

DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, there is an imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from Tropical Storm/Hurricane Harvey, and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Hempstead, Waller County, Texas has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to prevent and or alleviate the possible suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property; now, therefore,

BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HEMPSTEAD, TEXAS

Section 1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared in the City of Hempstead, Waller County, Texas pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

Section 2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days from the date of this declaration unless continued or renewed by the City Council of the City of Hempstead, Waller County, Texas.

Section 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 Secretary.

Section 4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the City of Hempstead, Waller County, Texas emergency management plan.

Section 5. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 24th day of August 2017.

CITY OF HEMPSTEAD, TEXAS

By: Michael Welfe
Michael Welfe, Mayor

ATTEST:

Barbara Hoffinger