



# CITY OF CLAY, ALABAMA ORDINANCE 2013-13

## A DISASTER RECOVERY ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the City of Clay is vulnerable to various natural hazards such as earthquakes, flooding, wildfires, and wind, resulting in major disasters causing substantial loss of life and property; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Clay is authorized under Section 31-9-10 of the Code of Alabama, as amended, to declare a state of local emergency and take actions necessary to ensure the public safety and well-being of its residents, visitors, business community, and property during and after such major disasters; and,

WHEREAS, it is essential to the well-being of the City of Clay to expedite recovery and reconstruction, mitigate hazardous conditions, and improve the community after such major disasters; and,

WHEREAS, recovery can be expedited by pre-event adoption of an ordinance authorizing certain extraordinary governmental actions be taken during the declared local emergency.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF CLAY, ALABAMA that in the case of a local disaster, the Mayor shall be designated the Public Information Officer.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that in the case of a local disaster, the City Manager shall be designated the Emergency Operations Manager.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that in the case of a local disaster, the Mayor and/or City Manager may spend up to \$50,000.00 for emergency equipment, supplies, or personnel without a vote of the Council.

ADOPTED THIS THE 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of June 2013.

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Charles K. Webster  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Ronnie Dixon  
City Manager



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### CERTIFICATION:

I, the undersigned City Manager of the City of Clay, Alabama, hereby Certify that the above and foregoing copy of (1) **Ordinance** is a true and correct copy of such Ordinance that was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Clay, Alabama, on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of June 2013, as same appears in the official records of said City.

Posted at City Hall, Chalkville Regions Bank, Seniors Centers, and the United States Post Office all being in the City of Clay this the 4<sup>th</sup> Day of June, 2013.

Ronnie Dixon  
City Manager