

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE, TEXAS RECOGNIZING THE VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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WHEREAS, the Cities of Bunker Hill Village, Hedwig Village, Hilshire Village, Hunters Creek Village, Piney Point Village, and Spring Valley Village entered into an interlocal agreement on December 20, 1978 to establish a common municipal fire department to provide fire prevention, protection, suppression, investigation, and emergency ambulance service for the property and inhabitants of each city; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hedwig Village recognizes, appreciates, and honors the service of the men and women of the Village Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the noble profession of firefighting and EMS services demands that they willingly put their lives on the line to help those in need,

WHEREAS, with the heroic efforts of these Village Fire Department Firefighters, the City of Hedwig Village acknowledges that fighting fires is a hazardous profession which requires physical strength, stamina, extensive training, courage, and selfless concern for the welfare of our citizens and their fellow firefighters; and

WHEREAS, for the physically and technically demanding jobs they tirelessly perform so we can live our lives, these employees are deserving of our unending gratitude and profound respect; and

WHEREAS, the department's employees deserve proper leadership, training, equipment and tools to do their jobs, along with competitive compensation, also recognizing that the taxpayers of the city demand and deserve proper accountability and fiscal prudence;

NOW THEREFORE, be it proclaimed by the Mayor, City Council and Citizens of the City of Hedwig Village, Texas, that the City does hereby recognize and support the Village Fire Department employees for their duty and dedication to the safety of our citizens; we hereby express our gratitude for their service and reaffirm our commitment to ensuring that they be properly managed, trained, equipped, and compensated.

/s/

Tom Jinks, Mayor

Attest:

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Lisa Modisette, City Secretary