By: Birdwell S.B. No. 3048 (Orr)

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to the creation of the Bluebonnet Hills Municipal
3	Management District No. 1; providing authority to issue bonds;
4	providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes;
5	granting a limited power of eminent domain.
6	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
7	SECTION 1. Subtitle C, Title 4, Special District Local Laws
8	Code, is amended by adding Chapter 4016 to read as follows:
9	CHAPTER 4016. BLUEBONNET HILLS MUNICIPAL MANAGEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1
10	SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS
11	Sec. 4016.0101. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:
12	(1) "Board" means the district's board of directors.
13	(2) "City" means the City of Midlothian.
14	(3) "Director" means a board member.
15	(4) "District" means the Bluebonnet Hills Municipal
16	Management District No. 1.
17	Sec. 4016.0102. NATURE OF DISTRICT. The Bluebonnet Hills
18	Municipal Management District No. 1 is a special district created
19	under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution.
20	Sec. 4016.0103. PURPOSE; DECLARATION OF INTENT. (a) The
21	creation of the district is essential to accomplish the purposes of
22	Sections 52 and 52-a, Article III, and Section 59, Article XVI,
23	Texas Constitution, and other public purposes stated in this
24	chapter.

- 1 (b) By creating the district and in authorizing the city and
- 2 other political subdivisions to contract with the district, the
- 3 legislature has established a program to accomplish the public
- 4 purposes set out in Section 52-a, Article III, Texas Constitution.
- 5 (c) The creation of the district is necessary to promote,
- 6 develop, encourage, and maintain employment, commerce,
- 7 transportation, housing, tourism, recreation, the arts,
- 8 entertainment, economic development, safety, and the public
- 9 welfare in the district.
- 10 (d) This chapter and the creation of the district may not be
- 11 interpreted to relieve the city from providing the level of
- 12 services provided as of the effective date of the Act enacting this
- 13 chapter to the area in the district. The district is created to
- 14 supplement and not to supplant city services provided in the
- 15 district.
- Sec. 4016.0104. FINDINGS OF BENEFIT AND PUBLIC PURPOSE.
- 17 (a) All land and other property included in the district will
- 18 benefit from the improvements and services to be provided by the
- 19 district under powers conferred by Sections 52 and 52-a, Article
- 20 III, and Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and other
- 21 powers granted under this chapter.
- 22 (b) The district is created to serve a public use and
- 23 benefit.
- 24 <u>(c) The creation of the district is in the public interest</u>
- 25 and is essential to further the public purposes of:
- 26 (1) developing and diversifying the economy of the
- 27 state;

- 1 (2) eliminating unemployment and underemployment; and
- 2 (3) developing or expanding transportation and
- 3 commerce.
- 4 (d) The district will:
- 5 (1) promote the health, safety, and general welfare of
- 6 residents, employers, potential employees, employees, visitors,
- 7 and consumers in the district, and of the public;
- 8 (2) provide needed funding for the district to
- 9 preserve, maintain, and enhance the economic health and vitality of
- 10 the district territory as a community and business center;
- 11 (3) promote the health, safety, welfare, and enjoyment
- 12 of the public by providing pedestrian ways and by landscaping and
- 13 developing certain areas in the district, which are necessary for
- 14 the restoration, preservation, and enhancement of scenic beauty;
- 15 and
- 16 (4) provide for water, wastewater, drainage, road, and
- 17 <u>recreational facilities for the district.</u>
- 18 (e) Pedestrian ways along or across a street, whether at
- 19 grade or above or below the surface, and street lighting, street
- 20 landscaping, parking, and street art objects are parts of and
- 21 necessary components of a street and are considered to be a street
- 22 <u>or road improvement.</u>
- 23 <u>(f) The district will not act as the agent or</u>
- 24 instrumentality of any private interest even though the district
- 25 will benefit many private interests as well as the public.
- Sec. 4016.0105. INITIAL DISTRICT TERRITORY. (a) The
- 27 district is initially composed of the territory described by

