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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to the creation of Valley Ranch Town Center Management
3	District; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority
4	to impose assessments, fees, or taxes.
5	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
6	SECTION 1. Subtitle C, Title 4, Special District Local Laws
7	Code, is amended by adding Chapter 3941 to read as follows:
8	CHAPTER 3941. VALLEY RANCH TOWN CENTER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
9	SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS
10	Sec. 3941.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:
11	(1) "Board" means the district's board of directors.
12	(2) "County" means Montgomery County.
13	(3) "Director" means a board member.
14	(4) "District" means the Valley Ranch Town Center
15	Management District.
16	Sec. 3941.002. NATURE OF DISTRICT. The Valley Ranch Town
17	Center Management District is a special district created under
18	Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution.
19	Sec. 3941.003. PURPOSE; DECLARATION OF INTENT. (a) The
20	creation of the district is essential to accomplish the purposes of
21	Sections 52 and 52-a, Article III, and Section 59, Article XVI,
22	Texas Constitution, and other public purposes stated in this
23	chapter. By creating the district and in authorizing the county and
24	other political subdivisions to contract with the district, the
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S.B. No. 2044 1 legislature has established a program to accomplish the public 2 purposes set out in Section 52-a, Article III, Texas Constitution. 3 (b) The creation of the district is necessary to promote, develop, encourage, and maintain employment, commerce, 4 transportation, housing, tourism, recreation, 5 the arts, entertainment, economic development, safety, and the public 6 7 welfare in the district. (c) This chapter and the creation of the district may not be 8 9 interpreted to relieve the county from providing the level of services provided as of the effective date of the Act enacting this 10 chapter to the area in the district. The district is created to 11 supplement and not to supplant county services provided in the 12 13 district. Sec. 3941.004. FINDINGS OF BENEFIT AND PUBLIC PURPOSE. 14 15 (a) The district is created to serve a public use and benefit. 16 (b) All land and other property included in the district will benefit from the improvements and services to be provided by 17 18 the district under powers conferred by Sections 52 and 52-a, Article III, and Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and 19 20 other powers granted under this chapter. (c) The creation of the district is in the public interest 21 and is <u>essential to further the public purposes of</u>: 22 23 (1) developing and diversifying the economy of the 24 state; 25 (2) eliminating unemployment and underemployment; and (3) developing or expanding transportation and 26 27 commerce.

1	(d) The district will:
2	(1) promote the health, safety, and general welfare of
3	residents, employers, potential employees, employees, visitors,
4	and consumers in the district, and of the public;
5	(2) provide needed funding for the district to
6	preserve, maintain, and enhance the economic health and vitality of
7	the district territory as a community and business center;
8	(3) promote the health, safety, welfare, and enjoyment
9	of the public by providing pedestrian ways and by landscaping and
10	developing certain areas in the district, which are necessary for
11	the restoration, preservation, and enhancement of scenic beauty;
12	and
13	(4) provide for water, wastewater, drainage, road, and
14	recreational facilities for the district.
15	(e) Pedestrian ways along or across a street, whether at
16	grade or above or below the surface, and street lighting, street
17	landscaping, parking, and street art objects are parts of and
18	necessary components of a street and are considered to be a street
19	or road improvement.
20	(f) The district will not act as the agent or
21	instrumentality of any private interest even though the district
22	will benefit many private interests as well as the public.
23	Sec. 3941.005. INITIAL DISTRICT TERRITORY. (a) The
24	district is initially composed of the territory described by
25	Section 2 of the Act enacting this chapter.
26	(b) The boundaries and field notes contained in Section 2 of
27	the Act enacting this chapter form a closure. A mistake in the

