

# ***CITY OF WILLOW PARK***

ORDINANCE NO. 879-23

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF A MUNICIPAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2023 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2024; PROVIDING THAT EXPENDITURES FOR SAID FISCAL YEAR SHALL BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SAID BUDGET; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Willow Park, Texas ("City"), is a municipal corporation duly and legally formed in the State of Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is a general law municipality with specific powers delegated to it to protect the health, safety, and general welfare of its citizens; and,

**WHEREAS**, an annual municipal Budget for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2023, and ending September 30, 2024 ("Budget") was drafted and prepared by the Budget Officer of the City of Willow Park, Texas, in accordance with §§102.002 and 102.003 TEX. LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE; and

**WHEREAS**, the Budget Officer for the City of Willow Park filed the proposed budget in the Office of the City Secretary on July 7, 2022, and the proposed Budget was made available for public inspection by any person pursuant to §102.005 TEX. LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE; and

**WHEREAS**, the annual Budget referenced herein is the combination of component budgets for municipal waterworks, wastewater operations, drainage fund, and the municipal general fund; and

**WHEREAS**, a public hearing was held on the Budget pursuant to §102.0065, TEX. LOCAL GOV'T CODE, with notice given as required by law prior to the consideration and adoption of the Budget herein; and

**WHEREAS**, after full and final consideration, it is the consensus of the Willow Park City Council that the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year Budget, as hereinafter set forth, should be approved, and adopted.

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS:**

SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION

The Mayor, appropriate City Official or Mayor's designee, is hereby authorized and directed to implement the applicable provisions of this Ordinance.

## SECTION 2. APPROVAL AND ADOPTION

The annual Budget for the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof) is hereby approved and adopted.

## SECTION 3. EXPENDITURES

Expenditures during the Fiscal Year shall be made in accordance with this Budget, unless otherwise authorized by the City Council, and said Budget document shall be on file for public inspection in the Office of the City Secretary.

## SECTION 4. CUMULATIVE CLAUSE

This Ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances of the City of Willow Park, Texas, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed.

## SECTION 5. RECITALS

The City Council hereby finds and declares all precatory language herein to be true and correct and approves and adopts the same herein as part of this Ordinance.

## SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY

If for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, it shall not affect any valid provisions of this or any other Ordinance of the City of Willow Park to which these rules and regulations relate.

## SECTION 7. FILING

Subsequent to the adoption of the Budget, a copy of the approved Budget shall be filed with the City Secretary and posted on the Municipal website pursuant to § 102.008, TEX. LOCAL GOV'T CODE.

## SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall be effective on or after its adoption by action of the City Council.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2023.

**APPROVED:**

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Doyle Moss, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Crystal Dozier

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Pat Chesser, City Attorney

The Willow Park City Council is acting on Ordinance No.879-23, did on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2023 vote as follows:

	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Doyle Moss	_____	_____	_____
Eric Contreras, Place 1	_____	_____	_____
Chawn Gilliland, Place 2	_____	_____	_____
Greg Runnebaum, Place 3	_____	_____	_____
Lea Young, Place 4	_____	_____	_____
Nathan Crummell, Place 5	_____	_____	_____