THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FORT BEND

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE EXPANSION OF TEXAS STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE (TSTC) IN FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

WHEREAS, Fort Bend County serves the residents of the County, Texas and endeavors to support and encourage people to lead more productive and satisfying lives; and

WHEREAS, there is a strong regional demand for a technically-trained workforce in Fort Bend County and employers need students with technical experience and hands-on training as an alternative to on-the-job training; and

WHEREAS, the timing is right for a comprehensive Texas State Technical College (TSTC) campus in Fort Bend County and TSTC has demonstrated exemplary ability and commitment to handle the required education and training.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE FORT BEND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AT A MEETING ON THE 26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2014, AT RICHMOND, TEXAS, EXPRESSES STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE EXPANSION OF TSTC IN FORT BEND COUNTY; AND

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED, that Fort Bend County will provide legislative support, financial commitment at a level to be later determined by Fort Bend County, and other support necessary to acquire land and grow additional financial support for the expansion of TSTC in Fort Bend County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this action shall be entered into the permanent records and that this resolution shall serve as evidence that Fort Bend County hereby expresses intent to align its purpose with the needs of its current and future employers and workforce to enhance their competitive advantage by utilizing the training and education provided by TSTC for the betterment of Fort Bend County.

Robert E. Hebert, County Judge

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Dianne Wilson, County Clerk

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