

RESOLUTION 2009-09-02

WHEREAS, certain areas of the City of Weston, are subject to periodic flooding, causing serious damages to properties within these areas; and

WHEREAS, under the National Flood Insurance act of 1968, as amended, residents of the City of Weston can purchase Federally subsidized flood insurance if the County qualifies for, and participates in the National Flood Insurance Program; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of this Council to qualify for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program and to require the recognition and evaluation of flood hazards for all Proposed developments within the identified floodplains of the City of Weston, Collin County; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Weston has the legal authority to adopt and enforce floodplain management criteria to reduce future flood losses pursuant to Subchapter I, Section 16.315 of the Texas Water Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Council hereby:

1. Assures the Federal Emergency Management Agency that it will enact as necessary, and maintain in force, in those areas having flood hazards, adequate floodplain management standards with effective enforcement provisions consistent with the minimum criteria set forth in Section 60.3 of the National Flood Insurance Program Regulations; and
2. Vests the City Council with the responsibility, authority and means to:
 - (a) Assist the Administrator, at his/her request, in the delineation of the limits of the area having special flood hazards.
 - (b) Provide such information as the Administrator may request concerning present uses and occupancy of the floodplain.
 - (c) Cooperate with Federal, State and local agencies and private firms which undertake to study, survey, map and identify floodplain areas, and cooperate with neighboring political subdivisions with respect to management of adjoining floodplain, areas in order to prevent aggravation of existing hazards.
 - (d) Submit on as requested by. The Administrator, a biennial report to the Administrator on the progress made during the past year within the City in the development and implementation of floodplain management measures.

- (e) Upon occurrence, notify the Administrator in writing whenever a community incorporates and the City no longer has authority to enforce floodplain management measures within the newly established corporate limits. If possible, include within such notification a copy of the City's flood hazard boundary map clearly delineating the new corporate limits and provide a mailing address for the newly incorporated city.

3. Appoints City Administrators to maintain for public inspection and to furnish upon request, any certificates of flood-proofing, and information on the elevation (in relation to mean sea level) of the level of the lowest habitable floor of all new and substantially improved structures located within the identified floodplain of the City of Weston. The information should include whether or not such structures contain a basement, the elevation of the basement, and if the structure has been flood-proofed, the elevation to which the structure was flood-proofed.

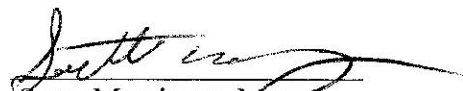
NOW, THEREFORE, on this 15th day of September, 2009, in a meeting of the City Council of Of the City of Weston, Texas, duly convened and acting in its capacity as governing body of the City of Weston, the following members being present:

Scott Morrissey, Mayor
Jerry Randall, City Councilman
Pat Louthan, City Councilman
Tony McDaniel, City Councilman
Danny States, City Councilman

On motion of Councilman Jerry Randall, seconded by Councilman Danny States, duly put and carried, this Resolution is hereby adopted.

The vote of the City Council on this matter was as follows:

Voting AYE: 4
Voting NAY: 0


Scott Morrissey, Mayor

Attest:



