

**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-55**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS SUPPORTING  
THE APPROVAL OF A CONTRACT AND  
AGREEMENT WITH CORYELL COUNTY FOR ON-  
SITE SEWAGE FACILITIES**

- WHEREAS**, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has established Rules for on-site sewage facilities to provide the citizens of this State with adequate public health protection and a minimum of environmental pollution; and
- WHEREAS**, the Legislature has enacted legislation, codified as Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), Chapter 366, which authorizes a local government to regulate the use of on-site sewage facilities in its jurisdiction in order to abate or prevent pollution or injury to public health arising out of the use of on-site sewage facilities; and
- WHEREAS**, Dry conditions that began in some parts of the Brazos River Basin in early 2011 are continuing throughout the Brazos River Basin; and
- WHEREAS**, the City of Copperas Cove agrees to contract with Coryell County to ensure the rules and regulations of Chapter 366 of the Texas Health & Safety Code are followed; and
- WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Coryell County, Texas and the City of Copperas Cove finds that the use of on-site sewage facilities in Coryell County, Texas is causing or may cause pollution, and is injuring or may injure the public health; and
- WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Coryell County, Texas has considered the matter and deems it appropriate to enact an Order adopting Rules regulating on-site sewage facilities to abate or prevent pollution, or injury to public health in Coryell County, Texas; and
- WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Coryell County, Texas desires to contract the on-site sewage facilities inspections to a designated individual; and
- WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Coryell County, Texas and the City of Copperas Cove find it in the best interest of the City and County to execute an agreement for on-site sewage

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS:**

**Section 1.**

That the use of on-site sewage facilities in the City of Copperas Cove, Coryell County, Texas is causing or may cause pollution or is injuring or may injure the public health;

**Section 2.**

That the Contract and Agreement for Provision of Sanitation Services with the County of Coryell is approved and the City Manager is authorized and directed to execute said contract on behalf of the City.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 2015 at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Copperas Cove, Texas which meeting was held in compliance with the Open Meetings Act, *Tex. Gov't Code*, §551.001, et.seq. at which meeting a quorum was present and voting.

  
Frank Seffrood, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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Mariela Altott, City Secretary



**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
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Denton, Navarro, Rocha  
Bernal, Hyde & Zech P.C., City Attorney