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## Resolution in support of S.H. 45 S.W.

WHEREAS, the voters of Travis County approved bond funds to extend Brodie Lane from Frate Barker to FM 1626 as a two-lane arterial in 1984;

WHEREAS, the extension of Brodie Lane to FM 1626 was completed in 1995;

WHEREAS, in November 1989 contracts were let to extend SH 45 SW from Loop 1 to RM 1826 and the extension was completed 4/22/94;

WHEREAS, between May 1985 and January 1990 numerous discussions were held between Travis County, the Barton Springs Edwards Aquifer Conservation District, TxDOT, and the then ATS {Austin Metropolitan Area Transportation Plan}, the City of Austin, Texas Turnpike Authority and others for an outer loop around Austin;

WHEREAS, The Oak Hill Association of Neighborhoods first endorsed SH 45 S.W. in November of 1988 as part of the transportation design for an outer loop;

WHEREAS, in January 1990 a Consent Decree and Partial Final Judgment was issued allowing a two lane road from Loop 1 to FM 1626;

WHEREAS, voters approved \$3.3 million dollars for Travis County to purchase Right of Way from Loop 1 to FM 1626. Purchase of the ROW was completed by 2003, and the titles were transferred to the State of Texas (TxDOT);

WHEREAS, neighborhoods along Brodie Lane have been requesting traffic relief for twenty plus years

WHEREAS, continued development in northern Hays County (in excess of 100%) has compounded the traffic through the center of Brodie Lane neighborhoods

WHEREAS, Hays County is embarking on widening lanes of FM 1626 to a MAD 6 which may add even more traffic onto Brodie Lane, if 45 SW is not constructed

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Oak Hill Association of Neighborhoods supports those member neighborhoods wishing to have SH 45 S W completed with the utmost speed and diligence and by any means necessary.

Approved on a unanimous vote May 13, 2009

Sandra Baldridge, President