

**MUNICIPAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS
AND BEAZER HOMES TEXAS, L.P.
(Authorized by Tex. Loc. Gov't Code sec. 43.0672)**

This Municipal Services Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by the **CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS ("CITY"); and BEAZER HOMES TEXAS, L.P.; ("OWNER")**.

RECITALS

The parties agree that the following recitals are true and form the basis upon which the parties have entered into this Agreement.

This agreement is authorized by Section 43.0672 of the Texas Local Government Code and all applicable law.

At the time of execution of this Agreement by the City, Owner(s) own approximately 15.6385 acres of land located within the City's extraterritorial jurisdiction situated in Brazoria County, Texas (the "Property"), and the Property is described on Exhibit "A", which is attached and incorporated herein by reference.

Each Owner(s) signing this agreement represents and warrants that the Owner(s) named herein are all Owners of the entire Property.

City and Owner(s) desire to set out the City services to be provided for the Property on or after the effective date of the annexation of the Property by the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for the mutual covenants, conditions, and promises contained herein, City and Owner(s) agree as follows:

- 1. PROPERTY.** This Agreement is only applicable to the Property.
- 2. METHODS OF PROVIDING SERVICES.**
 - a. This Agreement provides for the delivery of services to the Property as herein provided, in accordance with state law and applicable city ordinances, rules, regulations, and policies. The City may accomplish the delivery of any services required by this Agreement through any means permitted by law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, whenever this Agreement requires the City to provide a service, the City may do so either directly or by arranging for delivery of that service through another governmental entity, a private entity, or any other person and in any lawful manner.
 - b. Fees and charges for public services of any nature are beyond the scope of this Agreement and shall be determined in compliance with applicable law.

3. MUNICIPAL SERVICES.

- a. Commencing upon the annexation of the Property into the City for general purposes, the City will provide for the Property the municipal services set forth in this subsection, except as otherwise stated herein.
 - i. Police. The City's Police Department will provide law enforcement services.
 - ii. Building Inspection and Code Enforcement. The City will provide code enforcement services. This includes issuing building, electrical, plumbing, and other permits and providing inspection services for new construction and remodeling and enforcing all other applicable codes that regulate building construction within the City. These include zoning enforcement, animal control, subdivision regulation, and junk vehicle compliance, among other City codes and ordinances.
 - iii. Planning and Zoning. The City will provide comprehensive planning, land development, land use, and building review and inspection services.
 - iv. Parks and Recreational Facilities. The Property will have the same rights as other, similar property in the City concerning publicly owned parks and recreational facilities throughout the City.
 - v. Roads and Streets. Street construction in and adjoining the Property will be done by the developer or a public entity other than the City. The City will maintain any public city streets, streetlights, and regulatory signs over which the City has jurisdiction, beginning upon inspection of those items for compliance with city standards, and acceptance of those items by the City, except to the extent that another public entity or homeowner's association is obligated to provide those services.
- b. The City does not provide the following services to the Property and does not contract to do so:
 - i. Fire Protection. At this time, the Iowa Colony Volunteer Fire Department, which is not a part of the City, provides fire protection services to the Property. Brazoria County Emergency Services District No. 3 provides fire protection services to some of the Property and may annex the remainder of the Property and then provide fire protection services to the whole Property.
 - ii. Emergency Medical Services. At this time, the Iowa Colony Volunteer Fire Department, which is not a part of the City, provides emergency medical services to the Property. Brazoria County Emergency Services District No. 3 provides emergency medical services to some of the Property and may

annex the remainder of the Property and then provide emergency medical services to the whole Property.

iii. Stormwater Drainage. The City shall not be obligated to provide stormwater services. A Development Agreement for the Property governs the provision of those services.

iv. Water and Wastewater Utilities. The City shall not be obligated to provide stormwater services. A Development Agreement for the Property governs the provision of those services.

v. Solid Waste Services. At this time, the City does not provide solid waste services.

c. The City shall not be required to provide a service except as expressly provided by this Agreement.

d. Owner understands and acknowledges that any City departments listed above may change names or be re-organized by the City. Any reference to a specific department also includes any subsequent City department that will provide the same or similar services.

4. **OTHER AGREEMENTS.** The City previously entered into a Development Agreement and a Utility Agreement with Beazer Homes Texas, L.P.. In the event of any conflict between the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement and the terms, conditions and provisions of the Development Agreement and the Utility Agreement, the Development Agreement and the Utility Agreement shall control.

5. **SERVICE LEVEL.** Where this Agreement requires the City to provide a service, the City will provide the Property with a level of that service, related infrastructure, and related infrastructure maintenance that are generally comparable to the level of services, infrastructure, and infrastructure maintenance provided by the City in other parts of the City with topography, land use, population density, and other pertinent factors similar to those of the Property.

6. **NONWAIVER OF OTHER PERSONS' OBLIGATIONS.** Nothing herein shall waive or impair any obligation of any developer, property owner, municipal utility district, or any person or entity other than a party hereto to provide any services herein described or other services.

