## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, it has been determined that Hurricane Debby is anticipated to impact South Carolina this week, with heavy rainfall resulting in life-threatening flash, urban, river flooding, strong winds and storm surge, and therefore, threatens to disrupt the normal activities of the community within the corporate limits of the City of Isle of Palms, South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, accordingly, a state of emergency does in fact, exist.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Phillip Pounds, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Isle of Palms, do proclaim a state of emergency and invoke the provisions of Section 1-2-5 of the Code of Ordinances, the City of Isle of Palms, South Carolina.

AND, FURTHERMORE, that any emergency ordinance adopted or enacted by Charleston County Council pursuant to that Council's Declaration of Emergency related to Hurricane Debby shall be applicable to and enforceable within the corporate limits of the City of Isle of Palms. All law enforcement officers of the County or State are authorized to enforce any such emergency ordinances within the City's corporate limits.

Given under my signature and seal of the City of Isle of Palms this 5th day of August, 2024.

Phillip Pounds