

City of Pearland Documents of Public Support

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**City of Pearland**

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January 12, 2015

Mr. Alan Clark
MPO Director
Houston-Galveston Area Council
P.O. Box 22777
3555 Timmons
Houston, Texas 77227-2777

RE: 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program Call for Projects

Dear Mr. Clark,

I am delighted to formally announce my support for the City of Pearland's submissions for the 2015-2018 Call for Projects conducted by H-GAC's Transportation Improvement Program. City staff has carefully evaluated and assessed the City's transportation needs and have developed submittals consisting of the most significant thoroughfare projects to be completed in the upcoming years.

At this time, the City of Pearland is pleased to submit for HGAC's consideration, the following 2015-2018 TIP candidate projects:

- Mykawa Road Expansion
- CR 403 Expansion
- SH 288 Frontage Road
- Safe Routes to School
- Clear Creek Trail

If you have any questions or comments regarding the City's submissions, please contact Trent Epperson, Assistant City Manager at tepperson@pearlandtx.gov or 281-652-1657.

Sincerely,

Mayor Tom Reid

RESOLUTION NO. R2014-153


A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Pearland, Texas, authorizing the City Manager or his designee to submit five project applications to the Houston-Galveston Area Council for inclusion in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan, and allocating matching funds for the construction of each project.

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

Section 1. That the City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to submit five project applications, described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto, to the Houston-Galveston Area Council for inclusion in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan.


Section 2. That the City's proposed share of the local match for each project is described in Exhibit "A".

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this the 15th day of December, A.D., 2014.



TOM REID
MAYOR


ATTEST:



YOUNG LORFING, TRMC
CITY SECRETARY



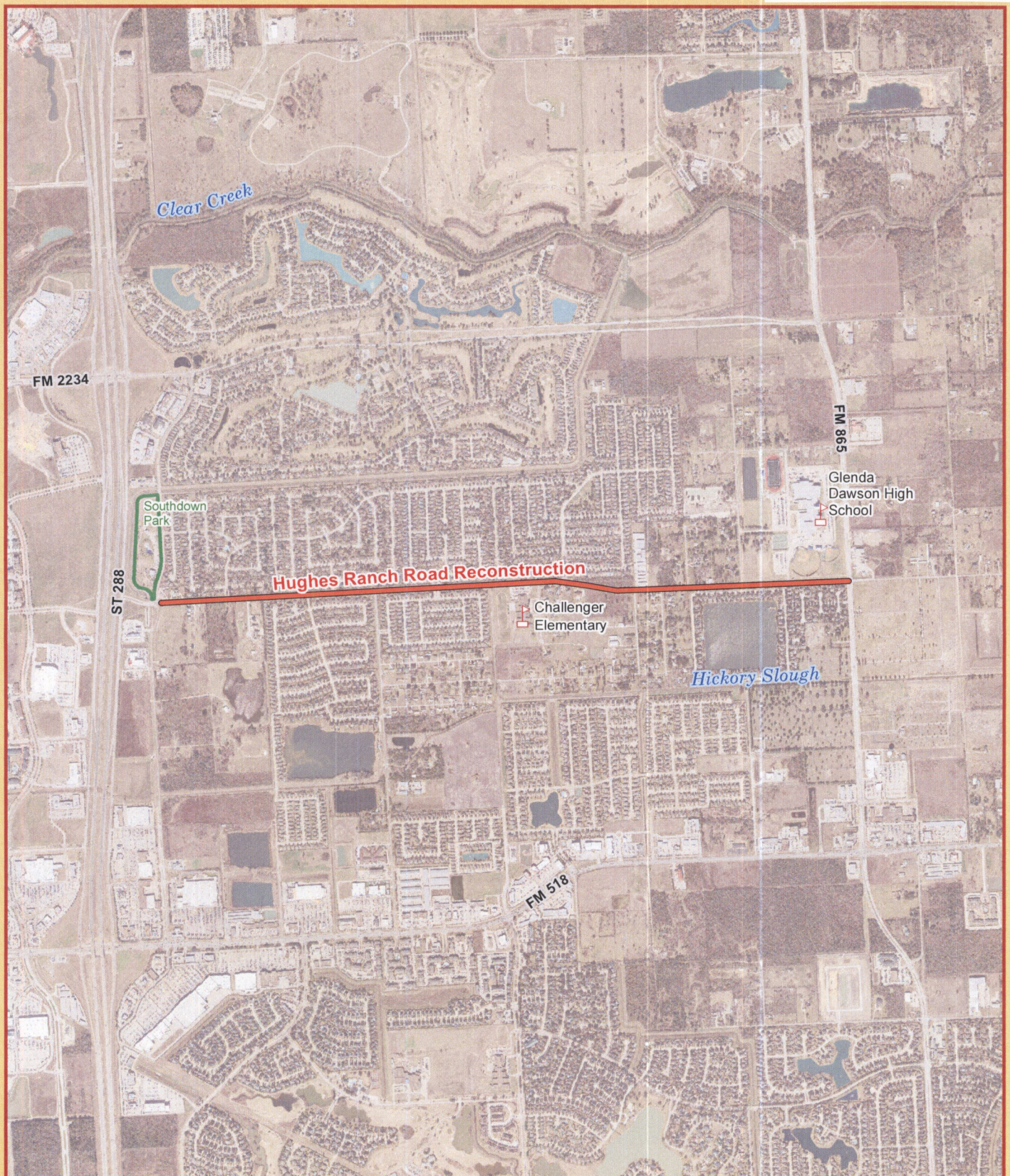
APPROVED AS TO FORM:



DARRIN M. COKER
CITY ATTORNEY

Exhibit A

Project Name	Limits	Funding Year	Total Project Cost	City Contribution	TxDOT Contribution
CR 403 Expansion	CR94 to Cullen	2016	\$25,329,387	\$5,065,877	\$20,263,510
Mykawa Road	Clear Creek to Broadway	2017	\$31,695,370	\$6,339,074	\$25,356,296
Safe Routes to School	Jr. High South	2016	\$581,007	\$116,201	\$464,806
	Cockrell Elementary		\$ 500,004	\$100,001	\$ 400,003
	Carleston Elementary		<u>\$1,298,411</u>	<u>\$ 259,682</u>	<u>\$1,038,729</u>
	Totals		\$2,379,422	\$ 475,884	\$1,903,538
Clear Creek Trail	North of Riverstone to U of H Campus	2017	\$6,246,888	\$1,249,378	\$4,997,510
SH288 NB Feeder	FM518 to CR59	2017	\$10,922,101	\$2,184,420	\$8,737,681
Total			\$76,573,168	\$15,314,634	\$61,258,534



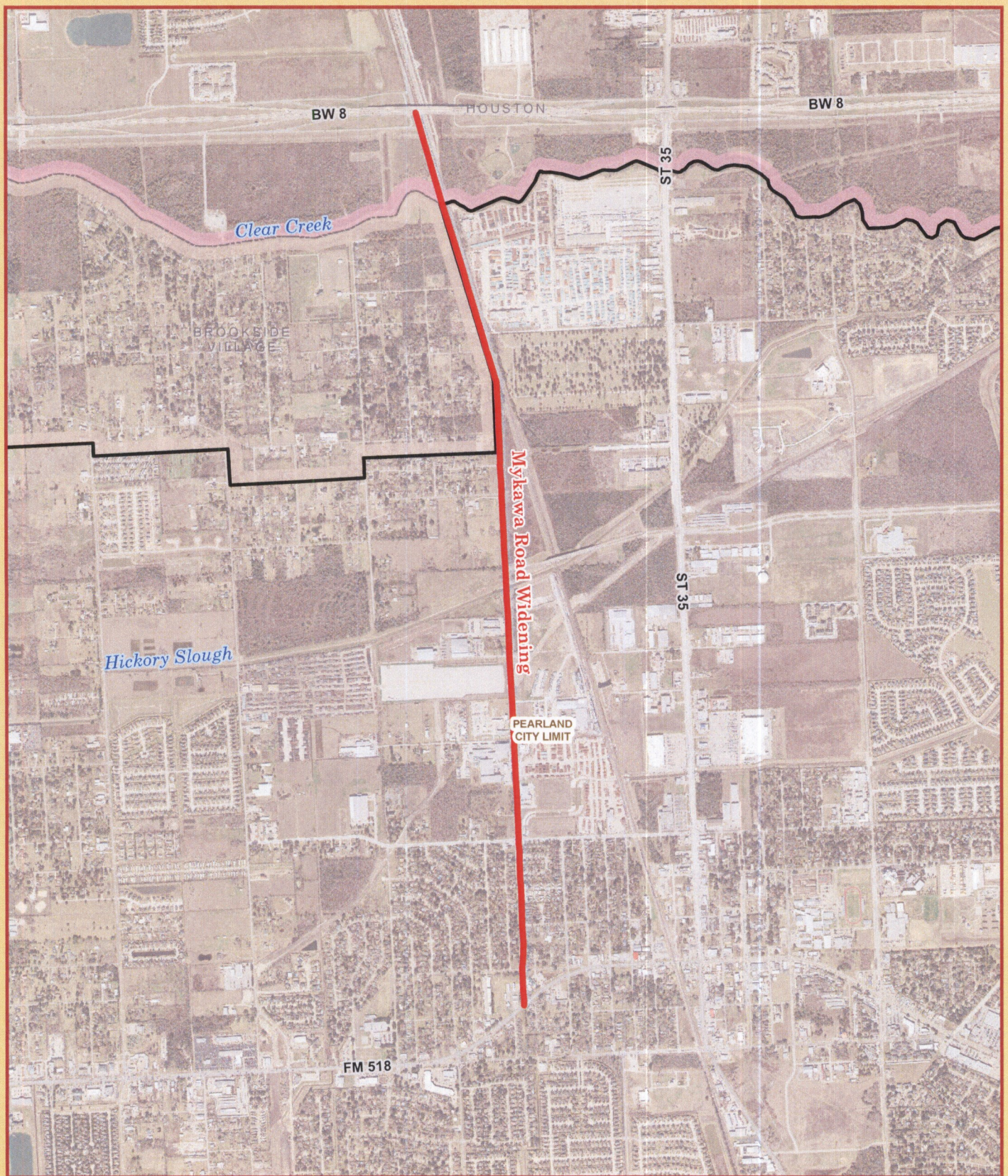
PEARLAND TIP SUBMITTAL
Hughes Ranch Road
(Formerly CR 403)



