

THE STATE OF TEXAS §  
COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF  
DETACHMENT AUTHORITY FOR RESIDENTS RESIDING IN EXTRA-TERRITORIAL  
JURISDICTIONS**

**WHEREAS**, constituents residing in the Extra-Territorial Jurisdictions (ETJ) of a municipality in Fort Bend County are subject to various municipal ordinances and fees; and

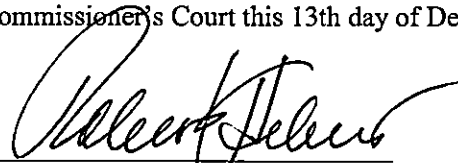
**WHEREAS**, constituents in Houston's ETJ have expressed a desire for the authority to petition for detachment from Houston's ETJ in order to join a different municipality or create a new municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, Houston has informed residents in its ETJ in Fort Bend County that it has no plans to annex their area within any reasonable time frame; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, finds that this resolution serves a public purpose.

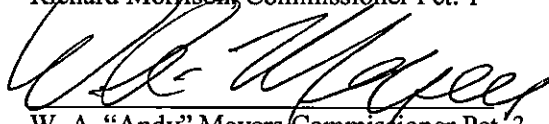
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT**, Fort Bend County supports legislation authorizing petitions for detachment from Houston's ETJs in Fort Bend County.

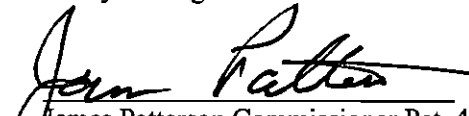
Adopted by the Fort Bend County Commissioners' Court this 13th day of December, 2016.

  
Robert E. Hebert, County Judge

  
Richard Morrison, Commissioner Pct. 1

  
Grady Prestage Commissioner Pct. 2

  
W. A. "Andy" Meyers Commissioner Pct. 3

  
James Patterson Commissioner Pct. 4

ATTEST:

  
Laura Richard, County Clerk