1	field notes or in copying the field notes in the legislative process
2	does not affect the district's:
3	(1) organization, existence, or validity;
4	(2) right to issue any type of bonds for the purposes
5	for which the district is created or to pay the principal of and
6	interest on the bonds;
7	(3) right to impose or collect an assessment or tax; or
8	(4) legality or operation.
9	Sec. 3941.006. ELIGIBILITY FOR INCLUSION IN SPECIAL ZONES.
10	All or any part of the area of the district is eligible to be
11	included in:
12	(1) a tax increment reinvestment zone created under
13	Chapter 311, Tax Code;
14	(2) a tax abatement reinvestment zone created under
15	Chapter 312, Tax Code;
16	(3) an enterprise zone created under Chapter 2303,
17	Government Code; or
18	(4) an industrial district created under Chapter 42,
19	Local Government Code.
20	Sec. 3941.007. APPLICABILITY OF MUNICIPAL MANAGEMENT
21	DISTRICTS LAW. Except as otherwise provided by this chapter,
22	Chapter 375, Local Government Code, applies to the district.
23	Sec. 3941.008. CONSTRUCTION OF CHAPTER. This chapter shall
24	be liberally construed in conformity with the findings and purposes
25	stated in this chapter.
26	SUBCHAPTER B. BOARD OF DIRECTORS
27	Sec. 3941.051. GOVERNING BODY; TERMS. (a) The district is

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1	governed by a board of five voting directors who serve staggered
2	terms of four years, with two or three directors' terms expiring
3	June 1 of each odd-numbered year.
4	(b) The board by resolution may change the number of voting
5	directors on the board if the board determines that the change is in
6	the best interest of the district. The board may not consist of
7	fewer than five or more than nine voting directors.
8	Sec. 3941.052. APPOINTMENT OF VOTING DIRECTORS. The Texas
9	Commission on Environmental Quality shall appoint voting directors
10	from persons recommended by the board.
11	Sec. 3941.053. NONVOTING DIRECTORS. The board may appoint
12	nonvoting directors to serve at the pleasure of the voting
13	directors.
14	Sec. 3941.054. QUORUM. For purposes of determining the
15	requirements for a quorum of the board, the following are not
16	<u>counted:</u>
17	(1) a board position vacant for any reason, including
18	death, resignation, or disqualification;
19	(2) a director who is abstaining from participation in
20	a vote because of a conflict of interest; or
21	(3) a nonvoting director.
22	Sec. 3941.055. COMPENSATION. A director is entitled to
23	receive fees of office and reimbursement for actual expenses as
24	provided by Section 49.060, Water Code. Sections 375.069 and
25	375.070, Local Government Code, do not apply to the board.
26	Sec. 3941.056. INITIAL VOTING DIRECTORS. (a) The initial
27	board consists of the following voting directors:

1 Name of Director Pos. No. 2 1 Jason Tramonte 3 2 Temple Brown 4 3 Steve Sample Melissa Fitzgerald 5 4 5 6 Adam Cohen 7 (b) Of the initial directors, the terms of directors 8 appointed for positions one through three expire June 1, 2017, and 9 the terms of directors appointed for positions four and five expire June 1, 2019. 10 11 (c) Section 3941.052 does not apply to this section. SUBCHAPTER C. POWERS AND DUTIES 12 13 Sec. 3941.101. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES. The district has the powers and duties necessary to accomplish the purposes for 14 15 which the district is created. 16 Sec. 3941.102. IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND SERVICES. The district may provide, design, construct, acquire, improve, 17 relocate, operate, maintain, or finance an improvement project or 18 service using any money available to the district, or contract with 19 20 a governmental or private entity to provide, design, construct, acquire, improve, relocate, operate, maintain, or finance an 21 22 improvement project or service authorized under this chapter or 23 Chapter 375, Local Government Code. Sec. 3941.103. DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION POWERS. 24 The 25 district, using money available to the district, may exercise the powers given to a development corporation under Chapter 505, Local 26 27 Government Code, including the power to own, operate, acquire,