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Mykawa Road Widening



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SH 288 Northbound Frontage Road



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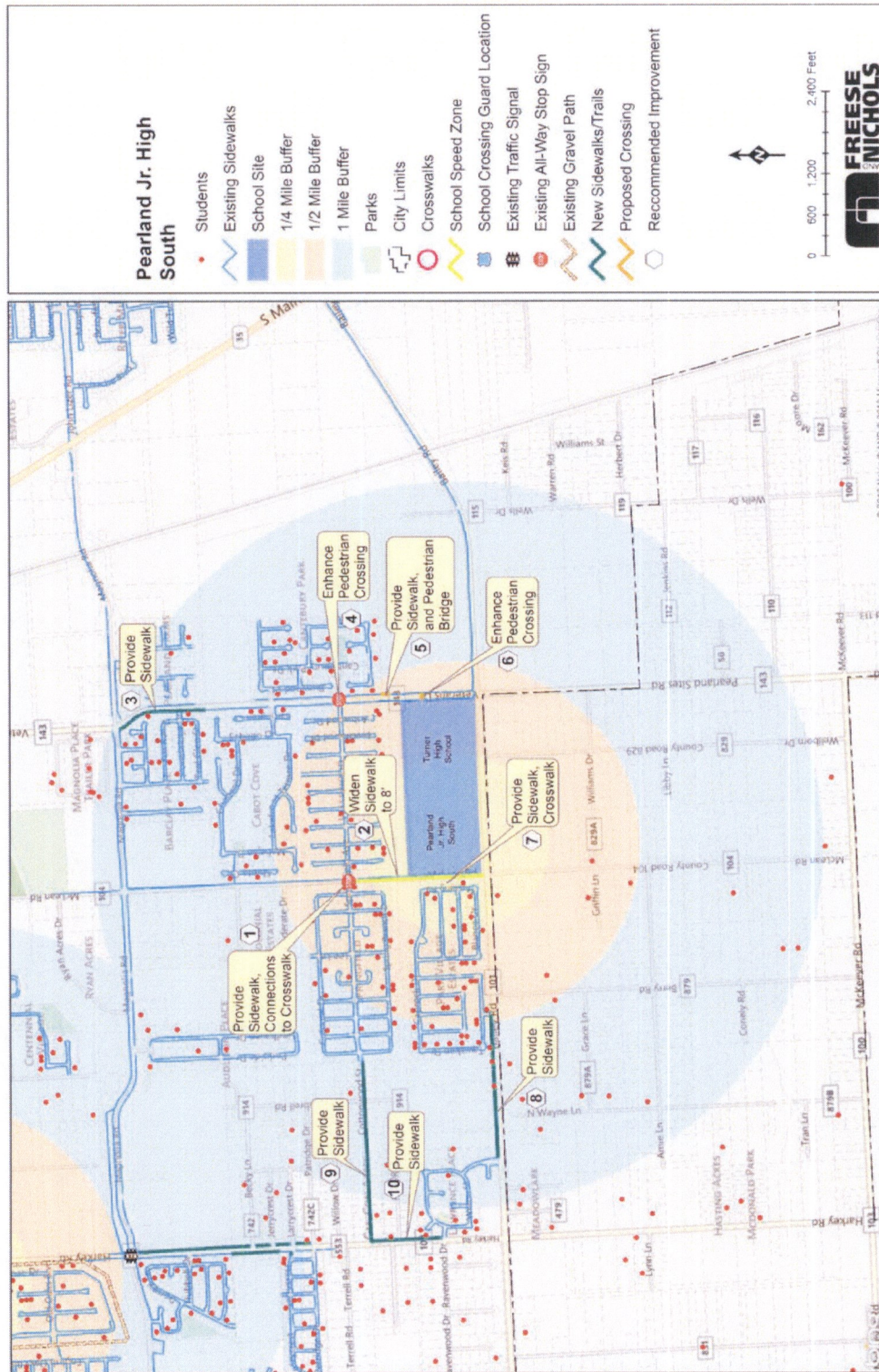


