

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 418.108(b) OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE CONSENTING TO, CONTINUING, AND RENEWING THE MAYOR’S DISASTER DECLARATION ISSUED ON MARCH 4, 2026, IMMINENT PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY FAILURE

WHEREAS, on March 4, 2026, the Mayor, by proclamation, issued a *Declaration of Disaster* regarding an imminent public water supply failure (“Disaster Declaration”); and

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2026, City Council adopted Resolution No. 2259-26-03-10-1408 which (i) consented to the Mayor’s issuance of the Disaster Declaration; and, (ii) consented to the continuation and renewal of the declaration until May 4, 2026, pursuant to Section 418.108(b), Texas Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has determined, and Council hereby consents, that continuing and renewing the Disaster Declaration for an indefinite period of time is necessary to protect the residents of the City and its water customers; and

WHEREAS, City Council finds that it is in the public interest for it to consent to the Mayor’s continuation and renewal of the March 4, 2026, Disaster Declaration, pursuant to authority granted by the Texas Disaster Act of 1975, Chapter 418, Texas Government Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE, TEXAS:

SECTION ONE. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein and made findings of fact.

SECTION TWO. City Council consents to the extension and renewal of the local state of disaster for the City pursuant to Section 418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code. The Mayor issued a Declaration of Disaster on March 4, 2026, which was subsequently renewed and consented to by Council on March 10, 2026 (*see* Reso. No. 2259-26-03-10-1408). The City of Pflugerville Declaration of Disaster (Continued and Renewed) is attached as **Exhibit A**.

SECTION THREE. Pursuant to Section 418.108(c) of the Government Code, this extension and renewal of the Disaster Declaration shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Secretary.

SECTION FOUR. Pursuant to Section 418.108(d) of the Government Code, this renewal and continuation of the Disaster Declaration continues the activation of the appropriate response, recovery, and rehabilitation aspects of the City under the Travis County Emergency Management plan and authorizes the furnishing of aid and assistance under the declaration and order.

SECTION FIVE. Pursuant to Section 418.108(b), Texas Government Code, the Disaster Declaration shall continue for an indefinite period from the date of this declaration, adoption of this Resolution, and until terminated by the Mayor in accordance with Section 418.108(b), Texas Government Code.

SECTION SIX. The terms and provisions of this Resolution and the Disaster Declaration shall be deemed to be severable and that if any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word shall be declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word, and the remainder of this Resolution and Disaster Declaration shall continue in full force and effect the same as if such invalid or unconstitutional provision had never been a part hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 28th day of April, 2026.

Doug Weiss, Mayor

ATTEST:

Trista Evans, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael C. Hayes, City Attorney

**CONTINUED AND RENEWED AND TO AUTOMATICALLY TERMINATE
ON MAY 4, 2026 PER RESOLUTION NO. 2259-26-03-10-1408**

**CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE DECLARATION OF DISASTER
WATER SHORTAGE EMERGENCY
IMMINENT PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY FAILURE**

WHEREAS, the City of Pflugerville, located in Travis County, Texas, provides potable water service to approximately 64,193 customers and essential community facilities, and depends upon surface water from Lake Pflugerville as its primary source of raw water for municipal treatment and distribution; and

WHEREAS, the failure of a pipeline feeding raw water to Lake Pflugerville have resulted in declining lake elevations, which are forecasted to continue dropping through early 2026; and

WHEREAS, engineering projections indicate that by April 18th, 2026, water levels may fall below the elevation of the City's existing raw water intake structure, threatening the City's ability to withdraw and treat sufficient water to meet essential health, sanitation, and firefighting needs—thereby constituting a threat of imminent failure of the City's public water supply system as recognized under State emergency response criteria; and

WHEREAS, City staff is taking emergency action to repair the failed pipeline and strengthen its future water supply, but construction and repair timelines will endanger the City's ability to continue to provide water to the community; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated timing gap between the operability of the lake intake and the completion of repairs and new pipeline installation creates an imminent threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Pflugerville; and

WHEREAS, this declaration is intended to qualify the City of Pflugerville for consideration under the Texas Water Development Board's Emergency and Urgent Need Fund and the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) emergency set-aside program; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that extraordinary measures must be taken to prepare for and respond to this emergency situation, and that the declaration of a local disaster will enable the City to access emergency assistance, technical support, and funding through the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM), the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB), the Office of the Governor, and the Texas Emergency Drinking Water Task Force; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority granted under Chapter 418 of the Texas Government Code, the Mayor of the City of Pflugerville is empowered to declare a local state of disaster when the occurrence or imminent threat of disaster is determined to exist within the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE:

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for the City of Pflugerville, Texas, pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven (7) days of this declaration unless continued or renewed by the City Council.
3. Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the Government Code, this Declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Clerk, Travis County

Clerk, Office of the Governor, the Texas Division of Emergency Management, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, and the Texas Water Development Board.

4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Government Code, this Declaration of a local state of disaster activates the appropriate response, recover and rehabilitation aspects of the City of Pflugerville under the Travis County Emergency Management plan and authorizes the furnishing of aid and assistance under this Declaration and order.
5. The City Manager and designated staff are authorized to coordinate directly with TDEM, TCEQ, TWDB, and the Office of the Governor to obtain emergency funding, regulatory flexibility, and technical assistance necessary to maintain reliable public water service.
6. Pursuant to Texas Local Government Code § **252.022(a)(2)**, the City may procure goods and services necessary to preserve and protect the public health and safety without the standard competitive bidding procedures for the duration of this declaration.
7. The City Secretary is directed to give prompt and general publicity of the issuance of this Declaration.
8. That this Declaration and proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.
9. As MAYOR, I further reserve all other authority and powers conferred by state law to respond as necessary to this situation.

ORDERED this 4th day of March, 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Doug Weiss", is written above a horizontal line.

MAYOR DOUG WEISS

City of Pflugerville, Texas