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TO: Each Member  
Commissioner' Court

FROM: Gilbert Jalomo

RE: Purchase of Electric Power

DATE: February 26, 2014

Since deregulation of electric power in 2002 Fort Bend County has participated in the HGAC Energy Purchasing Corporation. We now find ourselves with another venue to explore the US Communities Government Purchasing Alliance. Both HGAC and US Communities provide real time, competitive head to head procurement process to select Retail Electricity Providers (REP). We wish to keep our relationship with HGAC while adding US Communities to the mix in order to involve additional REP's in the bidding process.

My request is for Commissioner's Court to grant the Director of Facilities Management and Planning and Purchasing Agent the authority to act in behalf of the County to review US Communities approved pricing offers from Retail Electric Providers authorized to submit bids through the US Communities Government Purchasing Alliance and execute a favorable contract for the supply of electricity.

I've attached the 2005 resolution authorizing Signature Authority for the HGAC program and a new resolution for US Communities.

Resolution Authorizing Signature Authority  
to Execute and Contract Electricity through the  
US Communities Government Purchasing Alliance

The governing body of Fort Bend County grants authorization to Gilbert Jalomo and Don Brady or another designated leader to act in behalf of this entity to review US Communities approved pricing offers from Retail Electric Providers authorized to submit bids through the US Communities program and execute a favorable contract for the supply of electricity.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that Gilbert Jalomo the County Purchasing Agent of Fort Bend County has the authority to sign on behalf of the County and legally bind the County to contracts with a Retail Electric Provider authorized to submit bids through the US Communities Governmental Purchasing Alliance.

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Robert Hebert  
County Judge, Fort Bend County Texas

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Date

Attest: 

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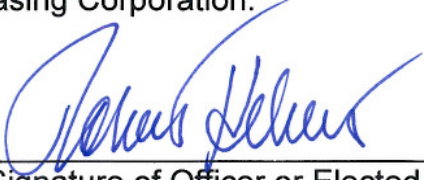
Dianne Wilson,  
County Clerk Fort Bend County Texas

**Resolution Authorizing Signatory Authority  
To Execute a Contract through the  
H-GAC Energy Purchasing Corporation**

The governing body of Fort Bend County grants authorization to Gilbert Jalomo and Don Brady or another designated leader to act in behalf of this entity to review H-GAC approved pricing offers from a Retail Electric Provider authorized to submit bids through the HGAC Energy Purchasing Corporation and execute a favorable contract for the supply of electricity.

To Whom It May Concern:


This is to certify that Gilbert Jalomo, the County Purchasing Agent of Fort Bend County (the "Governmental Entity"), has the authority to sign on behalf of the Governmental Entity and legally bind the Governmental Entity to contracts with a Retail Electric Provider authorized to submit bids through the HGAC Energy Purchasing Corporation as part of the H-GAC Energy Purchasing Corporation.

  
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Signature of Officer or Elected Official

Robert Hebert  
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Printed Name

County Judge  
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Printed Title

October 11, 2005  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

ATTEST:   
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Dianne Wilson, Ph.D.  
County Clerk

