## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

## AN ACT

relating to the creation of the City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility Districts Nos. 3, 4, 5, and 6 of Denton and Wise Counties; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds; granting the power of eminent domain.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
SECTION 1. Subtitle F, Title 6, Special District Local Laws Code, is amended by adding Chapter 8159 to read as follows:

CHAPTER 8159. CITY OF FORT WORTH MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICTS
NOS. 3, 4, 5, AND 6 OF DENTON AND WISE COUNTIES SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 8159.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:
(1) "Board" or "boards" means, as appropriate, the board of directors of one or all of the districts. (2) "Director" means a member of a board.
(3) "District" or "districts" means, as appropriate, one or all of the City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility Districts Nos. 3, 4, 5, and 6 of Denton and Wise Counties.

Sec. 8159.002. NATURE OF DISTRICT. Each district is a municipal utility district in Denton and Wise Counties created under and essential to accomplish the purposes of section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution.

Sec. 8159.003. CONFIRMATION ELECTION REQUIRED. If the creation of a district is not confirmed at a confirmation election
held under Section 8159.024 before September 1, 2009:
(1) the district is dissolved September 1, 2009, except that:
(A) any debts incurred shall be paid;
(B) any assets that remain after the payment of debts shall be transferred pro rata to Denton and Wise Counties, based on the total taxable value of all property in the district located in each county as determined from the most recent appraisal roll for each county; and
(C) the organization of the district shall be maintained until all debts are paid and remaining assets are transferred; and
(2) the provisions of this chapter relating to that district expire September 1, 2010.

Sec. 8159.004. INITIAL DISTRICT TERRITORY. (a) Each district is initially composed of the territory described by Section 2 of the Act creating this chapter.
(b) The boundaries and field notes of each district, as described by Section 2 of the Act creating this chapter, form a closure. A mistake made in the field notes or in copying the field notes in the legislative process does not affect:
(1) the organization, existence, or validity of the district;
(2) the right of the district to impose taxes;
(3) the validity of the district's bonds, notes, or indebtedness; or
(4) the legality or operation of the district or the
board.
[Sections 8159.005-8159.020 reserved for expansion]
SUBCHAPTER A1. TEMPORARY PROVISIONS
Sec. 8159.021. TEMPORARY DIRECTORS. (a) On or after September 1, 2005, a person who owns land inside the boundaries of a district may petition the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to appoint as temporary directors of that district the five persons listed in the petition.
(b) The commission shall appoint as temporary directors the persons listed in a petition received by the commission under Subsection (a). If the commission receives more than one petition for a district, the commission shall appoint the directors listed in the first petition the commission receives.
(c) If a temporary director fails to qualify for office, the commission shall appoint a person to fill the vacancy.
(d) Temporary directors serve until the earlier of:
(1) the date directors are elected under section 8159.024; or
(2) the date the provisions of this chapter relating to the district expire under Section 8159.003.

Sec. 8159.022. ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING OF TEMPORARY DIRECTORS. As soon as practicable after all the temporary directors of a district have qualified under Section 49.055, Water Code, the temporary directors of that district shall meet at a location in the district agreeable to a majority of the directors of that district. If a location cannot be agreed upon, the meeting shall be at the Denton County Courthouse. At the meeting, the
temporary directors shall elect officers from among the temporary directors and conduct any other district business.

Sec. 8159.023. CONSENT OF MUNICIPALITY REQUIRED. (a) The temporary directors of each district may not hold an election under Section 8159.024 until the City of Fort Worth has adopted a resolution consenting to the creation of that district.
(b) The City of Fort Worth may not adopt a resolution under this section before the effective date of the Act creating this chapter.

Sec. 8159.024. CONFIRMATION AND INITIAL DIRECTORS' ELECTION. The temporary directors of each district shall hold an election to confirm the creation of the district and to elect five directors as provided by Section 49.102, Water Code.

Sec. 8159.025. INITIAL ELECTED DIRECTORS; TERMS. The directors of each district elected under Section 8159.024 shall draw lots to determine which two shall serve until the first regularly scheduled election of directors under Section 8159.052 and which three shall serve until the second regularly scheduled election of directors.

Sec. 8159.026. EXPIRATION OF SUBCHAPTER. This subchapter expires September 1, 2010.
[Sections 8159.027-8159.050 reserved for expansion] SUBCHAPTER B. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Sec. 8159.051. DIRECTORS; TERMS. (a) Each district is governed by a board of five directors.
(b) Directors serve staggered four-year terms.

Sec. 8159.052. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS. On the uniform

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election date in May of each even-numbered year, the appropriate
number of directors of each district shall be elected.
    [Sections 8159.053-8159.100 reserved for expansion]
    SUBCHAPTER C. POWERS AND DUTIES
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    Sec. 8159.101. MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT POWERS AND
    DUTIES. Each district has the powers and duties provided by the
general law of this state, including Chapters 49 and 54, Water Code,
applicable to municipal utility districts created under Section 59,
Article XVI, Texas Constitution.

Sec. 8159.102. ROAD PROJECTS. (a) To the extent authorized by Section 52, Article III, Texas Constitution, each district may construct, acquire, improve, maintain, or operate macadamized, graveled, or paved roads or turnpikes, or improvements in aid of those roads or turnpikes, inside or outside the district.
(b) A district may not undertake a road project unless the City of Fort Worth consents by ordinance or resolution.

Sec. 8159.103. COMPLIANCE WITH MUNICIPAL CONSENT ORDINANCES OR RESOLUTIONS. Subject to the limitations of Section 54.016, Water Code, each district shall comply with all applicable requirements of any ordinance or resolution adopted by the city council of the City of Fort Worth, including an ordinance or resolution adopted before September 1, 2005, that consents to the creation of the district or to the inclusion of lands within the district.
[Sections 8159.104-8159.150 reserved for expansion] SUBCHAPTER D. GENERAL FINANCIAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 8159.151. TAX TO REPAY BONDS. Each district may impose
a tax to pay the principal of or interest on bonds issued under Section 8159.201.
[Sections 8159.152-8159.200 reserved for expansion] SUBCHAPTER E. BONDS

Sec. 8159.201. AUTHORITY TO ISSUE BONDS AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS. (a) Each district may issue bonds or other obligations as provided by Chapters 49 and 54, Water Code, to finance the construction, maintenance, or operation of projects under Sections 8159.101 and 8159.102.
(b) A district may not issue bonds to finance projects authorized by Section 8159.102 unless the issuance is approved by a vote of a two-thirds majority of the voters of the district voting at an election called for that purpose.
(c) Bonds or other obligations issued or incurred to finance projects authorized by Section 8159.102 may not exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property in the district.
(d) Sections 49.181 and 49.182, Water Code, do not apply to a project undertaken by a district under Section 8159.102 or to bonds issued by the district to finance the project.

SECTION 2. Each district initially includes, respectively, the territory contained in the following areas as indicated:
(1) City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No. 3 of Denton and Wise Counties: BEING a 410.29 acre tract of land situated in the Joshua King Survey, Abstract Number 712, the Thomas Peoples Survey, Abstract Number 677, the William Gaffield Survey, Abstract Number 332, and the W. Wallace Survey, Abstract Number 1405, Denton and Wise Counties, Texas, said 410.29 acre tract being all of that certain tract of land conveyed to WRR Properties, Inc. Trust according to the documents recorded in Document Number 98-R0003243 and Volume 4190, Page 327, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas and a portion of that certain tract of land conveyed to Alpha Ranch, Ltd. according to the document recorded in Volume 4645, Page 306, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, said 410.29 acre tract being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at the northeasterly corner of said WRR Properties tract, said northeasterly corner being on the southerly right-of-way line of State Highway 114 approximately 6977.33' east of the Denton/Wise County line;

THENCE South 00 degrees 56 minutes 15 seconds West along the easterly line of said $W R R$ Properties tract a distance of 2583.89 feet to the southeasterly corner of said WRR Properties tract; THENCE North 89 degrees 41 minutes 11 seconds West along the southerly line of said WRR Properties tract a distance of 1937.03 feet to a point;

