

**NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT and  
NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS**

9/22/25

**City of Tomball, 401 Market Street, Tomball, TX 77375-4671  
(281) 351-5484**

These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Tomball.

**REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS**

On or about 10/8/25, the City of Tomball (City) will submit a request to the Texas General Land Office for the release of 2016 Flood Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Reallocation Program (DRRP) funding appropriated under the Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2018 (Pub. L. 115-123), as amended, to undertake a project known as M118 Channel Improvements under GLO Contract #25-141-001-F190 to create adequate flow and detention for Lizzie Lane and Blackshear Street, which are both prone to flooding during weather events.

**Project Location:** M118 Basin Upper Section, from Lizzie Lane 337 feet southward to easement, continuing eastward to S. Persimmon Street. (30.09197, -95.60277), 1,680 Linear Feet, Tomball, Harris County, TX

**Description of the Proposed Project:** Subrecipient shall widen and deepen the existing drainage channel, reconstruct the outfall connection to the storm sewer system, construct lateral channel to existing drainage channel, and complete associated appurtenances

**Funding Information:**

Rehabilitation/Reconstruction of a Public Improvement: Grant Award \$1,350,000.00

City of Tomball General Fund (non-HUD): \$150,000.00

Total HUD and non-HUD Funding: \$1,500,000.00

**FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT**

The City has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment; therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR). The ERR will be made available to the public for review either electronically or by U.S. mail. Please submit your request by U.S. mail to the City at the address above, or by email to [mimageo@tomballtx.gov](mailto:mimageo@tomballtx.gov).

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the City. All comments received by 10/7/25 will be considered by the City prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments shall be addressed to the City at [mimageo@tomballtx.gov](mailto:mimageo@tomballtx.gov) or by U.S. Postal Mail at City of Tomball, 401 Market Street, Tomball, TX 77375-4671, (281) 351-5484, Attn: City Manager's Office. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing. Potential objectors should contact the City via email to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION**

The City certifies to the Texas General Land Office that David Esquivel, in his capacity as City Manager, consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The Texas General Land Office's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City to use Program funds.

### **OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS**

The Texas General Land Office will accept objections to its release of funds and the City of Tomball's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request, (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City; (b) the City has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the Texas General Land Office; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to Heather Lagrone, Texas General Land Office, Community Development and Revitalization, PO Box 12873 Austin, Texas 78711-2873, or [env.reviews@recovery.texas.gov](mailto:env.reviews@recovery.texas.gov). Potential objectors should contact the GLO at (512) 475-5000 to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

David Esquivel, City Manager