

City of Houston Resolution No. 2018-0035

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE NOMINATION AND SUBMISSION OF NINE PROJECTS FOR FUNDING CONSIDERATION IN THE 2018 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM CALL FOR PROJECTS ADMINISTERED BY THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL; MAKING VARIOUS FINDINGS AND OTHER PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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WHEREAS, the Transportation Improvement Program call for projects (“Program”) is a competitive process, open to state and local governments located within the H-GAC eight-county area, administered by the Houston-Galveston Area Council (“H-GAC”) and through which the City of Houston may be eligible to receive federal funding for certain transportation improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recommends each of the projects listed in this Resolution as worthy of federal investment because each nominated project demonstrates a relationship to surface transportation areas, including the transit, roadway and highways, bicycle and pedestrian, preventative maintenance, rehabilitation and transportation operations; and

WHEREAS, the selection for funding of these projects will maximize existing localized efforts and will provide benefits for the City of Houston and surrounding region; and

WHEREAS, the City commits to providing or facilitating the provision of the 20 percent required local match for each of the nominated projects selected for funding by H-GAC; and

WHEREAS, if the City awards the nominated projects, the appropriation of funds will be subject to City Council approval in subsequent ordinances; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS:

Section 1. The findings contained in the preamble of this Resolution are determined to be true and correct and are adopted as a part of this Resolution.

Section 2. The City Council hereby nominates the following projects for funding consideration in the 2018 Transportation Improvement Program call for projects administered by H-GAC:

1. Aldine Westfield Road – Beltway 8 to Little York Road

2. Antoine – U.S. 290 to West Mount Houston
3. Broadway – I-45 to State Highway 3
4. Dairy Ashford – Westheimer Road to I-10
5. Gelhorn Drive – I.H. 610 to I-10
6. Waugh Drive/Heights Boulevard/Yale Street – I-10 to Nevada Street/Bomar Street
7. West Fuqua Street – City limits to Chimney Rock Road
8. Lower Westheimer – South Main to Shepherd Drive
9. ITS – EOC – HPW Fiber Optic Cable Integration

Section 3. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; however, in the event that the Mayor fails to sign this Resolution within five days after its passage and adoption, it shall take effect in accordance with Article VI, Section 6, Houston City Charter.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 31st day of Oct, 2018.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2018.

Mayor of the City of Houston, Texas

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 6, Houston City Charter, the effective date of the foregoing Resolution is _____, 2018.

City Secretary

(Prepared by Legal Dept. _____)
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(Requested by Carol Haddock, Director, Houston Public Works)
(L.D. File No. _____)