THENCE North 89 degrees 06 minutes 24 seconds West continuing along the southerly line of said WRR Properties tract a distance of 905.33 feet to the southwesterly corner of said WRR Properties tract, said point being the most easterly southeast corner of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE North 89 degrees 25 minutes 44 seconds West along the most easterly south line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 234.54 feet to a point;

THENCE North 88 degrees 32 minutes 27 seconds West continuing along the most easterly south line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 2213.58 feet to a point; THENCE North 52 degrees 25 minutes 28 seconds West a distance of 513.10 feet to a point;

THENCE South 37 degrees 34 minutes 32 seconds West a distance of 1123.09 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a curve to the left having a radius of 1935.00 ' and a long chord bearing South 20 degrees 19 minutes 06 seconds West 1148.09'; THENCE along said curve to the left through a central angle of 34 degrees 30 minutes 53 seconds, an arc length of 1165.63 feet to a point;

THENCE North 86 degrees 56 minutes 21 seconds West a distance of 130.00 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the right having a long chord bearing North 20 degrees 19 minutes 06 seconds East 1225.22';

THENCE along said curve to the right through a central angle of 34 degrees 30 minutes 53 seconds, an arc length of 1243.95 feet to a point;

THENCE North 37 degrees 34 minutes 32 seconds East a distance of 1258.59 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a curve to the left having a radius of 1935.00' and a long chord bearing North 31 degrees 24 minutes 57 seconds East 415.25'; THENCE along said curve to the left through a central angle of 12 degrees 19 minutes 10 seconds, an arc length of 416.05 feet to a point;

THENCE North 76 degrees 34 minutes 54 seconds West a distance of 1317.48 feet to a point;

THENCE North 54 degrees 50 minutes 51 seconds West a distance of 439.04 feet to a point;

THENCE South 42 degrees 48 minutes 50 seconds West a distance of 365.39 feet to a point;

THENCE North 65 degrees 29 minutes 29 seconds West a distance of 222.95 feet to a point;

THENCE North 34 degrees 50 minutes 56 seconds West a distance of 165.67 feet to a point; THENCE North 30 degrees 51 minutes 29 seconds East a distance of 361.04 feet to a point; THENCE North 46 degrees 25 minutes 38 seconds West a distance of 823.80 feet to a point; THENCE North 89 degrees 19 minutes 21 seconds West a distance of 907.50 feet to a point, said point being on the northern most westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE North 00 degrees 10 minutes 48 seconds West along the northern most westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 615.20 feet to a point, said point being on the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114;

THENCE South 89 degrees 30 minutes 12 seconds East along the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114 a distance of 259.60 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a curve to the right having a radius of 5679.58' and a long chord bearing South 87 degrees 18 minutes 39 seconds East 464.30'; THENCE continuing along the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114 and along said curve to the right through a central angle of 01 degrees 41 minutes 07 seconds, an arc length of
464.43 feet to a point; THENCE South 84 degrees 58 minutes 12 seconds East continuing along the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114 a distance of 361.50 feet to a point, said point being the most northerly northeast corner of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE South 00 degrees 41 minutes 24 seconds West along the most northerly east line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 572.99 feet to a point, said point being a reentrant corner of the Alpha Ranch tract; THENCE South 89 degrees 19 minutes 12 seconds East along the northerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 2690.48 feet to a point, said point being reentrant corner of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE North 01 degrees 21 minutes 40 seconds East along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 391.17 feet to a point, said point being on the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114;

THENCE South 88 degrees 52 minutes 13 seconds East along the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114 a distance of 2413.97 feet to a point, said point being the most easterly northeast corner of said Alpha Ranch tract, said point also being the northwesterly corner of said WRR Properties tract; THENCE South 88 degrees 46 minutes 15 seconds East continuing along the southerly right-of-way line of said State Highway 114 a distance of 2875.00 feet to the Point of BEGINNING and containing 410.29 acres of land, more or less.
(2) City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No.

4 of Denton and Wise Counties: BEING a 407.74 acre tract of land situated in the Smith County School Land Survey, Abstract Number 746, the Thomas Peoples Survey, Abstract Number 677, the Empson Thompson Survey, Abstract Number 804, and the William Gaffield Survey, Abstract Number 332, Denton and Wise Counties, Texas, said 407.74 acre tract being a portion of that certain tract of land conveyed to Alpha Ranch, Ltd. according to the deed recorded in Volume 4645, Page 306, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, said 407.74 acre tract of land being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: COMMENCING at a $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found, said $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found being the southwesterly corner of said Alpha Ranch tract, thence North 00 degrees 43 minutes 00 seconds East along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract 3472.07 feet to the Point of BEGINNING:

THENCE North 00 degrees 43 minutes 00 seconds East continuing along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1186.05 feet to a concrete monument found;

THENCE North 00 degrees 44 minutes 13 seconds East continuing along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1320.58 feet to a concrete monument found;

THENCE South 89 degrees 56 minutes 23 seconds East a distance of 3744.75 feet to a $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found;

THENCE North 00 degrees 32 minutes 19 seconds East a distance of 1983.21 feet to a 5/8" capped iron pin found; THENCE South 89 degrees 19 minutes 12 seconds East a distance of 907.50 feet to a point;

THENCE South 46 degrees 25 minutes 38 seconds East a distance 823.80
feet to a point;
THENCE South 30 degrees 51 minutes 29 seconds East a distance of 361.04 feet to a point;

THENCE South 34 degrees 50 minutes 56 seconds East a distance of 165.67 feet to a point;

THENCE South 65 degrees 29 minutes 29 seconds East a distance of 222.95 feet to a point; THENCE North 42 degrees 49 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 365.39 feet to a point; THENCE South 54 degrees 50 minutes 51 seconds East a distance of 439.04 feet to a point; THENCE South 76 degrees 34 minutes 54 seconds East a distance of 1317.48 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a curve to the right having a radius of 1935.00' and a long chord bearing South 31 degrees 24 minutes 57 seconds West 415.25'; THENCE along said curve to the right through a central angle of 12 degrees 19 minutes 10 seconds, an arc length of 416.05 feet to a point;

THENCE South 37 degrees 34 minutes 32 seconds West a distance of 1258.59 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of a curve to the left having a radius of 2065.00 ' and a long chord bearing South 20 degrees 19 minutes 08 seconds West 1225.22 '; THENCE along said curve to the left through a central angle of 34 degrees 30 minutes 53 seconds, an arc length of 1243.95 feet to a point;

THENCE South 48 degrees 33 minutes 50 seconds West a distance of 569.48 feet to a point; THENCE North 65 degrees 32 minutes 01 seconds West a distance of 464.12 feet to a point; THENCE North 87 degrees 22 minutes 05 seconds West a distance of 539.24 feet to a point; THENCE South 84 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds West a distance of 400.96 feet to a point; THENCE South 78 degrees 11 minutes 21 seconds West a distance of 854.20 feet to a point; THENCE South 88 degrees 08 minutes 18 seconds West a distance of 553.29 feet to a point; THENCE North 71 degrees 10 minutes 01 seconds West a distance of 735.05 feet to a point; THENCE North 53 degrees 45 minutes 50 seconds West a distance of 422.20 feet to a point; THENCE North 80 degrees 17 minutes 56 seconds West a distance of 207.15 feet to a point; THENCE South 57 degrees 27 minutes 39 seconds West a distance of 377.97 feet to a point; THENCE South 75 degrees 58 minutes 07 seconds West a distance of 343.97 feet to a point; THENCE South 63 degrees 50 minutes 26 seconds West a distance of 237.14 feet to a point; THENCE South 17 degrees 36 minutes 03 seconds West a distance of 336.98 feet to a point; THENCE North 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds West a distance of 507.74 feet to the Point of BEGINNING and containing 407.74 acres of land, more or less.
(3) City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No. 5 of Denton and Wise Counties: BEING a 335.39 acre tract situated in the Empson Thompson Survey, Abstract Number 804 and the William Gaffield Survey, Abstract Number 332, Denton and Wise Counties, Texas, said 335.39 acre tract being a portion of that certain tract of land conveyed to Alpha Ranch, Ltd according to the deed recorded in Volume 4645, Page 306, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, said 335.39 acre tract being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: COMMENCING at a 1/2" iron pin found, said $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found being the southwesterly corner of said Alpha Ranch tract, thence North OO degrees 43 minutes 00 seconds East along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract 2113.14 feet to the Point of BEGINNING; THENCE North 00 degrees 43 minutes 00 seconds East continuing along the westerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1358.92 feet to a point;

