

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SWEENEY, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR
A RESIDENTIAL HOMESTEAD TAX EXEMPTION; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL
OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS.

WHEREAS, Section 11.13(n) of the Texas Tax Code provides that the City Council as the governing body of the City may adopt an exemption from taxation of a portion of the appraised value of a resident's homestead: and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to adopt a residential homestead exemption pursuant to that provision of the Texas Tax Code for the tax year 2023 and all future years unless revised.

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

Section 1. HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION ESTABLISHMENT. In addition to any other exemptions provided by State law or City ordinance, the owner of a residential homestead who makes application for said exemption, shall be entitled to an exemption for the 2023 tax year and all future tax years, unless revised by subsequent ordinance, from City ad valorem taxation of an amount equal to ten (10) percent of the appraised value of the homestead.

Section 2. REPEALER CLAUSE. The provisions of this ordinance shall be cumulative of all other ordinances or parts of ordinances governing or regulating the same subject matter as that which is covered herein, however, all prior ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with any of the provisions of this ordinance are hereby expressly repealed to the extent that such inconsistency is apparent. This ordinance shall be construed to require or allow any act which is prohibited by any other ordinance.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2023.

DUSTY HOPKINS, Mayor of the City of Sweeny

ATTEST:

KAYDI SMITH, City Secretary