



# State Fire Marshal's Office

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Chief Mike Carsner  
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Dear Chief Mike Carsner:

The Insurance Services Office (ISO) recently surveyed your community and submitted a recommendation about your Public Protection Classification (PPC).

## **Highlands VFD FPSA**

Current classification: *04*

Updated classification: **02**

On April 29, 2026, the State Fire Marshal's Office (SFMO) approves the updated classification that is recommended by ISO.

The SFMO will notify ISO of our approval of their recommendation. The ISO will publish your updated classification on September 1, 2026.

For more information on PPC, visit [www.tdi.texas.gov/fire/fmppc.html](http://www.tdi.texas.gov/fire/fmppc.html).

Please let us know if you have any questions or need more information. You can reach the PPC Oversight Officer, at 512-676-6784 or by email at [PPCOversight@tdi.texas.gov](mailto:PPCOversight@tdi.texas.gov).

Sincerely,

Debra Knight  
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