- 1 Section 2 of the Act enacting this chapter.
- 2 (b) The boundaries and field notes contained in Section 2 of
- 3 the Act enacting this chapter form a closure. A mistake in the
- 4 field notes or in copying the field notes in the legislative process
- 5 does not affect the district's:
- 6 (1) organization, existence, or validity;
- 7 (2) right to issue any type of bonds for the purposes
- 8 for which the district is created or to pay the principal of and
- 9 interest on the bonds;
- 10 (3) right to impose or collect an assessment or tax; or
- 11 (4) legality or operation.
- 12 Sec. 4016.0106. ELIGIBILITY FOR INCLUSION IN SPECIAL ZONES.
- 13 All or any part of the area of the district is eligible to be
- 14 <u>includ</u>ed in:
- 15 (1) a tax increment reinvestment zone created under
- 16 Chapter 311, Tax Code; or
- 17 (2) a tax abatement reinvestment zone created under
- 18 Chapter 312, Tax Code.
- 19 Sec. 4016.0107. APPLICABILITY OF MUNICIPAL MANAGEMENT
- 20 DISTRICTS LAW. Except as otherwise provided by this chapter,
- 21 Chapter 375, Local Government Code, applies to the district.
- Sec. 4016.0108. CONSTRUCTION OF CHAPTER. This chapter
- 23 shall be liberally construed in conformity with the findings and
- 24 purposes stated in this chapter.
- SUBCHAPTER B. BOARD OF DIRECTORS
- Sec. 4016.0201. GOVERNING BODY; TERMS. (a) The district is
- 27 governed by a board of five elected directors who serve staggered

- 1 terms of four years.
- 2 (b) Directors are elected in the manner provided by
- 3 Subchapter D, Chapter 49, Water Code.
- 4 Sec. 4016.0202. COMPENSATION; EXPENSES. (a) The district
- 5 may compensate each director in an amount not to exceed \$150 for
- 6 each board meeting. The total amount of compensation for each
- 7 director in one year may not exceed \$7,200.
- 8 (b) A director is entitled to reimbursement for necessary
- 9 and reasonable expenses incurred in carrying out the duties and
- 10 responsibilities of the board.
- 11 (c) Sections 375.069 and 375.070, Local Government Code, do
- 12 not apply to the board.
- Sec. 4016.0203. INITIAL DIRECTORS. (a) The initial board
- 14 consists of the following directors:

15	Pos. No.	Name of Director
16	<u>1</u>	Jake Weaver

- 17 <u>2</u> <u>Cassie Wagner</u>
- 18 3 Dylan Suhy
- 19 <u>4</u> <u>Melanie Wright</u>
- 20 <u>5</u> <u>Haley Sheffield</u>
- 21 (b) Of the initial directors, the terms of directors
- 22 appointed for positions one through three expire June 1, 2027, and
- 23 the terms of directors appointed for positions four and five expire
- 24 June 1, 2029.
- 25 SUBCHAPTER C. POWERS AND DUTIES
- Sec. 4016.0301. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES. The district
- 27 has the powers and duties necessary to accomplish the purposes for

- 1 which the district is created.
- 2 Sec. 4016.0302. IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND SERVICES. (a) The
- 3 district, using any money available to the district for the
- 4 purpose, may provide, design, construct, acquire, improve,
- 5 relocate, operate, maintain, or finance an improvement project or
- 6 service authorized under this chapter or under Chapter 375, Local
- 7 Government Code.
- 8 (b) The district may contract with a governmental or private
- 9 entity to carry out an action under Subsection (a).
- 10 (c) The implementation of a district project or service is a
- 11 governmental function or service for the purposes of Chapter 791,
- 12 Government Code.
- Sec. 4016.0303. NONPROFIT CORPORATION. (a) The board by
- 14 resolution may authorize the creation of a nonprofit corporation to
- 15 assist and act for the district in implementing a project or
- 16 providing a service authorized by this chapter.
- 17 <u>(b) The nonprofit corporation:</u>
- 18 (1) has each power of and is considered to be a local
- 19 government corporation created under Subchapter D, Chapter 431,
- 20 Transportation Code; and
- 21 (2) may implement any project and provide any service
- 22 authorized by this chapter.
- (c) The board shall appoint the board of directors of the
- 24 nonprofit corporation. The board of directors of the nonprofit
- 25 corporation shall serve in the same manner as the board of directors
- 26 of a local government corporation created under Subchapter D,
- 27 Chapter 431, Transportation Code, except that a board member is not

- 1 required to reside in the district.
- 2 Sec. 4016.0304. LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES. To protect the
- 3 public interest, the district may contract with a qualified party,
- 4 including the city, to provide law enforcement services in the
- 5 district for a fee.
- 6 Sec. 4016.0305. MEMBERSHIP IN CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.
- 7 The district may join and pay dues to a charitable or nonprofit
- 8 organization that performs a service or provides an activity
- 9 consistent with the furtherance of a district purpose.
- 10 Sec. 4016.0306. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS. (a) The
- 11 district may engage in activities that accomplish the economic
- 12 development purposes of the district.
- 13 (b) The district may establish and provide for the
- 14 administration of one or more programs to promote state or local
- 15 economic development and to stimulate business and commercial
- 16 <u>activity in the district, including programs to:</u>
- (1) make loans and grants of public money; and
- 18 (2) provide district personnel and services.
- 19 (c) The district may create economic development programs
- 20 and exercise the economic development powers provided to
- 21 municipalities by:
- 22 (1) Chapter 380, Local Government Code; and
- 23 (2) Subchapter A, Chapter 1509, Government Code.
- Sec. 4016.0307. PARKING FACILITIES. (a) The district may
- 25 acquire, lease as lessor or lessee, construct, develop, own,
- 26 operate, and maintain parking facilities or a system of parking
- 27 facilities, including lots, garages, parking terminals, or other

- 1 structures or accommodations for parking motor vehicles off the
- 2 streets and related appurtenances.
- 3 (b) The district's parking facilities serve the public
- 4 purposes of the district and are owned, used, and held for a public
- 5 purpose even if leased or operated by a private entity for a term of
- 6 years.
- 7 (c) The district's parking facilities are parts of and
- 8 necessary components of a street and are considered to be a street
- 9 or road improvement.
- 10 (d) The development and operation of the district's parking
- 11 facilities may be considered an economic development program.
- 12 Sec. 4016.0308. DISBURSEMENTS AND TRANSFERS OF MONEY. The
- 13 board by resolution shall establish the number of directors'
- 14 signatures and the procedure required for a disbursement or
- 15 transfer of district money.
- Sec. 4016.0309. ADDING OR EXCLUDING LAND. Except as
- 17 provided by Section 4016.0310, the district may add or exclude land
- 18 in the manner provided by Subchapter J, Chapter 49, Water Code, or
- 19 by Subchapter H, Chapter 54, Water Code.
- Sec. 4016.0310. DIVISION OF DISTRICT. (a) The district may
- 21 be divided into two or more new districts only if the district:
- 22 <u>(1) has no outstanding bonded debt; and</u>
- 23 (2) is not imposing ad valorem taxes.
- 24 (b) This chapter applies to any new district created by the
- 25 <u>division of the district, and a new district has all the powers and</u>
- 26 duties of the district.
- 27 (c) Any new district created by the division of the district

- 1 may not, at the time the new district is created, contain any land
- 2 outside the area described by Section 2 of the Act enacting this
- 3 chapter.
- 4 (d) The board, on its own motion or on receipt of a petition
- 5 signed by the owner or owners of a majority of the assessed value of
- 6 the real property in the district, may adopt an order dividing the
- 7 district.
- 8 <u>(e)</u> An order dividing the district must:
- 9 (1) name each new district;
- 10 (2) include the metes and bounds description of the
- 11 territory of each new district;
- 12 (3) appoint initial directors for each new district;
- 13 and
- 14 (4) provide for the division of assets and liabilities
- 15 between or among the new districts.
- (f) On or before the 30th day after the date of adoption of
- 17 an order dividing the district, the district shall file the order
- 18 with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality and record the
- 19 order in the real property records of each county in which the
- 20 district is located.
- 21 (g) Any new district created by the division of the district
- 22 must hold an election as required by this chapter to obtain voter
- 23 approval before the district may impose a maintenance tax or issue
- 24 bonds payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes.
- 25 (h) Municipal consent to the creation of the district and to
- 26 the inclusion of land in the district granted under Section
- 27 4016.0506 acts as municipal consent to the creation of any new

- 1 district created by the division of the district and to the
- 2 <u>inclusion of land in the new district.</u>
- 3 Sec. 4016.0311. EMINENT DOMAIN. The district may exercise
- 4 the power of eminent domain in the manner provided by Section
- 5 49.222, Water Code.
- 6 <u>SUBCHAPTER D. ASSESSMENTS</u>
- 7 Sec. 4016.0401. PETITION REQUIRED FOR FINANCING SERVICES
- 8 AND IMPROVEMENTS WITH ASSESSMENTS. (a) The board may not finance a
- 9 service or improvement project with assessments under this chapter
- 10 unless a written petition requesting that service or improvement
- 11 has been filed with the board.
- 12 (b) A petition filed under Subsection (a) must be signed by
- 13 the owners of a majority of the assessed value of real property in
- 14 the district subject to assessment according to the most recent
- 15 certified tax appraisal roll for the county.
- Sec. 4016.0402. ASSESSMENTS; LIENS FOR ASSESSMENTS. (a)
- 17 The board by resolution may impose and collect an assessment for any
- 18 purpose authorized by this chapter in all or any part of the
- 19 district.
- 20 <u>(b) An assessment, a reassessment, or an assessment</u>
- 21 resulting from an addition to or correction of the assessment roll
- 22 by the district, penalties and interest on an assessment or
- 23 reassessment, an expense of collection, and reasonable attorney's
- 24 fees incurred by the district:
- 25 (1) are a first and prior lien against the property
- 26 assessed;
- 27 (2) are superior to any other lien or claim other than

- 1 a lien or claim for county, school district, or municipal ad valorem
- 2 taxes; and
- 3 (3) are the personal liability of and a charge against
- 4 the owners of the property even if the owners are not named in the
- 5 assessment proceedings.
- 6 (c) The lien is effective from the date of the board's
- 7 resolution imposing the assessment until the date the assessment is
- 8 paid. The board may enforce the lien in the same manner that the
- 9 board may enforce an ad valorem tax lien against real property.
- 10 (d) The board may make a correction to or deletion from the
- 11 assessment roll that does not increase the amount of assessment of
- 12 any parcel of land without providing notice and holding a hearing in
- 13 the manner required for additional assessments.
- 14 SUBCHAPTER E. TAXES AND BONDS
- 15 Sec. 4016.0501. TAX ELECTION REQUIRED. (a) The district
- 16 must hold an election in the manner provided by Chapter 49, Water
- 17 Code, or, if applicable, Chapter 375, Local Government Code, to
- 18 obtain voter approval before the district may impose an ad valorem
- 19 tax.
- 20 (b) Section 375.243, Local Government Code, does not apply
- 21 to the district.
- Sec. 4016.0502. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE TAX. (a) If
- 23 authorized by a majority of the district voters voting at an
- 24 election under Section 4016.0501, the district may impose an
- 25 operation and maintenance tax on taxable property in the district
- 26 in the manner provided by Section 49.107, Water Code, for any
- 27 <u>district purpose</u>, including to:

- 1 (1) maintain and operate the district;
- 2 (2) construct or acquire improvements; or
- 3 (3) provide a service.
- 4 (b) The board shall determine the operation and maintenance
- 5 tax rate. The rate may not exceed the rate approved at the
- 6 election.
- 7 Sec. 4016.0503. AUTHORITY TO BORROW MONEY AND TO ISSUE
- 8 BONDS AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS. (a) The district may borrow money on
- 9 terms determined by the board.
- 10 (b) The district may issue, by public or private sale,
- 11 bonds, notes, or other obligations payable wholly or partly from ad
- 12 valorem taxes, assessments, impact fees, revenue, contract
- 13 payments, grants, or other district money, or any combination of
- 14 those sources of money, to pay for any authorized district purpose.
- 15 (c) The district may issue, by public or private sale,
- 16 bonds, notes, or other obligations payable wholly or partly from
- 17 assessments in the manner provided by Subchapter A, Chapter 372,
- 18 Local Government Code, if the improvement financed by the
- 19 obligation issued under this section will be conveyed to or
- 20 operated and maintained by a municipality or other retail utility
- 21 provider pursuant to an agreement with the district entered into
- 22 before the issuance of the obligation.
- Sec. 4016.0504. BONDS SECURED BY REVENUE OR CONTRACT
- 24 PAYMENTS. The district may issue, without an election, bonds
- 25 secured by:
- 26 (1) revenue other than ad valorem taxes, including
- 27 contract revenues; or

