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IN SUPPORT OF SH 99 (GRAND PARKWAY)

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WHEREAS, the North Houston Association represents major employers, land owners, developers, professional firms and financial and commercial institutions and is dedicated to improving the quality of life in the north Houston area; and

WHEREAS, high-quality infrastructure, including roads and bridges, is an essential requirement for continued growth and economic development; and

WHEREAS, the proposed SH 99 (Grand Parkway) and specifically Segments F1, F2 and G are essential elements of our transportation system to meet local and regional east-west mobility needs, and improve the safety of Harris County citizens and visitors; and

WHEREAS, such improvements will ultimately improve mobility and ease the commutes of Harris County residents and workers; and

WHEREAS, our focus on enhancing the quality of life for the region, including neighborhood integrity, natural vegetation, and wetlands areas, and assuring that the north Houston area is an attractive place for businesses to relocate or expand and for families to live is paramount in our mission.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the North Houston Association strongly supports the Grand Parkway Association's recommended alignment or a similar alignment. This will ultimately create a cost-effective, efficient transportation system essential for the quality of life that we support.

Adopted this 12th day of May, 2004

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