

A DECLARATION OF DISASTER, AND RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS, CONSENTING TO THE CONTINUATION AND RENEWAL OF THE DISASTER DECLARATION ISSUED BY MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, severe winter weather poses an imminent threat of widespread and severe property damage, injury, and loss of life due to prolonged freezing temperatures, snow and freezing rain throughout the City of Eagle Lake, Texas which requires emergency action; and

WHEREAS, on February 12, 2021, Texas Governor Greg Abbott declared a state of disaster for all 254 counties based on the existence of such severe winter weather threat, and Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code authorizes the Mayor of the City of Eagle Lake, as the presiding officer of the governing body of a political subdivision, to declare a local state of disaster; and

WHEREAS, I, as the Mayor of the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, issued a Declaration of Disaster on February 18, 2021 and at that time determined that extraordinary measures needed to be taken to protect life and property threatened by the severe winter weather; and

WHEREAS, the Declaration of Disaster expires after February 24, 2021; and

WHEREAS, continuation of the Declaration of Disaster will continue to facilitate and expedite the use and deployment of resources to enhance preparedness and response; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS:

Section 1. The City Council consents to the continuation and renewal of the foregoing Mayor's declaration of disaster, made by the Mayor on this February 23, 2021, and it shall be continued until the state of disaster declared by Governor Abbott is terminated, or the City Council otherwise determines it is safe to do so.

Section 2: The City Secretary is hereby directed to maintain a copy of the Mayor's order or proclamation declaring a local state of disaster, and this resolution continuing that proclamation.

Approved, Adopted and Passed on this the 23rd day of February 2021.

Mary Parr

Mayor

City of Eagle Lake, Texas

Lina Ferguson

City Secretary

City of Eagle Lake, Texas