2 of Section 49.108, Water Code, have been met. Sec. 4016.0505. BONDS SECURED BY AD VALOREM 3 TAXES; ELECTIONS. (a) If authorized at an election under Section 4 4016.0501, the district may issue bonds payable from ad valorem 5 6 taxes. 7 (b) At the time the district issues bonds payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes, the board shall provide for the annual 8 9 imposition of a continuing direct annual ad valorem tax, without limit as to rate or amount, for each year that all or part of the 10 11 bonds are outstanding as required and in the manner provided by Sections 54.601 and 54.602, Water Code. 12 13 (c) All or any part of any facilities or improvements that may be acquired by a district by the issuance of its bonds may be 14 submitted as a single proposition or as several propositions to be 15 voted on at the election. 16 17 Sec. 4016.0506. CONSENT OF MUNICIPALITY REQUIRED. (a) The board may not issue bonds until each municipality in whose 18 corporate limits or extraterritorial jurisdiction the district is 19 20 located has consented by ordinance or resolution to the creation of

(2) contract payments, provided that the requirements

23 <u>(b) This section applies only to the district's first</u>
24 issuance of bonds payable from ad valorem taxes.

the district and to the inclusion of land in the district as

25 SUBCHAPTER I. DISSOLUTION

required by applicable law.

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26 <u>Sec. 4016.0901. DISSOLUTION. (a) The board shall dissolve</u> 27 the district on written petition filed with the board by the owners

- 1 of:
- 2 (1) at least two-thirds of the assessed value of the
- 3 property subject to assessment by the district based on the most
- 4 recent certified county property tax rolls; or
- 5 (2) at least two-thirds of the surface area of the
- 6 district, excluding roads, streets, highways, utility
- 7 rights-of-way, other public areas, and other property exempt from
- 8 assessment by the district according to the most recent certified
- 9 county property tax rolls.
- 10 (b) The board by majority vote may dissolve the district at
- 11 any time.
- 12 <u>(c)</u> The district may not be dissolved by its board under
- 13 Subsection (a) or (b) if the district:
- 14 (1) has any outstanding bonded indebtedness until that
- 15 bonded indebtedness has been repaid or defeased in accordance with
- 16 the order or resolution authorizing the issuance of the bonds;
- 17 (2) has a contractual obligation to pay money until
- 18 that obligation has been fully paid in accordance with the
- 19 contract; or
- 20 (3) owns, operates, or maintains public works,
- 21 facilities, or improvements unless the district contracts with
- 22 <u>another person for the ownership, operation, or maintenance of the</u>
- 23 public works, facilities, or improvements.
- 24 (d) Sections 375.261, 375.262, and 375.264, Local
- 25 Government Code, do not apply to the district.
- 26 SECTION 2. The Bluebonnet Hills Municipal Management
- 27 District No. 1 initially includes all territory contained in the

