

RESOLUTION NO. 25-282

**A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CREATION OF A NEW PROJECT TITLED
“RECLAMATION PLANT & ADVANCED PURIFICATION FACILITIES PLAN” AND
TO DECLARE INITIAL PLANNING FUNDS IN BUDGET AMENDMENT #2**

WHEREAS, the City of Spring Hill is operating under the requirements of the TDEC Consent Order and Assessment WPC25-0093, which identifies effluent exceedances, sanitary sewer overflows, bypass events, and other compliance deficiencies at the City’s Water Reclamation Facility; and

WHEREAS, the Consent Order requires the City to conduct detailed evaluations and implement corrective actions and system improvements to achieve compliance with effluent limitations and operational standards; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen recognizes the need to undertake a comprehensive evaluation of the City’s reclamation treatment processes and pursue advanced purification strategies to support future capacity, long-term reliability, and regulatory compliance; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen directs staff to create a new project titled “Reclamation Plant & Advanced Purification Facilities Plan” and to begin planning and technical work; and

WHEREAS, the initial planning estimate for this initiative is \$750,000, and such funds shall be declared in Budget Amendment #2.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Spring Hill Board of Mayor and Aldermen that staff is authorized to create a new project entitled “Reclamation Plant & Advanced Purification Facilities Plan”, initiate planning and engineering work, and that \$750,000 in planning funds shall be included in Budget Amendment #2.

Passed and adopted the 1st day of December, 2025.


Matt Fitterer, Mayor

ATTEST:


April Goad, City Recorder

LEGAL FORM APPROVED:


Patrick Carter, City Attorney

STAFF MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Mayor and Aldermen
FROM: Dan Allen, ACA, GM Water; Ryan LaMunyon, AGM - Reclamation
DATE: 11/25/2025
SUBJECT: Resolution 25-282 Creation of New Project “Reclamation Plant & Advanced Purification Facilities Plan” and Initial Funding Allocation.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of Resolution 25-282, establishing a new project titled “Reclamation Plant & Advanced Purification Facilities Plan” and allocating \$750,000 in planning funds to be included in Budget Amendment #2.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Spring Hill continues to work under the requirements of the TDEC Consent Order and Assessment WPC25-0093 which documents multiple effluent limitation exceedances, sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs), bypasses, and process-related issues at the Water Reclamation Facility.

To meet the Consent Order requirements and plan for long-term system reliability and capacity expansion, the City must undertake a comprehensive evaluation of the Reclamation Plant and assess the feasibility of implementing advanced purification technologies. These may include improvements to nutrient removal, solids handling, influent management, reclaimed water quality, and future regulatory readiness.

The Reclamation Plant & Advanced Purification Facilities Plan will initiate this work, enabling the City to evaluate treatment performance, identify process deficiencies, develop corrective action strategies, and establish long-term infrastructure needs.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen has acknowledged the need for this initiative and directed staff to create a project number and begin planning activities.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

An initial planning estimate of \$750,000 will be requested in Budget Amendment #2. Funding for this project will decrease Spring Hill Water fund balance by \$750,000.