Figure 8B. Pearland JH South Proposed SRTS Enhancements

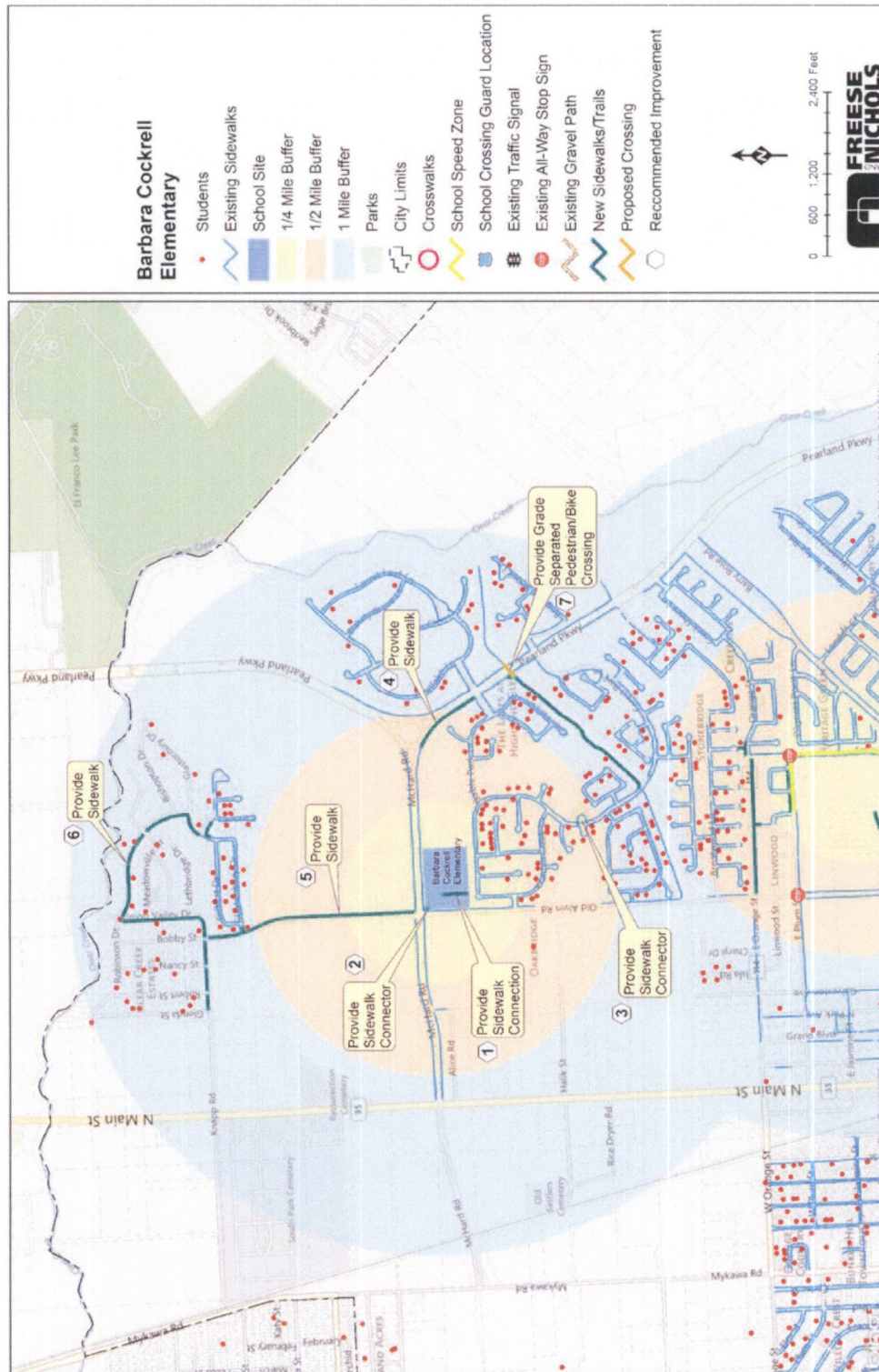


Figure 4B. Cockrell Elementary Proposed SRTS Enhancements

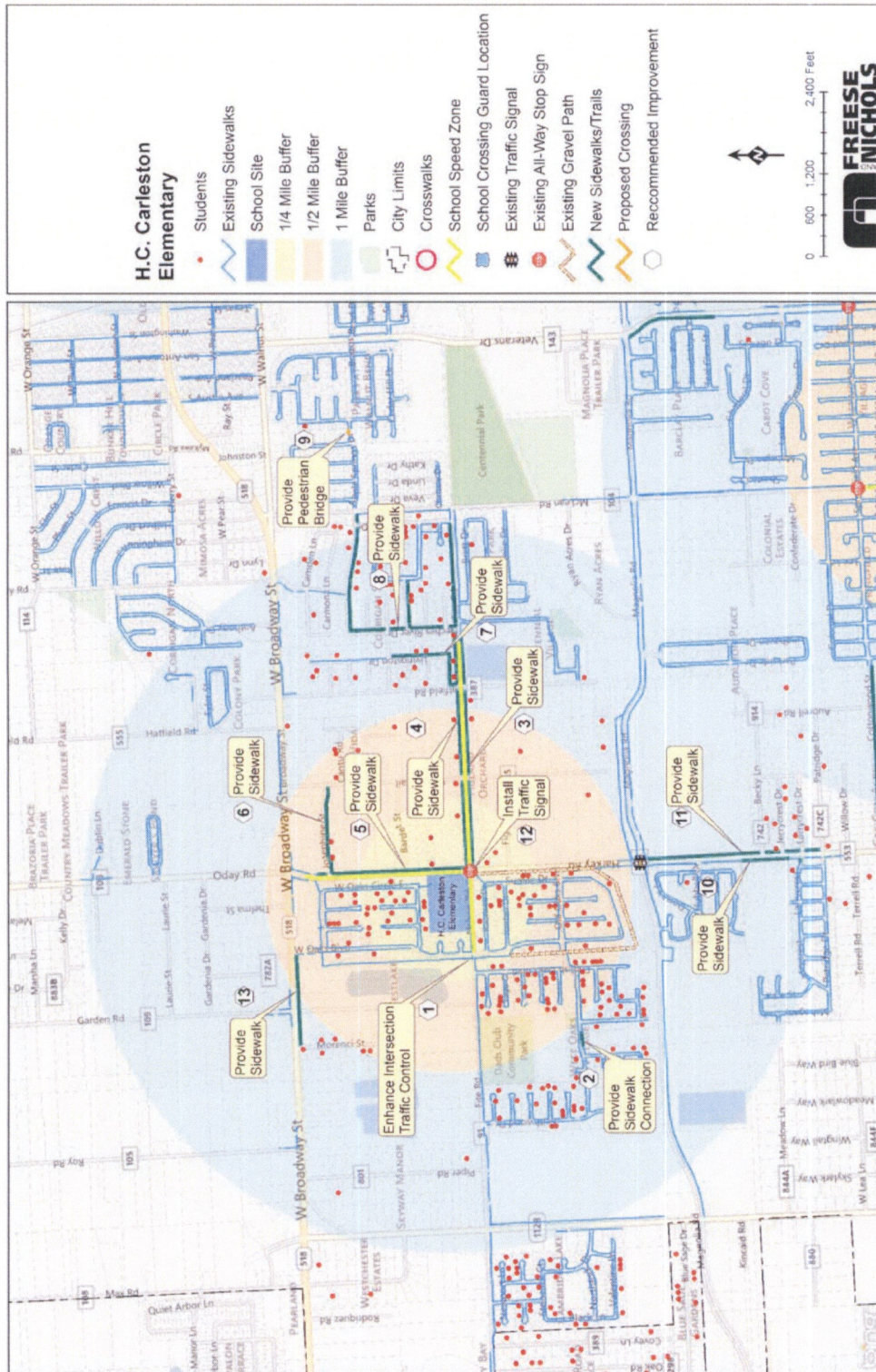


Figure 2B. Carleson Elementary Proposed SRTS Enhancements

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL SELECTION PROCESS

1. Freese and Nichols Engineering submitted a Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Plan report, identifying seven (7) schools within the Pearland and Alvin school districts that it recommended for the SRTS program.
2. City of Pearland Projects staff made site visits and created aerial maps in GIS of all identified locations.
3. Areas of pavement to be installed or replaced were measured, and the location of bridges and ADA ramps to be installed was determined based on GIS data.
4. The number of trees and driveways to be removed and replaced were counted based on GIS data.
5. The number of traffic signals, flashers, signs, crosswalks, and traffic warrant studies was identified based on the recommendations.
6. Unit costs were applied to all items using City of Pearland standard specifications and details; an average of TxDOT's 12-month average costs, Public Works' paving contract, BNI Costbook, and Capital Projects engineer's estimates; information from the Assistant Director of Projects, ROW Manager, City Engineer, and Traffic Manager.
7. Based on the units of work identified, a raw cost was assigned to each improvement. An additional 45% was added for easement acquisition and drainage construction (if either condition existed), 5% of raw cost plus easement and drainage cost for CMT, and 15% of the total for design.
8. The top five (5) improvements for each school recommended in Freese and Nichols' report were then selected for further prioritization.
9. The number of single-family households within a two-mile radius of each school was identified in GIS, with the number of units in multi-family complexes identified by direct phone contact with the complex management.
10. Crash data for the past three (3) years was obtained from the City of Pearland Police Dept. Dispatch OSSl.
11. Street categorization and speed limit was obtained from the City of Pearland Thoroughfare Plan. For improvements within school zones, the school zone speed limit was used.
12. The traffic count per street segment was obtained from a 2010 Daily Model Volumes study by CDM Smith for the Engineering Dept.
13. All data was compiled in a spreadsheet matrix and ratings of 1-5 were assigned to each category. The ratings were weighted so that safety factors (street category, traffic level, speed limit, crash data) comprised 50% and were inversely proportional to cost factors (cost per household, drainage, ROW/easement acquisition) which comprised the other 50%.
14. Average Cost Per Household By School and Average Weighted Score By School were calculated, and the three (3) schools with the highest average weighted scores were selected.
15. Challenger was not selected because the majority of improvements will be done as part of another project.

