## ORDINANCE NO. 03-2022

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 25-2021, WHICH ADOPTED THE OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022, BY APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF THIRTY TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$32,500.00) FROM THE WATER AND SEWER UNRESTRICTED FUND BALANCE TO THE WATER AND SEWER OPERATING FUND FOR CONSULTING FEES; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE SAID ADJUSTMENTS; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council approved the 2021-2022 Operating Budget by Ordinance 25-2021 on September 13, 2021 appropriating the necessary funds out of the general revenues, grants and other revenues for the maintenance and operation of various funds, departments, activities and improvements of the City; and

WHEREAS, as a part of that Operating Budget, the City Council approved \$3,500.00 for Consulting Fees under the Water and Sewer Operating Fund; and

WHEREAS, the City administration has recommended that the City Council approve an expenditure of an additional \$32,500 for Consulting Fees for the purpose of conducting a Water and Wastewater Rate Study; and

WHEREAS, Texas Local Government Code § 102.010, "Changes in Budget for Municipal Purposes", allows a municipality to amend its budget as deemed necessary for municipal purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager is requesting authorization and approval of a proposed amendment to the Operating Budget to transfer the \$32,500 for Consulting Fees from the Water and Sewer Unrestricted Fund balance to the Water and Sewer Operating Fund; and

**WHEREAS,** upon full consideration of the matter, Council finds it in the best interest of the City of Seagoville to make such amendment to the budget adopted by Ordinance 25-2021;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS:

**SECTION 1.** That Ordinance 25-2021, adopted September 13, 2021 and approving the Operating Budget of the City for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September

30, 2022 be amended by transferring \$32,500 for Consulting Fees from the Water and Sewer Unrestricted Fund balance to the Water and Sewer Operating Fund.

**SECTION 2.** That all provisions of the ordinance of the City of Seagoville in conflict with provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed, and all other provisions of the ordinances of the City of Seagoville not in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 3.** That should any sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, or section of this ordinance be adjudged or held to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, the same should not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal, or unconstitutional.

DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Seagoville, Texas, on 7th day of February, 2022.

APPROVED:

DENNIS K. CHILDRESS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED TO FORM:

VICTORIA W. THOMAS, CITY ATTORNEY

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