- 1 following area:
- 2 TRACT 1:
- 3 Being a tract of land situated in the John Chamblee Survey, Abstract
- 4 No. 192, in the M.E.P. & P. Railroad Survey, Abstract No. 761 and in
- 5 the Allen Reeves Survey, Abstract No. 939, Ellis County, Texas, and
- 6 being part of a called 367.8751 acre tract of land conveyed to
- 7 Fulson Midlothian Partners I, LP by deed recorded in Volume 2220,
- 8 Page 194, Official Public Records, Ellis County, Texas and part of a
- 9 145.15 acre tract of land conveyed to Fulson Midlothian Partners I,
- 10 LP by deed recorded in Volume 2214, Page 2136, Deed Records, Ellis
- 11 County, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:
- 12 Beginning at a 1/2" iron pin found with orange cap stamped
- 13 "8172753361" on the northwest line of said 367.8751 acre tract, on
- 14 the southeast line of a 406.638 acre tract of land conveyed to One
- 15 Windsor Hills, LP by deed recorded in Volume 2206, Page 1415, Deed
- 16 Records, Ellis County, Texas and being the north corner of Tract 4,
- 17 a 9.607 acre tract of land conveyed to Kruthin, LLC by deed recorded
- 18 in Instrument No. 2136939, Official Public Records, Ellis County,
- 19 Texas;
- 20 Thence, North 58°46'14" East, along the northwest line of said
- 21 367.8751 acre tract and the southeast line of said 406.638 acre
- 22 tract, a distance of 3299.91 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow
- 23 cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for an east corner of said 406.638
- 24 acre tract and a re-entrant corner of said 367.8751 acre tract;
- 25 Thence, North 30°05'16" West, along an easterly line of said 406.638
- 26 acre tract and a westerly line of said 367.8751 acre tract, a
- 27 distance of 291.53 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow cap

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- 1 stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the northwest corner of said
- 2 367.8751 acre tract and being on the south line of Kimble Road (no
- 3 recorded R.O.W.);
- 4 Thence, North $73^{\circ}16'08"$ East, along the northerly line of said
- 5 367.8751 acre tract and the southerly line of said Kimble Road, a
- 6 distance of 1043.50 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow cap
- 7 stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the northeast corner of said
- 8 367.8751 acre tract and the northwest corner of Tract II, a 239.022
- 9 acre tract of land conveyed to Cann Real Estates, LTD. By deed
- 10 recorded in Volume 1659, Page 719, Deed Records, Ellis County,
- 11 Texas, said point being South $44^{\circ}38'47''$ East, a distance of 6.30
- 12 feet from a 1/2" iron pin found;
- 13 Thence, South 28°18'19" East, along the easterly line of said
- 14 367.8751 acre tract and the westerly line of said 239.022 acre
- 15 tract, a distance of 1164.51 feet to a mag nail found in wood post
- 16 for corner;
- 17 Thence, South 23°33'43" East, along the easterly line of said
- 18 367.8751 acre tract and the westerly line of said 239.022 acre
- 19 tract, passing at a distance of 2774.10 feet to a 1/2" iron pin
- 20 found with red cap stamped "GEER RPLS 4117" for a northeast corner
- 21 of said 145.15 acre tract and continuing for a total distance of
- 22 2820.97 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found for the southwest corner of
- 23 said 239.022 acre tract and a re-entrant corner of said 145.15 acre
- 24 tract;
- 25 Thence, North $55^{\circ}33'31''$ West, a distance of 802.05 feet to a 1/2''
- 26 iron pin found with pink cap stamped "8172753361" for corner;
- 27 Thence, South $49^{\circ}51'21"$ West, a distance of 1279.89 feet to a 1/2"

- 1 iron pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for corner
- 2 on the northwest line of Tract 8, a 26.698 acre tract of land
- 3 conveyed to Kruthin, LLC by deed recorded in Instrument
- 4 No. 2136939, Official Public Records, Ellis County, Texas;
- 5 Thence, North $45^{\circ}24'41''$ West, a distance of 39.61 feet to a 1/2'' iron
- 6 pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the south
- 7 corner of a 26.861 acre tract of land conveyed to Canvas Midlothian
- 8 I Owner, LLC by deed recorded in Instrument No. 2156284, Official
- 9 Public Records, Ellis County, Texas;
- 10 Thence, North 44°35'09" East, along the southeast line of said
- 11 26.861 acre tract, a distance of 78.68 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set
- 12 with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the beginning of a
- 13 curve to the left having a central angle of 82°02'57", a radius of
- 14 955.00 feet and a chord bearing of North 03°33'51" East, a distance
- 15 of 1253.69 feet;
- 16 Thence, northeasterly, along the easterly line of said 26.861 acre
- 17 tract and said curve to the left, an arc distance of 1367.59 feet to
- 18 a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for
- 19 the end of said curve;
- 20 Thence, North 37°27'37" West, along the easterly line of said 26.861
- 21 acre tract, a distance of 16.23 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with
- 22 yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the northeast corner of
- 23 said 26.861 acre tract;
- 24 Thence, South $82^{\circ}50'47"$ West, along the north line of said 26.861
- 25 acre tract, a distance of 1059.46 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with
- 26 yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the northwest corner of
- 27 said 26.861 acre tract;

