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COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

DESIGNATION OF VEHICLES EXEMPT FROM INSCRIPTION REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 721.004 OF THE TEXAS TRANSPORTATION CODE: FORT BEND COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 502.451 of the Texas Transportation Code, a license plate that is issued to the owner of a vehicle that is exempt by law from the payment of registration fees must bear the "exempt"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 502.451(f) of the Texas Transportation Code, a license plate may be issued to the owner of a vehicle that is exempt by law from the payment of registration fees without the license plate bearing the word "exempt" provided the Commissioners Court has entered an order as provided by Section 721.005 of the Texas Transportation Code; and

WHEREAS, Section 721.004 of the Texas Transportation Code requires an inscription on all county owned motor vehicles; and

WHEREAS, Section 721.005 of the Texas Transportation Code allows the commissioners court of a county to exempt certain motor vehicles from the requirements of Section 721.004 of the Texas Transportation Code; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County desires to exempt from the requirements of Section 721.004 of the Texas Transportation Code a maximum of <u>15</u> vehicles used by the Fort Bend County Medical Examiner's Office to perform an official duty so that the license plates on said vehicles will not bear the word "exempt".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED:

The Commissioners County of Fort Bend County, Texas, does hereby exempt from the requirements of Section 721.004 of the Texas Transportation Code the vehicles used by the Fort Bend County Medical Examiner's Office so that the license plates on said vehicles will not bear the word "exempt".

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, the Purchasing Agent of Fort Bend County and any designee of the Purchasing Agent shall have the authority to execute all documents pertaining to said vehicles assigned to the Medical Examiner's Office of Fort Bend County, Texas, should any such action be required.

WITNESS OUR HAND THIS THE DAY OF February, 2022.

KP George, Fort Bend County Judge

Vincent Morales, Jr., Comm. Pct. #1

Grady Prestage, Comm. Pct. #2

Ken DeMerchant, Comm. Pct. #4

ATTEST:

Laura, Richard, County Clerk

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