

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS, MAKING FINDINGS OF FACT; ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE CITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2026, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2027; APPROPRIATING EXPENDITURES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ADOPTED BUDGET; AND PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE, SEVERANCE CLAUSE, AND EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Iowa Colony, Texas (the “City”), is a home-rule municipality operating pursuant to its Home Rule Charter and the laws of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the City’s fiscal year begins on October 1, 2026, and ends on September 30, 2027; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager and Finance Director charged with preparing the City budget has prepared and submitted to the City Council a proposed budget for the City for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2026, and ending September 30, 2027 (the “Budget”); and

WHEREAS; the proposed Budget was filed, made available for public inspection, and considered in accordance with Chapter 102 of the Texas Local Government Code, the City Charter, and other applicable law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council provided the required notice of and conducted a public hearing on the proposed Budget, at which all interested persons were afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard; and

WHEREAS, for each City Council meeting at which the proposed Budget was discussed or adopted, the City complied with the applicable notice and budget-material requirements of Section 551.043 of the Texas Government Code, including the taxpayer impact statement required by Section 551.043(c), as applicable;

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that adoption of the Budget is in the best interest of the City and its residents;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Finding of Fact

That the foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated into this Ordinance for all purposes. The City Council further finds that all procedures, prerequisites, notices, public hearing requirements, and other requirements of law concerning this Ordinance and the Budget adopted herein have been satisfied.

SECTION 2. Adoption of Budget

The City Council of the City of Iowa Colony, Texas by record vote, hereby approves and adopts the Budget attached to this Ordinance and incorporated herein by reference for all purposes is hereby approved and adopted as the annual budget of the City for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2026, and ending September 30, 2027.

SECTION 3. Appropriations

The sums set forth in the Budget are hereby appropriated for the respective municipal purposes and in the respective amounts stated therein.

SECTION 4. Authorization of Expenditures

Expenditures of City funds shall be made only in accordance with the Budget, the Ordinance, the City Charter, the City's duly adopted financial policies, and applicable law. Nothing in this Ordinance authorizes the expenditure of funds in excess of funds lawfully available and appropriated for that purpose.

SECTION 5. Filing and Public Availability

The City Secretary shall retain the Budget and this Ordinance in the City's official records and shall make them available for public inspection as required by applicable law.

SECTION 6. Savings Clause

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed only to the extent of the conflict. All other provisions of the City's ordinances shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. Severance Clause

If any part of this ordinance, of whatever size, is ever declared invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 8. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED ON SEPTEMBER 21, 2026.

WIL KENNEDY, MAYOR
CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS

ATTEST:

**KAYLEEN ROSSER, CITY SECRETARY
CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS**