RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HAYS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

To Modify Trustee Election Polling Locations

WHEREAS, five of the Hays Consolidated Independent School District's seven member Board of Trustees are elected from five single-member trustee districts; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with the Texas Election Code § 43.001, which provides that each election precinct established for an election shall be served by a single polling place located within the boundary of the precinct, the district has a polling location in each precinct; and

WHEREAS Hays CISD Board of Trustees has adopted prior resolutions setting forth polling locations in each single-member district; and

WHEREAS, Election Day turnout at Driftwood, one of the two polling locations in Hays CISD Single-Member-District 5, has been poor in recent elections (4 voters in 2016, election cancelled 2015, 4 voters in 2014, 32 voters in 2013, 5 voters in 2012, election cancelled 2011, precinct information not available for 2010, 3 voters in 2009); and

WHEREAS, no other Single-Member-District has two polling locations and it is not fiscally responsible to operate a second and underutilized Single-Member-District 5 polling location; and

WHEREAS, Hays CISD now operates an early voting location in the northern part of the school district to make voting more convenient for voters;

WHEREAS, the City of Kyle, with which the district has historically partnered for joint elections, has moved its elections to the November uniform election date, requiring Hays CISD to partner with the City of Hays for May joint elections; and

WHEREAS, the Election Day polling location for Hays CISD Single-Member-District 1 had been jointly shared with the City of Kyle at the Kyle City Hall, and

WHEREAS, Hays CISD must, with its new election partner, identify a new polling location for Single-Member-District 1.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that for the May 2017 election, and all future election dates until otherwise changed: 1) the Hays CISD Single-Member District 5 polling location previously operated at Driftwood shall be closed and one election day polling location shall be operated in Single-Member District 5 at Wallace Middle School and 2) the Hays CISD Single-Member District 1 election day polling location shall be relocated from Kyle City Hall to the Hays CISD Central Office at 21003 IH 35, Kyle, Texas.

Resolved this 23rd day of January 2017.

Holly Raymond Board President

Board Secretary