

DECLARATION OF DISASTER – HURRICANE BERYL

WHEREAS, the City of Bay City, Texas on the 7th day of July 2024, is under imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from Hurricane Beryl immediately preceding and following landfall on or near the Texas Coast; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of The City of Bay City, Texas has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE Mayor of Bay City, Texas:

- 1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for the City of Bay City, Texas, pursuant to section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
- 2. Pursuant to section 418.108(b) of the Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven (7) days from the date of this declaration unless continued or renewed by the Mayor of the City of Bay City, Texas.
- 3. Pursuant to section 418.108(c) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Secretary.
- 4. Pursuant to section 418.108(d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Bay City emergency management plan.
- 5. Pursuant to section 418.108(f) of the Texas Government Code, the Mayor of the City of Bay City may order the evacuation of all or part of the population from a threatened area if the County Mayor considers the action necessary for the preservation of life or other disaster mitigation, response, or recovery.
- 6. Pursuant to section 418.108(g) of the Texas Government Code, the Mayor of the City of Bay City may control ingress to and egress from a threatened area and control the movement of persons and the occupancy of premises in that area. *Declaration of Disaster Hurricane Beryl*

7. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

DECLARED this the 7^{th} day of July 2024.

Robert K. Nelson, Mayor City of Bay City