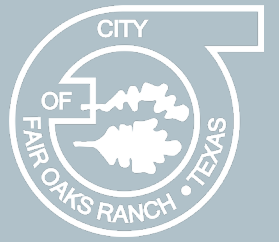
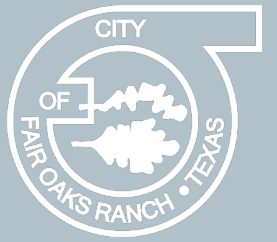




# SAWS Emergency Interconnect Agreement

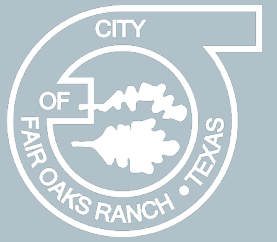


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# Purpose & Background

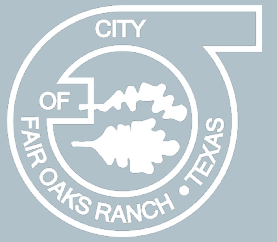
- Formalizes the terms under which SAWS may provide temporary potable water to the City during emergency conditions
- Interconnect located on Leslie Pfeiffer Drive with SAWS-owned metering at the point of delivery
- Enhances the City's system resiliency during pressure loss, mechanical failure, or other qualifying emergencies
- City responsible for design, permitting, construction, and obtaining all necessary approvals from SAWS and TCEQ prior to connection



# Key Agreement Terms

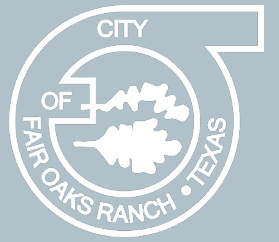
- SAWS retains priority to serve its existing customers
- Activation only by SAWS personnel upon the City's request
- Use restricted to domestic indoor (essential) use only
- Activation limited to 30 consecutive days unless SAWS approves an extension
- Certified annual testing of all backflow prevention assemblies required
- Term of 10 years, with termination rights for either party
- Includes standard protections found in utility contracts

# Financial Summary



- Monthly meter availability fee: \$613.72 (based on an 8" meter)
- Water usage billed at the higher of SAWS or City of Fair Oaks Ranch residential rates during activation
- No SAWS impact fees apply

# Staff Recommendation



- Approve the Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute the Emergency Interconnect Agreement with SAWS



# Questions?