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CITY OF LUCAS ANNOUNCES UPDATED ISO RATING

By Ted Stephens, Lucas Fire Chief August 19, 2022

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Fire protection in the city of Lucas in Collin County, Texas is about to receive the highest Public Protection Classification (PPC) rating awarded by the Insurance Services Office (ISO) and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Lucas joins approximately 76 other communities in Texas with a Class 1 rating.

The Texas Department of Insurance believes Lucas should be commended. Ultimately, this recognition of Lucas' outstanding fire department means better fire protection and lower property insurance rates for homeowners and business in the city of Lucas.

Prior to today's announcement, Lucas' PPC rating has improved from a Class 2. Full-time firefighter/paramedics have been added. Fire hydrant and water distribution has also been greatly improved. Wylie Public Safety Communications dispatches for the city of Lucas and allows the city to claim automatic aid with Wylie, Fairview, and Parker Fire Departments. All of which added to Lucas' PPC rating.

The State Fire Marshal's Office oversees the development of PPC ratings in Texas and has approved the recommendation from the Insurance Services Office of a Class 1/1X rating with an effective date of October 1, 2022

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