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1	construct, lease, improve, or maintain a project under that
2	chapter.
3	Sec. 3941.104. NONPROFIT CORPORATION. (a) The board by
4	resolution may authorize the creation of a nonprofit corporation to
5	assist and act for the district in implementing a project or
6	providing a service authorized by this chapter.
7	(b) The nonprofit corporation:
8	(1) has each power of and is considered to be a local
9	government corporation created under Subchapter D, Chapter 431,
10	Transportation Code; and
11	(2) may implement any project and provide any service
12	authorized by this chapter.
13	(c) The board shall appoint the board of directors of the
14	nonprofit corporation. The board of directors of the nonprofit
15	corporation shall serve in the same manner as the board of directors
16	of a local government corporation created under Subchapter D,
17	Chapter 431, Transportation Code, except that a board member is not
18	required to reside in the district.
19	Sec. 3941.105. AGREEMENTS; GRANTS. (a) As provided by
20	Chapter 375, Local Government Code, the district may make an
21	agreement with or accept a gift, grant, or loan from any person.
22	(b) The implementation of a project is a governmental
23	function or service for the purposes of Chapter 791, Government
24	Code.
25	Sec. 3941.106. LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES. To protect the
26	public interest, the district may contract with a qualified party,
27	including the county, to provide law enforcement services in the

1 district for a fee. 2 Sec. 3941.107. MEMBERSHIP IN CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS. The 3 district may join and pay dues to a charitable or nonprofit organization that performs a service or provides an activity 4 consistent with the furtherance of a district purpose. 5 6 Sec. 3941.108. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS. (a) The 7 district may engage in activities that accomplish the economic development purposes of the district. 8 9 (b) The district may establish and provide for the administration of one or more programs to promote state or local 10 economic development and to stimulate business and commercial 11 activity in the district, including programs to: 12 13 (1) make loans and grants of public money; and (2) provide district personnel and services. 14 15 (c) The district may create economic development programs 16 and exercise the economic development powers provided to 17 municipalities by: 18 (1) Chapter 380, Local Government Code; and (2) Subchapter A, Chapter 1509, Government Code. 19 20 Sec. 3941.109. PARKING FACILITIES. (a) The district may acquire, lease as lessor or lessee, construct, develop, own, 21 operate, and maintain parking facilities or a system of parking 22 23 facilities, including lots, garages, parking terminals, or other structures or accommodations for parking motor vehicles off the 24 25 streets and related appurtenances. (b) The district's parking facilities serve the public 26 27 purposes of the district and are owned, used, and held for a public

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1	purpose even if leased or operated by a private entity for a term of
2	years.
3	(c) The district's parking facilities are parts of and
4	necessary components of a street and are considered to be a street
5	or road improvement.
6	(d) The development and operation of the district's parking
7	facilities may be considered an economic development program.
8	Sec. 3941.110. ANNEXATION OF LAND. The district may annex
9	land as provided by Subchapter J, Chapter 49, Water Code.
10	Sec. 3941.111. NO EMINENT DOMAIN POWER. The district may
11	not exercise the power of eminent domain.
12	SUBCHAPTER D. GENERAL FINANCIAL PROVISIONS; ASSESSMENTS
13	Sec. 3941.151. DISBURSEMENTS AND TRANSFERS OF MONEY. The
14	board by resolution shall establish the number of directors'
15	signatures and the procedure required for a disbursement or
16	transfer of district money.
17	Sec. 3941.152. MONEY USED FOR IMPROVEMENTS OR SERVICES.
18	The district may acquire, construct, finance, operate, or maintain
19	any improvement or service authorized under this chapter or Chapter
20	375, Local Government Code, using any money available to the
21	district.
22	Sec. 3941.153. PETITION REQUIRED FOR FINANCING SERVICES AND
23	IMPROVEMENTS WITH ASSESSMENTS. (a) The board may not finance a
24	service or improvement project with assessments under this chapter
25	unless a written petition requesting that service or improvement
26	has been filed with the board.
27	(b) A petition filed under Subsection (a) must be signed by

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1	the owners of a majority of the assessed value of real property in
2	the district subject to assessment according to the most recent
3	certified tax appraisal roll for the county.
4	Sec. 3941.154. ASSESSMENTS; LIENS FOR ASSESSMENTS.
5	(a) The board by resolution may impose and collect an assessment
6	for any purpose authorized by this chapter in all or any part of the
7	district.
8	(b) An assessment, a reassessment, or an assessment
9	resulting from an addition to or correction of the assessment roll
10	by the district, penalties and interest on an assessment or
11	reassessment, an expense of collection, and reasonable attorney's
12	fees incurred by the district:
13	(1) are a first and prior lien against the property
14	assessed;
15	(2) are superior to any other lien or claim other than
16	a lien or claim for county, school district, or municipal ad valorem
17	taxes; and
18	(3) are the personal liability of and a charge against
19	the owners of the property even if the owners are not named in the
20	assessment proceedings.
21	(c) The lien is effective from the date of the board's
22	resolution imposing the assessment until the date the assessment is
23	paid. The board may enforce the lien in the same manner that the
24	board may enforce an ad valorem tax lien against real property.
25	(d) The board may make a correction to or deletion from the
26	assessment roll that does not increase the amount of assessment of
27	any parcel of land without providing notice and holding a hearing in

the manner required for additional assessments. 1 2 Sec. 3941.155. TAX AND ASSESSMENT ABATEMENTS. The district may designate reinvestment zones and may grant abatements of 3 4 district taxes or assessments on property in the zones. 5 SUBCHAPTER E. TAXES AND BONDS Sec. 3941.201. ELECTIONS REGARDING TAXES AND 6 BONDS. 7 (a) The district may issue, without an election, bonds, notes, and 8 other obligations secured by: 9 (1) revenue other than ad valorem taxes; or (2) contract payments described by Section 3941.203. 10 11 (b) The district must hold an election in the manner provided by Subchapter L, Chapter 375, Local Government Code, to 12 13 obtain voter approval before the district may impose an ad valorem 14 tax or issue bonds payable from ad valorem taxes. 15 (c) Section 375.243, Local Government Code, does not apply 16 to the district. 17 (d) All or any part of any facilities or improvements that may be acquired by a district by the issuance of its bonds may be 18 submitted as a single proposition or as several propositions to be 19 20 voted on at the election. Sec. 3941.202. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE TAX. (a) 21 If authorized by a majority of the district voters voting at an 22 23 election held in accordance with Section 3941.201, the district may impose an operation and maintenance tax on taxable property in the 24 district in accordance with Section 49.107, Water Code, for any 25 district purpose, including to: 26 27 (1) maintain and operate the district;

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25 other district money, or any combination of those sources of money,	23	obligations payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes,
	24	assessments, impact fees, revenue, contract payments, grants, or
26 to pay for any authorized district purpose.	25	other district money, or any combination of those sources of money,
	26	to pay for any authorized district purpose.
27 (c) The limitation on the outstanding principal amount of	27	(c) The limitation on the outstanding principal amount of

1	bonds, notes, and other obligations provided by Section 49.4645,
2	Water Code, does not apply to the district.
3	Sec. 3941.205. TAXES FOR BONDS. At the time the district
4	issues bonds payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes, the
5	board shall provide for the annual imposition of a continuing
6	direct annual ad valorem tax, without limit as to rate or amount,
7	for each year that all or part of the bonds are outstanding as
8	required and in the manner provided by Sections 54.601 and 54.602,
9	Water Code.
10	SUBCHAPTER F. DISSOLUTION AND MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION
11	Sec. 3941.251. MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION; DISSOLUTION.
12	(a) The district is a "water or sewer district" under Section
13	43.071, Local Government Code.
14	(b) Section 43.075, Local Government Code, applies to the
15	district.
16	(c) Section 375.264, Local Government Code, does not apply
17	to the dissolution of the district by a municipality.
18	SECTION 2. The Valley Ranch Town Center Management District
19	initially includes all territory contained in the following area:
20	Being a 210.64 acres tract of land out of the William Massey
21	Survey, Abstract Number 387, and the William Smith Survey (WM. S.
22	Beaty), Abstract Number 540, Montgomery County, Texas; and being
23	out of and a portion of that certain called 548.300 acre tract of
24	land conveyed to Sig-Valley Ranch, LTD., by Warranty Deed executed
25	December 23, 2003, as recorded in File No. 2003-157058 in the
26	Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas;
27	also being all of that certain called 57.24 acre tract of land

conveyed to Sig-Valley Ranch, LTD., by Warranty deed executed June 1 2 30, 2005, as recorded in File No. 2005-070741 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County Texas; also 3 being all of that certain called 0.7389 acres tract of land conveyed 4 to Valley Ranch Town Center, LTD., as recorded in File Number 5 2008-043809 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, 6 7 Montgomery County, Texas; and being all of that certain called 71.727 acres tract of land conveyed to Valley Ranch Town Center, 8 9 LTD., as recorded in File Number 2007-047721 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas; and being all 10 11 of that certain called 3.5714 acres tract of land conveyed to A-S 96 HWY 59 North-Grand Parkway, L.P. as recorded in File Number 12 2007-087020 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, 13 Montgomery County, Texas; said 210.64 acres tract of land being 14 more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, with 15 16 all bearings being referenced to Texas Coordinate System, Central Zone, North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), CORS96, EPOCH 2002.00; 17

18 BEGINNING at a found 4-inch aluminum disc stamped "TxDOT" for the Northeast corner of said 3.5714 acres tract, the Southeast 19 20 corner of that certain called 1.37 acres tract of land conveyed to E & K Investments as recorded in File Number 99076562 in the Official 21 Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas; also 22 being in the Northwest right-of-way of U.S. 59 23 (320**-**feet 24 right-of-way) as recorded in Volume 516, Pg. 341 in the Montgomery 25 County Deed Records;

THENCE South 12° 02' 45" West, with the Northwest right-of-way of said U.S. 59, 493.05 feet to a found 4-inch aluminum disc stamped

1 "TxDOT" for the Southeast corner of said 3.5714 acres tract and the 2 Northeast corner of that certain called 2.155 acres tract of land 3 conveyed to Martha S. Baker, as recorded in File Number 2001-109901 4 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, 5 Texas;

6 THENCE South 86° 40' 34" West, with the North line of said 7 2.155 acres tract and the South line of said 3.5714 acres tract, 8 262.78 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM 9 ENGINEERING" for the Southwest corner of said 3.5714 acres tract 10 and the Northwest corner of said 2.155 acres tract, and being in the 11 East line of said 57.24 acres tract;

12 THENCE South 03° 15' 06" East with the East line of said 57.24 13 acres tract and the West line of said 2.155 acres tract, 477.39 feet 14 to set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" 15 for the Southwest corner of said 2.155 acres tract and the Northwest 16 corner of said 0.7389 acres tract;

THENCE North 86° 07' 44" East, with the South line of said 2.155 acres tract and the North line of said 0.7389 acres tract, 133.19 feet to a found 4-inch aluminum disc stamped "TxDOT" for the Southeast corner of said 2.155 acres tract and the Northeast corner of said 0.7389 acres tract, and being in the Northwest right-of-way of said U.S. 59;

THENCE South 12° 06' 38" West, with the Northwest right-of-way of said U.S. 59, 502.74 feet to a found 4-inch aluminum disc stamped "TxDOT" for the South corner of said 0.7389 acres tract and a Southwest corner of said 57.24 acres tract;

27 THENCE South 11° 54' 13" West, with the Northwest right-of-way

of said U.S. 59, 246.19 feet to a found concrete monument for corner
 and the beginning of a tangent curve to the right;

3 THENCE continuing with the Northwest right-of-way of said 4 U.S. 59, along said curve to the right having a radius of 523.97 5 feet, an arc length of 475.27 feet, a central angle of 51° 58' 16", 6 and a chord bearing South 37° 56' 17" West, 459.15 feet to a found 7 concrete monument for corner;

8 THENCE South 63° 56' 06" West, continuing with the Northwest 9 right-of-way of said U.S. 59, 392.73 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod 10 with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for corner and the 11 beginning of a tangent curve to the left;

12 THENCE continuing with the Northwest right-of-way of said 13 U.S. 59, along said curve to the left having a radius of 335.48 14 feet, an arc length of 133.24 feet, a central angle of 22° 45' 20", 15 and a chord bearing South 52° 45' 51" West, 132.36 feet to a set 16 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for the 17 southeast corner of said 71.727 acres tract and being in the 18 Proposed North right-of-way of Grand Parkway;

19 THENCE South 85° 28' 53" West, with the Proposed North 20 right-of-way of Grand Parkway and the South line of said 71.727 21 acres tract, 2497.13 feet to a point for corner and the beginning of 22 a tangent curve to the right;

