswell, Chaves County, New Mexico, and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure on the ground of urgent public need; and therefore, immediately upon its final passage, shall be recorded in the book of ordinances of said City kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk, shall be published in the Roswell Daily Record, a legal newspaper published and of general circulation in said City, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after such publication.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 6th day of

November, 1968.

CITY SEAL

WM. F. BRAINERD, Mayor

ATTEST:

W. M. FOSTER, City Clerk

- 2