

THE STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING HB 60 RELATING TO MINIMUM WAGE**

**WHEREAS**, The current minimum wage in Texas is \$7.25 and has not changed since February 2015. This and is not a livable wage and do not cover food, housing, transportation, and other basic necessities; and

**WHEREAS**, Living wage laws have small to moderate effects on budgets. A detailed survey found that the actual budgetary effect of living wage laws had been consistently overestimated; and

**WHEREAS**, A minimum wage of \$15 per hour or the federal minimum wage would help Fort Bend County residents and Texans survive financially.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS:**

THAT ON DECEMBER 15TH, THE **FORT BEND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT**, MEETING AS A BODY IN RICHMOND, TEXAS, ADOPTS THIS RESOLUTION AND URGES THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE TO INCREASE MINIMUM WAGE TO \$15 OR THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS.

**SIGNED THIS 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2020.**



County Judge KP George

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ATTEST:





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Laura Richard, County Clerk