

**RESOLUTION NO. 2022-079**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF GALVESTON, TEXAS AND THE CITY OF TEXAS CITY, TEXAS, FOR MUTUAL AID; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE FROM AND AFTER ITS PASSAGE AND ADOPTION.**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of Texas City, Texas, wishes to formalize a FY22/23 Mutual Aid Agreement between the County of Galveston and the City of Texas City, for mutual aid; and

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 352 of the Local Government Code, “County Fire Department” and Chapter 791 of the Government Code, “Interlocal Cooperation Act,” provides authority that the Commissioners’ Court may contract the governing body of a municipality to provide protection services to locations outside the municipalities; and

**WHEREAS**, citizens residing within the unincorporated areas of the County of Galveston, surrounding City of Texas City, city limits are in need of obtaining the services of the City of Texas City to assist them in time of need; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Texas City is willing to make its fire protection services available to unincorporated areas of the County of Galveston.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF TEXAS CITY, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1:** That the City Commission of the City of Texas City, Texas hereby approves the FY23/23 Mutual Aid Agreement between the County of Galveston and the City of Texas City, and the Mayor is authorized to execute the FY22/23 Mutual Aid Agreement, in the same or similar format attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and made a part hereof.

**SECTION 2:** That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of September 2022.**

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Dedrick D. Johnson, Sr., Mayor  
City of Texas City, Texas

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Rhomari D. Leigh  
City Secretary

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Kyle L. Dickson  
City Attorney