

TAB 1

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-22

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA, DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY AND THAT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PRACTICES AND APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THE CITY OF PALMETTO EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PLAN SHALL BE INSTITUTED; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, there is currently pending landfall of a tropical storm known as Tropical Storm Isaac; and

WHEREAS, it is expected that Tropical Storm Isaac will develop into a Hurricane in the coming days.

WHEREAS, on August 25, 2012, Governor Scott has declared a state of emergency for the state of Florida with Tropical Storm Isaac expected to be in the Gulf of Mexico west of the Florida Keys with a threat to develop into a hurricane off the west coast of Florida.

WHEREAS; the City of Palmetto is within the possible landfall zone.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA.

Section 1 Resolution No. 05-52 adopted by the City Commission of the City of Palmetto with a quorum present and voting September 19, 2005, authorizes the Mayor, or in her absence the Vice Mayor, to declare a local state of emergency in the event an emergency arises.

Section 2 The emergency management practices of the City of Palmetto are hereby declared to be in effect until the threat and effect of such emergency has passed.

Section 3 The nature of the state of emergency is the possible landfall of a tropical storm known as Tropical Storm Isaac, which potentially will have a significant impact on the City of Palmetto and the adjacent communities.

Section 4 The City of Palmetto's Mayor, Vice Mayor, Public Works Director, City Clerk, Fire Chief, Police Chief and any other City officials, including all Public Safety officials, are authorized to take whatever steps are necessary to carry out the emergency management practices of the City of Palmetto, County of Manatee, State of Florida. This includes the payment of overtime to salaried employees who are required to work in excess of 40 hours in a work week during a state of emergency when a declaration of emergency is issued by the City Commission, Mayor or Vice Mayor. The payment of overtime to salaried employees will only be paid for work performed that is a necessary emergency measure to protect life, property, insure effective operation of the City and other such work arising out of the state of emergency including necessary post incident activities.

Section 5 This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED, in special session, by the City Commission of the City of Palmetto, with a quorum present and voting, this 26th day of August, 2012.

CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA
BY AND THROUGH THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF
PALMETTO

By: _____
SHIRLEY GROOVER BRYANT, MAYOR

ATTEST: JAMES R. FREEMAN

By: _____
City Clerk