BURN BAN DECLARATION FOR THE CITY OF HUDSON

DECLARATION OF DISASTER AND ORDER PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING FOR THE CITY OF HUDSON, ANGELINA COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson, along with the County, has been threatened by the high or extreme wildland fire hazard and wishes to join with Angelina County in the Burn Ban issued by acting County Judge Keith Wright. This threat is caused by the abundant fuel and the extremely dry conditions currently across the County and the City of Hudson;

WHEREAS, extreme measures must be taken to protect the people and property;

NOW THEREFORE, WITH THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE MAYOR BY THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, I DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH DISASTER AND DIRECT ALL NECESSARY MEASURES BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BE IMPLEMENTED TO MEET THIS DISASTER:

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby proclaimed for the City of Hudson pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code.
2. This Declaration shall continue for Ninety (90) days unless extended by the City Council of the City of Hudson.
3. This Declaration has been filed with the City Secretary of the City of Hudson.
4. This Declaration activates the City of Hudson Emergency Plan.
5. The purpose of the order is to mitigate the hazard posed by wildfires by enforcement action.

BE IT THEREFORE ORDERED, that the following measures are hereby established in the incorporated areas of the City of Hudson, Angelina County, Texas for the duration of the Declaration;

(1) All outdoor burning of any combustible material is prohibited. A person is in violation of these orders if he burns or orders such burning by others.

(2) At the discretion of the Hudson Code Officials, any duly commissioned peace officer, and/or the City Fire Marshal, if a warning is sufficient to obtain the goal of this order it must be in writing.

(3) At the discretion of the Hudson Code Officials, any duly commissioned peace officer, and/or the City Fire Marshal, violations of the order may be cited by citations.

BE IT ALSO ORDERED that this order may be enforced by any Hudson Code Official, any duly-commissioned peace officer and/or the City of Hudson Fire Marshal. This Declaration and Order is in effect immediately from and after its issuance and continues for a period of seven (7) days unless extended by the City Council of the City of Hudson.

DECLARED AND ORDERED THIS THE 22ND DAY OF OCTOBER, 2026.

Caleb Ramsey, Mayor
City of Hudson

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY SECRETARY IN THE CITY OF HUDSON THIS 22ND DAY OF OCTOBER 2026

Gerald Williamson	**Joe Burton**	**Candy Cox**
Interim City Administrator	**Fire Marshal**	**City Secretary**

Attested

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