



CITY OF FRIENDSWOOD  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

## **Suspension of the Applicability of the Public Information Act**

The City of Friendswood (the "City") is submitting this notice of temporary suspension of the requirements of the Texas Public Information Act (the "Act") pursuant to Section 552.2325(b) of the Government Code for a period of seven (7) calendar days, beginning on January 21, 2025, and ending on January 28, 2025, unless earlier revoked or extended.

The City is currently significantly impacted by a catastrophe that causes the City's inability to comply with the requirements of the Act. Such incapacity is due to severe winter weather, including prolonged freezing temperatures, sleet, snow, power failures and/or interruption of communication facilities, which weather poses a threat of imminent disaster to persons and property throughout the City. Such threat has caused the Mayor of the City on January 20, 2025 to issue a Local State of Disaster.

At this time, the physical offices of the City are closed; regular operations of the City are suspended; and City staff (i) will be working emergency operations only, (ii) is neither available nor required to work remotely, and (iii) will not have access to the information responsive to an application for information electronically.

ORDERED this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2025.

  
MIKE FOREMAN, Mayor