7. **AUTHORITY.** City and Owner(s) represent that they have full power, authority, and legal right to execute, deliver, and perform their respective obligations pursuant to this Agreement. Owner acknowledges that approval of the annexation is within the sole

jurisdiction of the City Council. Nothing in this Agreement guarantees favorable decisions by the City Council.

8. **SEVERABILITY.** If any part, term, or provision of this Agreement is held by a court to be illegal, invalid, or otherwise unenforceable, such illegality, invalidity, or unenforceability will not affect the validity of any other part, term or provision, and the rights of the parties will be construed as if the part, term, or provision was never part of the Agreement.
9. **INTERPRETATION.** The parties to this Agreement covenant and agree that in any litigation relating to this Agreement, the terms and conditions of the Agreement will be interpreted according to the laws of the State of Texas. The parties acknowledge that they are of equal bargaining power and that each of them was represented by legal counsel in the negotiation and drafting of this Agreement.
10. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** This Agreement shall be governed by Texas Law. Venue of any litigation concerning this Agreement or the subject matter hereof shall be only in the state courts located in Brazoria County, Texas or the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston or Galveston Division.
11. **NONWAIVER BY NONENFORCEMENT.** The failure of any party to insist upon the performance of any term or provision of this Agreement or to exercise any right granted hereunder shall not constitute a waiver of that party's right to insist upon appropriate performance or to assert any such right on any future occasion.
12. **COUNTERPARTS.** This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and constitute one and the same instrument.
13. **CAPTIONS.** The captions to the various clauses of this Agreement are for informational purposes only and shall not alter the substance of the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
14. **AGREEMENT BINDS BENEFITS SUCCESSORS AND RUNS WITH THE LAND.** This Agreement is binding on and inures to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns. The terms of this Agreement constitute covenants running with the land comprising the Property.
15. **NOT A THIRD-PARTY CONTRACT.** This is not a third-party contract and does not create any rights of any person except the parties and their respective successors and assigns.
16. **RECORDING OF AGREEMENT.** This Agreement shall be recorded in the Official Records of the Brazoria County Clerk.

- 17. REMEDIES.** No party shall be liable for monetary damages for the breach of this Agreement. The sole remedy for a breach of this Agreement by the City shall be disannexation as provided in Section 43.141 of the Texas Local Government Code.
- 18. DISCLOSURES BY CITY.** The City makes the following disclosures to Brazoria County, the Owner of the right of way being annexed:
- a. The Owner is not required to enter into this Agreement.
 - b. The City is authorized to annex the Annexation Area under Subchapter 43, C-3 of the Texas Local Government Code, subject to a request of the Owner.
 - c. This subsection is a plain-language description of the annexation procedures applicable to the Annexation Area. The Owner must request the annexation in writing. Since the Annexation Area, a county road, is not taxed agriculturally, the City is not required to offer a non-annexation development agreement providing for non-annexation of the Annexation Area under certain terms and conditions. The annexation may be completed without a rejection by the Owner of such an offer. The City must enter into a municipal service agreement with the Owner. The City must hold a public hearing on the annexation, after giving notice of the hearing by publication in a newspaper and posting on the City's internet website. The City must also give notice of intent to annex to the school district with jurisdiction of the area to be annexed and to various public entities providing various services to the area to be annexed. The area may be annexed by a City ordinance at or after the conclusion of the public hearing.
 - d. This Agreement, if accepted by the Owner, constitutes a waiver of governmental immunity by the City for purposes of the enforcement of this Agreement.
- 19. ENTIRE AGREEMENT.**
- a. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior oral and written agreements between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof, except that nothing herein shall impair any rights under the contract by which City sold the Property to Owner or the documents executed pursuant to that contract.
 - b. This Agreement shall not be amended unless executed in writing by the parties.
- 20. EFFECTIVE DATE:** This Agreement shall be effective upon the annexation of the Property by the City.

CITY OF IOWA COLONY, TEXAS

By: _____
Wil Kennedy, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kayleen Rosser, City Secretary

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF BRAZORIA §

 This instrument was acknowledged before me on the _____ day of _____, 2025, by **Wil Kennedy, as Mayor of the City of Iowa Colony**, a Texas municipal corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

By: _____
 Notary Public, State of Texas

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF BRAZORIA §

 This instrument was acknowledged before me on the _____ day of _____, 2025, by **Kayleen Rosser, as City Secretary of the City of Iowa Colony**, a Texas municipal corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

By: _____
 Notary Public, State of Texas

OWNER:

BEAZER HOMES TEXAS, L.P.

THE STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF _____ §

 This instrument was acknowledged before me, on the ____ day of _____, 2025, by
_____, as _____ of Beazer Homes Texas, L.P., on behalf of
said entity.

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

EXHIBIT “A”
TO MUNICIPAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

THE “PROPERTY”