

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, ADOPTING THE AIM NORMAN
STORMWATER MASTER PLAN UPDATE.

- § 1. WHEREAS, uncontrolled storm water run-off may cause pollution to the drinking water supply and threaten private property with flood damage, erosion, and declining property values; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is required to meet Phase II Storm Water Regulations as promulgated by the Environmental Protection Agency; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is currently facing the degradation of water in Lake Thunderbird as a result of run-off of nitrogen, phosphates, and sediments which have resulted in a designation of the lake as an “impaired water body”; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the City of Norman has undertaken a comprehensive review and analysis of flooding, water quality, and erosion aimed at reducing flooding dangers, protecting water quality, enhancing the environment and advancing recreational opportunities; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the City has currently in place a 2009 Storm Water Master Plan with detailed data maps, analysis of hydrologic and hydraulic modeling, flood prone soils, and water quality, all of which are valuable for planning purposes and future policy development; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, the City Council has contracted with RDG Planning and Design, Inc. (“RDG”) to prepare an update to the 2009 Storm Water Master Plan for the City; and
- § 7. WHEREAS, RDG and its subcontractor Garver, LLC prepared the AIM Norman Stormwater Master Plan Update in cooperation with the AIM Norman Steering Committee, City Staff and the citizens of Norman, which process invited public written comment as well as attendance and participation at a series of public meetings; and
- § 8. WHEREAS, the Stormwater Subcommittee recommended approval of the Stormwater Master Plan Update on March 4, 2025;
- § 9. WHEREAS, the AIM Norman Steering Committee recommended approval of the Stormwater Master Plan Update on March 12, 2025;

- § 10. WHEREAS, the Norman Planning Commission recommended approval of the Stormwater Master Plan Update on May 8, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 11. The City Council deems that the goals and policies stated in the AIM Norman Stormwater Master Plan Update are in keeping with the best long term interests of both current and future citizens of Norman.

- § 12. That the City of Norman hereby adopts the Stormwater Master Plan Update and that City Staff be directed to utilize the Stormwater Master Plan Update as a planning tool to assist in the development of future policy and regulations, capital improvements, and requirements for the infrastructure as development occurs; and

- § 13. That the AIM Norman Stormwater Master Plan Update shall become effective on June 24, 2025.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2025.

(Mayor)

ATTEST:

(City Clerk)