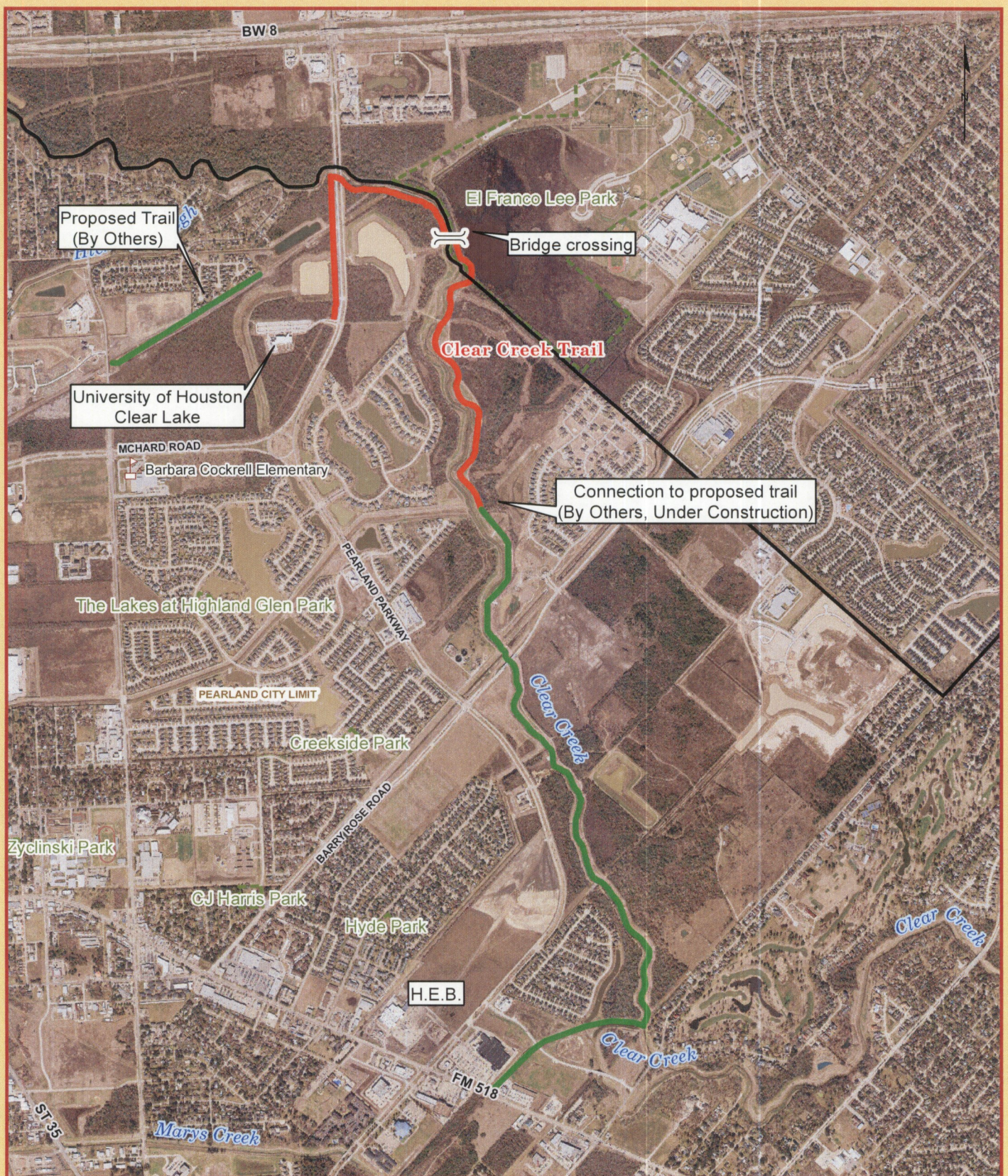
SRTS Prioritization
June 2014

		Carlestown					Challenger					Cockrell					Harris					Lawhon					Pearland JHS					York						
	Weighting	Carlestown 1	Carlestown 2	Carlestown 3	Carlestown 4	Carlestown 5	Challenger 1	Challenger 2	Challenger 3	Challenger 4	Challenger 5	Cockrell 1	Cockrell 2	Cockrell 3*	Cockrell 4	Cockrell 5	Harris 1	Harris 2	Harris 3	Harris 4	Harris 5	Lawhon 1	Lawhon 2	Lawhon 3	Lawhon 4	Lawhon 5	PJHS 1	PJHS 2	PJHS 3	PJHS 4	PJHS 5	York 1	York 2	York 3	York 4**	York 5**		
Safety Factors																																						
Street Level (Thoroughfare Plan)		0.25	3.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	1.00	5.00	0.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	3.00	0.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	5.00	5.00	1.00	0.00	0.00		
Traffic Level (Engineering Study Data)		0.25	4.00	1.00	3.00	2.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	1.00	4.00	0.00	5.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	0.00	0.00		
Speed Limit		0.25	3.00	2.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	5.00	3.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	3.00	4.00	2.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	4.00	4.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	0.00	0.00		
Crash Data (Reported for 3-Yr. Period)		0.25	2.00	1.00	5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	2.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	0.00	0.00		
Subtotals			3.00	1.25	3.50	3.25	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	1.00	2.75	0.00	4.25	2.75	1.25	1.25	2.75	1.75	1.00	2.50	1.25	1.25	2.25	1.00	1.50	2.50	4.00	3.50	2.25	3.00	3.00	1.00	0.00	0.00		
Cost Factors																																						
Drainage Construction		0.33	5.00	5.00	1.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	4.00	1.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00		
ROW/Easement Acquisition		0.33	5.00	5.00	1.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00		
Cost Per Household		0.33	5.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	0.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	5.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.00	5.00	4.00	2.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00		
Subtotals			5.00	3.67	4.00	1.33	3.67	5.00	4.67	4.33	4.33	5.00	4.67	5.00	0.00	4.00	3.00	4.33	2.33	3.33	5.00	4.00	2.33	3.33	3.00	3.33	5.00	4.33	4.67	2.67	5.00	3.00	4.00	4.67	0.00	0.00		
Total Weighted Score			8.00	4.92	7.50	4.58	6.92	7.50	7.17	6.83	6.83	7.50	6.87	7.75	0.00	8.25	6.75	6.58	3.58	6.08	6.75	5.00	4.83	4.58	5.25	6.00	5.83	7.17	6.87	8.50	5.25	7.87	5.67	0.00	0.00			
Households Served			448	31	148	513	29	692	1414	750	624	309	158	0	75	506	383	89	89	236	91	50	10	458	278	135	303	514	676	162	265	187	265	187	0	0.00		
