

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-10-10-U**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANGER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR CITY MANAGER/ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH EASTLAND COUNTY FOR THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION, AND WITH SELECTION, THE DEVELOPMENT AND COMPLETION OF A COMMUNITY WILDFIRE PROTECTION PLAN (CWPP) THROUGH THE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE (USFS) UNDER THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) COMMUNITY WILDFIRE DEFENSE PROGRAM (CWDG).**

**WHEREAS**, the Community Wildfire Defense Program, or CWDG, is intended to help at-risk local communities; plan for and reduce the risk of wildfire; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ranger desires to participate in the development of a Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP) with Eastland County; and

**WHEREAS**, Eastland County can apply for funding from the United States Forest Service Forest for a grant to create the Community Wildfire Protection Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, Eastland County and/or the City(ies) within the County are considered to be disadvantaged by the United State Forest Service and thus may request a waiver to any match to the grant; and

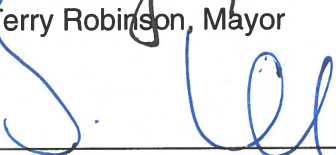
**WHEREAS**, the City of Ranger wishes to enter into an Interlocal Agreement with Eastland County to facilitate the successful development of the Community Wildfire Protection Plan;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF RANGER, TEXAS:**

1. That the Mayor and/or City Manager/Administrator is hereby authorized to enter into an Interlocal Agreement with Eastland County.
2. That the Interlocal Agreement attached to this Resolution is hereby approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023.

  
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Terry Robinson, Mayor

  
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Somer Lee, City Secretary