

ORDER BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PEARLAND (TR 2)

Whereas, on March 18, 2020, a Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency was issued by the Mayor to allow City of Pearland to take measures to reduce the possibility of exposure to COVID-19 and promote the health and safety of City of Pearland residents; and

Whereas, the Mayor recognizes that circumstances associated with the COVID-19 crisis could warrant the temporary waiver and/or suspension of certain City fees for a limited duration to mitigate the impact on the City's constituents; and

NOW THEREFORE, I, MAYOR TOM REID FOR THE CITY OF PEARLAND, TEXAS, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED BY TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE CHAPTER 418, HEREBY FIND AND ORDER:

SECTION 1. That the findings and recitations set out in the preamble to this ORDER are found to be true and correct and they are hereby adopted by the Mayor and made a part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. Effective as of 8:00 a.m. on March 21, 2020, and continuing until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, unless terminated or modified by an earlier order, the Mayor of the City of Pearland, Texas, deems it in the public interest to order that:

- (a) The City Manager is hereby delegated with discretionary authority to temporarily waive and/or suspend certain City development and non-development fees for the duration of this Order; except that this Order shall not apply to any water, sewer or solid waste collection fees; and
- (b) That the City Manager's authority granted herein shall be subject to the requirement that an accounting of all fees waived or suspended (excluding confidential personal information) be maintained, reported to the City Council, and posted on the City's webpage for the public to view.

SECTION 4. City of Pearland will post this Order on its website. If any subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Order or any application of it to any person, structure, gathering, or circumstance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, then such decision will not affect the validity of this order.

SECTION 5. This Order applies to incorporated areas within the boundaries of City of Pearland.



ORDERED this the 21st day of March 2020, in the City of Pearland, Texas.

Mayor Tom Reid

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