Total Cost			\$ 9,720.00	\$ 47,659.00	\$ 218,110.00	\$ 617,331.00	\$ 131,265.00	\$ 40,409.00	\$ 141,414.00	\$ 750,750.00	\$ 624,624.00	\$ 309,309.00	\$ 158,158.00	\$ -	\$ 27,545.00	\$ 346,927.00	\$ 191,797.00	\$ 157,986.00	\$ 357,838.00	\$ 9,972.00	\$ 65,622.00	\$ 188,627.00	\$ 221,741.00	\$ 166,920.00	\$ 17,606.00	\$ 7,882.00	\$ 47,197.00	\$ 124,749.00	\$ 172,026.00	\$ 12,498.00	\$ 56,239.00	\$ 80,124.00	\$ 42,922.00	\$ -	\$ -			
Cost Per Household			\$ 21.70	\$ 1,537.39	\$ 1,473.72	\$ 1,203.37	\$ 4,526.38	\$ 28.58	\$ 71.09	\$ 288.75	\$ 447.87	\$ 5.58	\$ 6.87	\$ -	\$ 367.27	\$ 685.63	\$ 500.78	\$ 1,776.12	\$ 4,020.65	\$ 42.25	\$ 721.12	\$ 3,772.54	\$ 2,217.41	\$ 600.43	\$ 79.87	\$ 58.39	\$ 156.77	\$ 242.70	\$ 1,095.71	\$ 18.49	\$ 628.29	\$ 880.48	\$ 229.53	\$ -	\$ -			
Average Cost Per Household By School			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$			
Average Weighted Score By School			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$			

*Unable to locate.

** Completed.

Street Category	Rank	Traffic Count	Rank	Speed Limit	Rank	3-Yr. Crash Data	Rank	Drainage	Rank	ROW/ Easement	Rank	Cost per Household	Rank
Major Thoroughfare	5	10,000+	5	45+	5	8+	5	None	5	No	5	\$0-\$60	5
Secondary Thoroughfare	4	7,500-9,999	4	40	4	6-7	4	Simple	4			\$61-\$250	4
Major Collector	3	5,000-7,499	3	35	3	4-5	3	Medium	3			\$251-\$700	3
Minor Collector	2	2,500-4,999	2	30	2	2-3	2					\$701-\$1,500	2
Neighborhood	1	0-2,499	1	<30	1	0-1	1	Complex	1	Yes	1	>\$1,500	1



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Clear Creek Trail



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RESOLUTION

IN SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF PEARLAND'S APPLICATIONS TO HOUSTON-
GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BRAZORIA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT:

That the Brazoria County Commissioners' Court hereby supports the City of Pearland's applications to the Houston-Galveston Area Council for inclusion in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan.

Approved this 23rd day of December, 2014.



Commissioner, Precinct 1
Donald "Dude" Payne



Commissioner, Precinct 3
Stacy L. Adams



County Judge E.J. King





Commissioner, Precinct 2
L.M. "Matt" Sebesta, Jr.



Commissioner, Precinct 4
Larry Stanley

**CERTIFIED COPY
BRAZORIA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT**

ORDER NO. V.A.10.c.

**RE: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE
CITY OF PEARLAND'S APPLICATION
TO HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA
COUNCIL FOR PROJECTS**

The City of Pearland is preparing applications for the projects listed below to be included in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan.

Project Name	Limits
CR 403 Expansion	CR94 to Cullen
Mykawa Road	Clear Creek to Broadway
Safe Routes to School	Jr. High South
Carleston Elementary	Cockrell Elementary
Clear Creek Trail	North of Riverstone to U of H Campus
SH288 NB Feeder	FM518 to CR59

Approve the attached Resolution in support of these applications.

