RESOLUTION NO. ___25-2002

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ABILENE AUTHORIZING THE REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTIES IN THE CITY OF ABILENE THAT WERE DAMAGED IN THE JULY 6, 2002 FLOOD FOR THE TAX YEAR 2002

WHEREAS, a major flood event took place in the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on July 6, 2002; and,

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Texas has declared Taylor County a disaster area due to that flood event; and

WHEREAS, state law authorizes tax relief to flood victims by allowing their properties to be reappraised for the 2002 tax year if approved by the City Council; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the City Council of the City of Abilene does hereby authorize the Central Appraisal District of Taylor County to reappraise all property damaged in the July 6, 2002 flood to determine its fair market value immediately after the disaster if requested by the taxpayer.

PART 2: That once reappraised, any adjustment in taxes for the year 2002 will be given as allowed by state law.

PART 3: That the Central Appraisal District shall supply the City of Abilene with the new valuations when the process is completed. This reappraisal shall only apply for the year 2002.

PASSED this 22nd day of August, A.D. 2002.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

CITY ATTORNEY