



# CITY OF ARANSAS PASS

## AGENDA MEMORANDUM

City Council Meeting of April 16, 2018

Date: April 16, 2018

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Gary Edwards, City Manager

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Title: Consider and Act On a Proposal to Apply for Hazard Mitigation Grants

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**PURPOSE:** To authorize the City Manager to apply for various Hazard Mitigation Grants through the State of Texas

**BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:** The City of Aransas Pass recently submitted Notice of Intents (NOI's) for five Hazard Mitigation grants: 29 generators; three stormwater pumps; a permanent Emergency Operations Center (EOC), a second elevated water tower; and a citywide stormwater drainage study. So far, the State has reported to the City that the generators, the pumps and the citywide drainage study qualify and we should submit an official application. The state still is reviewing the permanent EOC request due to its complexity. It is not anticipated that the 2<sup>nd</sup> water tower will qualify.

**CONFORMITY TO CITY POLICY:** Yes it conforms. It is city policy to request City Council approval to apply for a grant.

**EMERGENCY/NON-EMERGENCY:** Non-emergency

**DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:** Yes

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

There will be a 10% match if approved. It is anticipated that the match can be received through CDBG

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends approval