Further, that a certified copy of this order and the signed Resolution be furnished to the County Engineer for distribution to all parties involved.

Motion to Approve by Commissioner Payne, seconded by Commissioner Sebesta that the above action be taken by the Court.

Passed: 5-0

Aye: Judge King, Commissioner Payne, Commissioner Sebesta, Commissioner Adams,
Commissioner Stanley
Nay: (None)

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF BRAZORIA §

**I, Joyce Hudman, Clerk County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the
Commissioners' Court of Brazoria County, Texas, do hereby certify that the
foregoing is a true and correct copy of that certain:**

ORDER NO. V.A.10.c.

**RE: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE
CITY OF PEARLAND'S APPLICATION
TO HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA
COUNCIL FOR PROJECTS**

as passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 23rd day of DECEMBER, A.D., 2014, SPECIAL Term of Commissioners' Court and as the same appear(s) in the Commissioners' Court Records of Brazoria County, Texas.

**GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 23rd
DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D., 2014.**

JOYCE HUDMAN, Clerk County Court
and Ex-Officio Member of the Commissioners'
Court of Brazoria County, Texas

By: _____

I. Briones, Deputy



PEARLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL

WHEREAS, Pearland Independent School District supports policies and programs that focus on health and wellness and healthier community environments; and

WHEREAS, the health and safety of children is of highest concern to Pearland ISD; and

WHEREAS, walking and biking can help enhance the health and overall physical activity of children, improve air quality and the environment, and reduce traffic congestion in and around school zones; and

WHEREAS, Safe Routes to School is a national and international movement to create safe, convenient, and fun opportunities for children to walk and bike to school; and

WHEREAS, Safe Routes to School efforts help remove barriers to walking and biking to school through improvement of infrastructure and facilities and the creation of education, encouragement, engineering, enforcement, and evaluation programs; and

WHEREAS, having safer routes to and from schools can decrease pedestrian and bicycling related injuries, not just for students, but for the entire community; and

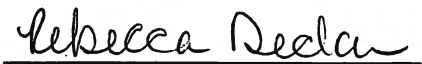
WHEREAS, it is fitting that Pearland ISD recognize the importance of making walking and biking to school a safe activity.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Pearland ISD will participate in and support the Safe Routes to School initiative in order to gain the benefits mentioned above and strengthen the quality of life for Pearland ISD students, families, and neighborhoods.

Resolution declared and adopted on March 25, 2014



Rusty DeBorde, President



Rebecca Decker, Secretary



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Andrew Solomon, Trustee



Pam Boegler, Vice President



Larissa J. Stokin, Trustee



Virgil Gant, Trustee



January 7, 2015

Mr. Alan Clark
Manager of Transportation Planning
Houston-Galveston Area Council
P.O. Box 22777
Houston, Texas 77227-2777

RE: 2015 Transportation Improvement Program Call for Projects – Pearland Safe Routes to School

Dear Mr. Clark:

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Bay Area Houston Transportation Partnership (BayTran), I am pleased to offer this letter of support for the City of Pearland's application for Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) funds to implement the Pearland Safe Routes to School project. BayTran endorses the City of Pearland's effort to enhance the safety, connectivity and accessibility for students walking or biking to area schools. In particular, funds are being requested for the completion of infrastructure improvements in the service areas surrounding two elementary schools and one junior high school in Pearland. The improvements include enhancements to intersection traffic control and the installation of 6' sidewalks.

BayTran is the regional Transportation Management Organization (TMO) for the Houston Bay Area, and was established to address transportation, mobility, and air quality issues in the region. As the Bay Area's TMO, BayTran promotes all modes of transportation in the Houston Bay Area and recognizes that the Pearland Safe Routes to School and the proposed improvements not only provide a transportation benefit, but also will improve the health of the City's infrastructure, its people, and its culture.

Please accept this letter as BayTran's full support for funding the City of Pearland's Safe Routes to School project in the 2015 TIP Call for Projects. Thank you for your consideration of these much needed mobility improvements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara G. Koslov". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Barbara G. Koslov
President, Bay Area Houston Transportation Partnership



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A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Pearland, Texas, authorizing the City Manager or his designee to submit five project applications to the Houston-Galveston Area Council for inclusion in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan, and allocating matching funds for the construction of each project.

WHEREAS, The Greater 288 Partnership an advocacy for regional transportation solutions, believes authorizing the City Manager or his designee to submit five project applications to the Houston-Galveston Area Council for inclusion in the 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Plan, and allocating matching funds for the construction of each project will provide for better future thoroughfare planning through that part of Pearland, and have a positive impact on the economic growth potential for this area

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GREATER 288 PARTNERSHIP: That the Board of Directors of the Greater 288 Partnership hereby expresses its full support for City of Pearland, Texas, Resolution No. R2104-153, and encourages the passage of same.

January 10, 2015


Kevin Cole, Chairman of The Board

