THE STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

## RESOLUTION TO SPONSOR A PROJECT FOR A PUBLIC ROAD CONNECTION AT FM 359 SOUTHBOUND AT SORRENTO DRIVE ON BEHALF OF D. R. HORTON - TEXAS, LTD.

| D. R. HORTON - TEXAS, LTD.  |
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| On this day of, 2021, the Commissioners Court, sitting as the governing body of Fort Bend County, Texas, at a regular meeting, upon motion of Commissioner, seconded by Commissioner, duly put and carried;                                 |
| WHEREAS, the proposed sponsorship project includes the installation of a public road connection at FM 359 southbound at Sorrento Drive.   |
| WHEREAS, the funding for such sponsorship of the project is to be provided through sources other than Fort Bend County.   |
| <b>NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED</b> that Fort Bend County expresses its support and sponsorship of such project with the Texas Department of Transportation to cause such improvements to be made at FM 359 southbound at Sorrento Drive. |
| By: County Judge KP George, County Judge  KP George, County Judge   |
| ATTEST:  Aura Richard, County Clerk   |

## **COUNTY JUDGE**



Fort Bend County, Texas

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June 1, 2021

Ms. Eliza Paul, P.E.
District Engineer, Houston District
Texas Department of Transportation
7600 Washington Ave.
Houston, TX 77007-1044
Eliza.paul@txdot.gov

Re: Public Road Connection at FM 359 southbound at Sorrento Drive on behalf of D. R.

Horton - Texas, Ltd. - Sponsorship

Dear Ms. Paul:

Fort Bend County has received and reviewed a request (letter attached) from Jones and Carter Engineering, Inc. for Fort Bend County to sponsor a Texas Department of Transportation project on behalf of D. R. Horton - Texas, Ltd., for a public road connection at FM 359 Southbound at Sorrento Drive, at no cost to the County.

The request was approved by Fort Bend County Commissioners Court at their meeting dated 6/01/2021. We request that a permit for the public road connection be issued with Fort Bend County as sponsor for this project.

If there are any questions or need for additional information, please call Maggie Dalton in our Engineering Department at 281-633-7515.

Sincerely,

KP George

Fort Bend County Judge

Attachments: Resolution

Drawing

cc: Mr. Jared Williams, P.E., Jones and Carter jwilliams@jonescarter.com

Ms. Denese Laskowski, TxDOT denese.laskowski@txdot.gov



## Fort Bend County Engineering

J. Stacy Slawinski, P.E. County Engineer

May 21, 2021

Judge KP George Fort Bend County Judge 301 Jackson Street, Suite 719 Richmond, Texas 77406-0148

Re: Public Road Connection at FM 359 southbound at Sorrento Drive on behalf of D. R. Horton – Texas, Ltd. - Sponsorship

Honorable Judge George:

Fort Bend County Engineering Department has received and reviewed a request (letter attached) from Jones and Carter Engineering, for Fort Bend County to sponsor a project for a public road connection at FM 359 southbound at Sorrento Drive. The road connection will improve traffic flow along FM 359.

Any and all cost involved with the project will be borne by D. R. Horton - Texas, Ltd. There will be no cost to Fort Bend County.

The Texas Department of Transportation requests that an agency, such as Fort Bend County, act as a sponsor for the project. This means that the permit for the work will be issued in the name of Fort Bend County and the County accepts responsibility for the terms and conditions of the permit.

We recommend acceptance of the sponsorship and request that this item be placed on the 6/01/2021 Commissioners Court agenda. We have prepared a letter to Texas Department of Transportation for the County Judges' signature.

If there are any questions please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Maggie Dalton

Development Services Manager

Attachment: Scope of Work

cc: Ms. Bridgette Smith-Lawson FBC Attorney

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

File



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May 19, 2021

Honorable KP George Fort Bend County Judge 301 Jackson Street, Suite 719 Richmond, Texas 77469

Re: Request for Sponsorship Letter

Proposed Street Tie-in at Southbound FM 359 Sorrento Drive for Sorrento Development

Fort Bend County, Texas

Jones & Carter, Inc. Job No. 16768-0005-01

## Dear Judge George:

Jones | Carter is preparing the street tie-in permit application to submit to the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for the proposed street tie-in of Sorrento Drive at FM 359. At the tie-in, a stop sign is proposed for eastbound traffic during the initial construction phase and a traffic signal is proposed as the Development progresses. D.R. Horton — Texas, Ltd., the developer, will fund the cost of construction. There will be no expense to Fort Bend County. The attached construction plan drawings were prepared in accordance with TxDOT's street tie-in permit requirements.

As part of the permit application process, TxDOT is requiring a sponsorship letter from Fort Bend County. I am requesting Fort Bend County's sponsorship of this project and a sponsorship letter to include with the TxDOT permit application package.

Please contact me if you need further information or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jared S. Williams, P.E. Project Engineer

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