THENCE along said curve to the right, having a radius of 1886.00 feet, an arc length of 339.44 feet, a central angle of 10° 18' 43", and a chord bearing North 89° 21' 46" West, 338.98 feet to a point for corner being in the centerline of White Oak Bayou;

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1 and the Southwesterly lines of the herein described tract, the 2 following courses and distances:

THENCE North 12° 45' 20" West, 43.40 feet to a point for corner; 3 4 THENCE North 23° 29' 16" East, 51.25 feet to a point for corner; THENCE North 33° 14' 49" West, 41.90 feet to a point for corner; 5 THENCE North 62° 47' 32" West, 14.97 feet to a point for corner; 6 _ 7 THENCE North 35° 00' 17" West, 33.24 feet to a point for corner; THENCE North 77° 36' 34" West, 42.16 feet to a point for corner; 8 THENCE North 42° 17' 25" West, 53.80 feet to a point for corner; 9 THENCE North 45° 18' 16" West, 53.91 feet to a point for corner; 10 11 THENCE North 55° 39' 35" West, 35.08 feet to a point for corner; _ THENCE North 76° 24' 26" West, 37.08 feet to a point for corner; 12 _ THENCE North 48° 59' 11" West, 106.48 feet to a point for corner; 13 THENCE North 34° 24' 21" West, 30.40 feet to a point for corner; 14 THENCE North 56° 21' 38" West, 66.27 feet to a point for corner; 15 THENCE North 85° 31' 21" West, 26.27 feet to a point for corner; 16 _ THENCE North 36° 15' 31" West, 109.67 feet to a point for corner; 17 THENCE North 75° 49' 44" West, 24.85 feet to a point for corner; 18 THENCE South 80° 56' 52" West, 41.81 feet to a point for corner; 19 20 THENCE North 83° 19' 45" West, 67.67 feet to a point for corner; 21 THENCE North 66° 30' 42" West, 35.69 feet to a point for corner; -THENCE North 31° 35' 01" West, 41.52 feet to a point for corner; 22 THENCE North 53° 03' 12" West, 37.58 feet to a point for corner; 23 THENCE North 10° 36' 32" East, 22.99 feet to a point for corner; 24 THENCE North N 40° 09' 07" West, 18.26 feet to a point for corner; 25 THENCE North 64° 15' 33" West, 36.09 feet to a point for corner; 26 27 THENCE South 89° 32' 37" West, 22.93 feet to a point for corner;

THENCE North 04° 18' 58" East, 40.40 feet to a point for corner; 1 _ 2 THENCE North 51° 29' 10" West, 21.95 feet to a point for corner; THENCE North 74° 46' 16" West, 24.92 feet to a point for corner; 3 4 THENCE South 68° 05' 35" West, 26.22 feet to a point for corner; THENCE South 04° 28' 48" East, 49.05 feet to a point for corner; 5 THENCE South 39° 20' 23" West, 33.30 feet to a point for corner; 6 _ THENCE North 80° 06' 29" West, 29.12 feet to a point for corner; 7 THENCE North 54° 19' 38" West, 66.25 feet to a point for corner; 8 9 THENCE North 44° 00' 07" West, 67.67 feet to a point for corner; THENCE North 72° 28' 15" West, 58.48 feet to a point for corner; 10 11 THENCE North 53° 00' 58" West, 113.50 feet to a point for corner; _ THENCE North 58° 32' 21" West, 105.66 feet to a point for corner; 12 THENCE North 80° 46' 30" West, 42.17 feet to a point for corner; 13 THENCE North 27° 39' 25" West, 16.86 feet to a point for corner; 14 THENCE North 82° 42' 23" West, 43.55 feet to a point for corner at 15 the Southwest corner of the herein described tract; 16

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17 THENCE North 04° 31' 09" West, 1299.57 feet to a set 3/4-inch 18 iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for corner at 19 the Northwest corner of the herein described tract; also being in 20 the South line of a certain called 0.275 acre tract of land conveyed 21 to Montgomery County, Texas as recorded in File Number 2008-111022 22 in the Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, 23 Texas;

THENCE North 86° 31 04" East with the South line of said 0.275 acres tract, 492.66 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for the southeast corner of said 0.275 acres tract, and being in the West line of that certain called 3.003

