## **DECLARATION OF DISASTER**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Simonton, Fort Bend County, Texas on or about the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2024 has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from Tropical Storm/Hurricane Beryl, and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor of the City of Simonton, Fort Bend County, Texas has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property; now, therefore,

## BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SIMONTON, TEXAS

That a local state of disaster is hereby declared in the City of Simonton, Fort Bend County, Texas pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

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 Simonton, Fort Bend County, Texas.

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.

Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the City of Simonton, Fort Bend County, Texas emergency management plan.

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

ORDERED this the 9th day of July 2024

CITY OF SIMONTON, TEXAS

Laurie Boudreaux, Mayor

ATTEST:

Janie Willman,

**Interim City Secretary**