THENCE South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 507. 74 feet to a point;

THENCE North 17 degrees 36 minutes 03 seconds East a distance of 336.98 feet to a point;

THENCE North 63 degrees 50 minutes 26 seconds East a distance of 237.14 feet to a point; THENCE North 75 degrees 58 minutes 07 seconds East a distance of 343.97 feet to a point; THENCE North 57 degrees 27 minutes 39 seconds East a distance of 377.97 feet to a point; THENCE South 53 degrees 45 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of
422.20 feet to a point; THENCE South 71 degrees 10 minutes 01 seconds East a distance of 735.05 feet to a point;

THENCE North 88 degrees 08 minutes 18 seconds East a distance of 553.29 feet to a point;

THENCE North 78 degrees 11 minutes 21 seconds East a distance of 854.20 feet to a point; THENCE North 84 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds East a distance of 400.96 feet to a point; THENCE South 87 degrees 22 minutes 05 seconds East a distance of 539.24 feet to a point; THENCE South 65 degrees 32 minutes 01 seconds East a distance of 464.12 feet to a point; THENCE North 48 degrees 33 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 569.48 feet to a point; THENCE South 86 degrees 56 minutes 21 seconds East a distance of 130.00 feet to a point, said point being the beginning of $a$ non-tangent curve to the right having a radius of 1935.00 ' and a long chord bearing North 20 degrees 19 minutes 06 seconds East 1148.09';

THENCE along said curve to the right through a central angle of 34 degrees 30 minutes 53 seconds, an arc length of 1165.63 feet to a point;

THENCE North 37 degrees 34 minutes 32 seconds East a distance of 1123.09 feet to a point; THENCE South 52 degrees 25 minutes 28 seconds East a distance of 513.10 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found, said 1/2" iron pin found being
on the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract; THENCE South 00 degrees 52 minutes 00 seconds East along the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1502.94 feet to a point;

THENCE South 87 degrees 54 minutes 36 seconds West continuing along the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 423.23 feet to a 10" pipe post found; THENCE South 00 degrees 53 minutes 43 seconds West continuing along the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 2175.19 feet to a point; THENCE North 89 degrees 06 minutes 17 seconds West a distance of 7049.52 feet to the Point of BEGINNING and containing 335.39 acres of land, more or less.
(4) City of Fort Worth Municipal Utility District No. 6 of Denton and Wise Counties: BEING a 335.39 acre tract of land situated in the Empson Thompson Survey, Abstract Number 804 and the William Gaffield Survey, Abstract Number 332, Denton and Wise Counties, Texas, said 335.39 acre tract of land being a portion of that certain tract of land conveyed to Alpha Ranch, Ltd. according to the deed recorded in Volume 4645, Page 306, Deed Records, Denton County, Texas, said 335.39 acre tract being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found, said $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ iron pin found being the southwesterly corner of said Alpha Ranch tract; THENCE North 00 degrees 43 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 2113. 14 feet to a point;

THENCE South 89 degrees 06 minutes 17 seconds East a distance of 7049.52 feet to a point, said point being on the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE South 00 degrees 53 minutes 43 seconds West along the easterly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1987.93 feet to a 1" iron pin found, said 1" iron pin found being the southeasterly corner of said Alpha Ranch tract;

THENCE South 89 degrees 23 minutes 29 seconds West along the southerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 5395.82 feet to a 1/2" pipe pin found;

THENCE North 88 degrees 32 minutes 03 seconds West continuing along the southerly line of said Alpha Ranch tract a distance of 1649.05 feet to the Point of BEGINNING and containing 335.39 acres of land, more or less.

SECTION 3. (a) The legal notice of the intention to introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies, officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313, Government Code.
(b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
(c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of
representatives within the required time.
(d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled and accomplished.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

