CITY OF AMES, TEXAS RESOLUTION NO. 2025-003

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM (HMGP) APPLICATION THROUGH THE TEXAS DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY SECRETARY TO ACT AS THE CITY'S EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES IN ALL MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE DR-4781 HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ames, Texas desires to reduce or eliminate the long-term risk of loss of life, injury, damage to and loss of property, and suffering and hardship, by lessening the impact of future disasters; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to develop a viable community, including decent housing and a suitable living environment; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the best interests of the City to apply for funding under the DR-4781 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program;

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

- 1. That one or more Hazard Mitigation Grant Program applications is hereby authorized to be filed on behalf of the City with the Texas Division of Emergency Management for eligible projects.
- 2. That the City's application(s) be placed in competition for funding under the April 2024 Severe Storms DR-4781 program.
- 3. That the application(s) be for up to 75% of eligible project costs for construction improvements, project engineering, and acquisition related to generators and/or other eligible activities.
- 4. That the City Council directs and designates the Mayor and City Secretary as the City's Chief Executive Officers and Authorized Representatives to act in all matters in connection with this application and the City's participation in the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.
- 5. That all funds will be used in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local and programmatic requirements including but not limited to procurement, environmental review, labor standards, real property acquisition, and civil rights requirements.
- 6. That it further be stated that the City is committing 25% of eligible project costs from its General Operating Fund as a cash contribution and/or in-kind services toward the engineering and construction activities of the selected project.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Ames, Texas, on this the 25th day of February 2025.

CITY OF AMES:

Barbara Domain, Mayor

ATTEST

Wellona Godfrey, City Secretary