CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 11

**A CHARTER ORDINANCE EXEMPTING THE CITY OF NEODESHA, KANSAS, FROM THE PROVISIONS OF K.S.A. SUPP. 12-1222 AS THE SAME RELATES TO THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE CITY LIBRARY BOARD; PROVIDING SUBSTITUTE AND ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS ON THE SAME SUBJECT; AND REPEALING ALL OTHER ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF NEODESHA, KANSAS:**

**SECTION 1.** The City of Neodesha, Kansas, by the power vested in it by Article 12, Section 6, of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, hereby elects to and does exempt itself from and makes inapplicable to it, the provisions of K.S.A. Supp. 12-1222 requiring that in the case of a city library board, seven (7) members shall be appointed; Such statutory section is applicable to this City but is not uniformly applicable to all cities.

**SECTION 2.** The official head of Neodesha shall appoint, with the approval of the governing body, a library board of nine (9) members.

**SECTION 3.** The membership of the City of Neodesha Library Board shall consists of seven (7) members who are residents of Neodesha and not more than two (2) members who live outside the city limits. For the two (2) members who live outside the city limits, their terms shall expire two (2) years after the date of appointment.

**SECTION 4.** This Charter Ordinance shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in the official City Newspaper.

**SECTION 5.** This Charter Ordinance shall take effect sixty-one (61) days after final publication unless a sufficient petition for a referendum is filed and referendum held on the Ordinance as provided in Article 12, Section 6, Sub-division (c)(3) of the Constitution of the State of Kansas in which case the Ordinance shall become effective upon approval by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

**PASSED BY THE GOVERNING BODY**, not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the members voting in favor thereof, this 11th day of February, 1991.

Franklin C. Miller

Franklin C. Miller, Mayor

ATTEST:

JoVonnah Boecker

JoVonnah Boecker, City Clerk