



Resolution

NO. 2009-09

SUPPORTING THE RECOMMENDATION FROM THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO USE PROPOSITION 12 BOND PROCEEDS TO FUND TWO PROJECTS IN THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT AREA.

WHEREAS, the travel demand in the IH 45 South Corridor is projected to grow from an existing daily demand of 173,000 vehicles per day to 268,000 vehicles per day in 2022; and,

WHEREAS, motorists experience significant delays in the Corridor, particularly at interchanges, during peak periods and on weekends, and,

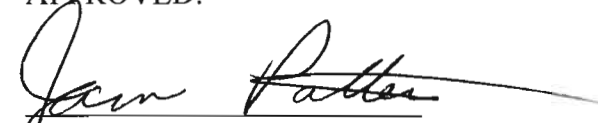
WHEREAS, the US 290 Corridor currently ranks number 13 on the list of the Top 100 Most Congested Roadways in Texas; and,

WHEREAS, the reconstruction of the US 290/IH 610 Interchange is critical to congestion relief efforts in the Corridor; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE TRANSPORTATION POLICY COUNCIL APPROVES THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S RECOMMENDATION TO USE PROPOSITION 12 FUNDS TO SUPPORT IMPROVEMENTS IN THE IH 45 S AND US 290 CORRIDORS.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 20th day of November 2009, at a regularly called meeting of the Transportation Policy Council.

APPROVED:


James Patterson, Chairman
Transportation Policy Council

ATTEST:


Tom Reid, Secretary
Transportation Policy Council