1 acres tract of land conveyed to Montgomery County, Texas as 2 recorded in File Number 2008-111021 of the Official Public Records 3 of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas;

THENCE South 03° 28' 56" East with the West line of said 3.003 acres tract, 100.00 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for the Southwest corner of said 3.003 acres tract;

8 THENCE North 86° 31' 04" East with the South line of said 3.003 9 acres tract, 2,290.00 feet to a set 3/4 with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM 10 ENGINEERING" for the Southeast corner of said 3.003 acres tract, 11 and being the Southwest corner of that certain called 0.165 acres 12 tract conveyed to Montgomery County, Texas as recorded in File 13 Number 2008-111022 of the Official Public Records of Real Property, 14 Montgomery County, Texas;

15 THENCE North 86° 32' 59" East with the South line of said 0.165 16 acres tract, 60.00 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped 17 "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" for the Southeast corner of said 0.165 18 acres tract;

THENCE North 03° 28' 56" West with the East line of said 0.165 acres tract, 120.00 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM ENGINEERING" in the North line of said 548.300 acres tract, also being in the South line of that certain called 32.645 acres tract of land conveyed to Montgomery County, as recorded in File Number 2007-102058 of the Official Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas;

THENCE North 86° 32' 59" East with the North line of said 548.300 acres tract and the South line of said 32.645 acres tract of

1 land, 94.65 feet to a set 3/4-iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM 2 ENGINEERING" for the Southeast corner of said 7.479 acres tract, 3 and being the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the right;

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THENCE along said curve to the right, having a radius of
312.28, an arc length of 141.43 feet, a central angle of 25° 56' 53",
and a chord bearing South 17° 28' 08" East, 140.22 feet to found
1/2-inch iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner;
THENCE South 04° 30' 58" East, 690.96 feet to found 1/2-inch

9 iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner;

10 THENCE North 85° 29' 02" East, 812.68 feet to found 1/2-inch 11 iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner and the 12 beginning of a tangent curve to the left;

THENCE along said curve to the left, having a radius of 250.00, an arc length of 312.69 feet, a central angle of 71° 39' 45", and a chord bearing North 49° 39' 08" East, 292.70 feet to found 1/2-inch iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner;

THENCE North 13° 49' 15" East, 580.62 feet to found 1/2-inch iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner and the beginning of a tangent curve to the left;

THENCE along said curve to the left, having a radius of 20 21 270.00, an arc length of 84.42 feet, a central angle of 17° 54' 53", and a chord bearing North 04° 51' 48" East, 84.08 feet to found 22 1/2-inch iron rod with cap stamped "JEFF MOON RPLS 4639" for corner 23 24 being in the North line of said 57.24 acres tract and the South line 25 of that certain called 33.22 acres tract of land conveyed to Joseph Popowitz as recorded in File Number 2001-007697 in the Official 26 27 Public Records of Real Property, Montgomery County, Texas;

1 THENCE North 86° 27' 53" East, with the North line of said 2 57.24 acre tract and the South line of said 33.22 acres tract, 3 723.29 feet to a set 3/4-inch iron rod with cap stamped "DANNENBAUM 4 ENGINEERING" for the Northeast corner of said 57.24 acres tract, 5 also being the Northwest corner of said 3.5714 acres tract of land;

6 THENCE North 86° 27' 53" East, with the North line of said 7 3.5714 acres tract, 392.87 feet to POINT OF BEGINNING; containing 8 210.64 acres of land, more or less.

9 SECTION 3. (a) The legal notice of the intention to 10 introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this 11 Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a 12 copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies, 13 officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished 14 under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313, 15 Government Code.

16 (b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has 17 submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on 18 Environmental Quality.

19 (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed 20 its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, 21 lieutenant governor, and speaker of the house of representatives 22 within the required time.

(d) The general law relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of districts with conservation, reclamation, and road powers and the inclusion of land in those districts has been complied with.

27 (e) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this

1 state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect 2 to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act have been 3 fulfilled and accomplished.

4 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 5 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as 6 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this 7 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 8 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.