

**RESOLUTION OF  
FORT BEND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT  
IN SUPPORT OF TXDOT RESUMING WORK ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT  
STUDY FOR THE 36A CORRIDOR**

**WHEREAS** Fort Bend, Brazoria and Waller counties have seen significant population growth and economic development in recent years that has increased congestion and demands on our existing road infrastructure, and;

**WHEREAS** the Highway 36A Coalition has advocated for a regional north/south transportation infrastructure in Fort Bend, Brazoria and Waller counties that improves evacuation routes, reduces vehicle congestion, facilitates domestic and international trade, enhances safety and provides more efficient freight and motorist mobility, and;

**WHEREAS** our region's rapid growth and development threatens to eliminate potential thoroughfares for this much-needed road corridor, therefore requiring local governments and the state to move quickly to plan for new corridors and create new thoroughfares; and;

**WHEREAS** the Texas Department of Transportation in the midst of an ongoing Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) study of a proposed Highway 36A as a transportation corridor between US59/IH69 and US 290/SH 6 near Hempstead; and;

**WHEREAS** the recent decision to split the study area into two segments of independent utility necessitated contract changes in the contract with the consulting engineers on the project, and those discussions have delayed progress on this project; and

**WHEREAS** it in the best interest of Fort Bend, Brazoria and Waller County policy makers to see this study move forward as quickly as possible to ensure sufficient roadway corridors can be identified before development overtakes them;

**NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT FORT BEND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT**, does hereby encourage the Texas Department of Transportation to speedily resolve any pending issues and quickly move forward to resume work on its Environmental Impact Statement for the proposed Highway 36A mobility corridor.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 11 day of April, 2023.

FORT BEND COUNTY

By: KP George  
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County Judge

By: Vincent Morales  
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By: James "Grady" Prestage  
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Commissioner Pct. 2

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

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Commissioner Pct. 4

ATTEST:

Laura Richard  
Laura Richard, County Clerk

