

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-01-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVERMAN, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE TARRANT COUNTY 2025 HAZARD MITIGATION ACTION PLAN; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Everman recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people, property, and the environment within the City of Everman; and,

WHEREAS, the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires communities to adopt a hazard mitigation plan to be eligible for the full range of pre-disaster and post-disaster federal funding for mitigation purposes; and,

WHEREAS, FEMA requires that communities update hazard mitigation plans every five years in order to remain eligible for the full range of pre-disaster and post-disaster federal funding for mitigation purposes; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Everman has assessed potential risks and hazards and is committed to planning for a sustainable community and reducing the long-term consequences of all hazards; and

WHEREAS, the City of Everman has been an active participant in the Tarrant County planning process and having conducted its own community-specific process; and

WHEREAS, the County of Tarrant has prepared a multijurisdictional, multi-hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as the *2025 Tarrant County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan*, in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 Tarrant County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan outlines mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in the City of Everman from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS, adoption by the City Council demonstrates their commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the *2025 Tarrant County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan*.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVERMAN, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The *2025 Tarrant County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan* is hereby approved and adopted in its entirety. This plan, approved by the community, may be edited or amended after submission for review, but will not require the community to re-adopt any further iterations. This only applies to this specific plan and does not absolve the community from

updating the plan in 5 years. A copy of the 2025 Tarrant County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan may be accessed online at the Tarrant County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management web page at: <https://www.Tarrantcounty.org/departments/hsem/hazard-mitigation-plan.php>.

SECTION 2. The City of Everman will pursue available funding opportunities for implementation of the proposals designated therein, and will, upon receipt of such funding, implement the actions contained in the mitigation strategies.

SECTION 3. The City of Everman will continue to participate in the mitigation planning process, including actions reasonably necessary to carry out the objectives of the Hazard Mitigation Plan and report on progress as required by FEMA and the Texas Division of Emergency Management.

SECTION 4. That all provisions of the Resolutions of the City of Everman, Texas, in conflict with the provisions of this Resolution be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this Resolution shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 5. This Resolution shall be effective immediately from and after the date of its enactment as provided by law.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Everman, Texas the ___ day of January, 2026.

APPROVED:

Ray Richardson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mindi Parks, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Victoria Thomas, City Attorney

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