- 1 Thence, South $07^{\circ}09'13''$ East, along the west line of said 26.861
- 2 acre tract, a distance of 763.01 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with
- 3 yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the southwest corner of
- 4 said 26.861 acre tract;
- 5 Thence, North $74^{\circ}43'29''$ West, a distance of 86.40 feet to a 1/2'' iron
- 6 pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the
- 7 beginning of a curve to the left having a central angle of $16^{\circ}12'38"$,
- 8 a radius of 850.00 feet and a chord bearing of North $82^{\circ}49'43''$ West,
- 9 a distance of 239.69 feet;
- 10 Thence, northwesterly, along said curve to the left, an arc
- 11 distance of 240.49 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow cap
- 12 stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for corner on the east line of Tract
- 13 III, a 2.599 acre tract of land conveyed to Shiloh C.C., Inc. by
- 14 deed recorded in Instrument No. 1926898, Official Public Records,
- 15 Ellis County, Texas;
- 16 Thence, North $07^{\circ}32'48"$ West, along the east line of said Tract III
- 17 and the east line of Tract II, a 5.002 acre tract of land conveyed to
- 18 Shiloh C.C., Inc. by deed recorded in Instrument No. 1926898,
- 19 Official Public Records, Ellis County, Texas, a distance of 715.95
- 20 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found for the northeast corner of said Tract
- 21 II;
- 22 Thence, South 82°27'14" West, along the north line of said Tract II
- 23 and the north line of Tract I, a 0.931 acre tract of land conveyed to
- 24 Shiloh C.C., Inc. by deed recorded in Instrument No. 1926898,
- 25 Official Public Records, Ellis County, Texas, a distance of 869.58
- 26 feet to a 1/2" iron pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS
- 27 5129" for the west corner of said Tract I and on the northeast line

- 1 of Padera Lakeside Addition, an addition to the City of Midlothian,
- 2 Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Cabinet J, Page
- 3 335, Plat Records, Ellis County, Texas;
- 4 Thence, North $60^{\circ}16'52"$ West, along the northeast line of said
- 5 Padera Lakeside Addition, a distance of 130.64 feet to a 1/2" iron
- 6 pin set with yellow cap stamped "CCG INC RPLS 5129" for the north
- 7 corner of said Padera Lakeside Addition;
- 8 Thence, North $60^{\circ}28'03''$ West, a distance of 31.09 feet to a 1/2'' iron
- 9 pin found with pink cap stamped "DTS 8172753361" for corner;
- 10 Thence, North $72^{\circ}02'20''$ West, a distance of 601.32 feet to a 1/2''
- 11 iron pin found with pink cap stamped "DTS 8172753361" for corner;
- 12 Thence, South $62^{\circ}49'32''$ West, a distance of 458.28 feet to a 1/2''
- iron pin found with pink cap stamped "DTS 8172753361" for corner;
- 14 Thence, South $06^{\circ}55'23''$ East, a distance of 559.76 feet to a 1/2''
- 15 iron pin found for corner on the northeast right-of-way line of U.S.
- 16 Highway No. 287 (variable width R.O.W.);
- 17 Thence, North 63°21'02" West, along the northeast right-of-way line
- 18 of U.S. Highway No. 287 (variable width R.O.W.), a distance of
- 19 79.31 feet to a concrete monument found for corner;
- 20 Thence, North 60°52'22" West, along the northeast right-of-way line
- 21 of U.S. Highway No. 287 (variable width R.O.W.), a distance of
- 22 66.98 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found with orange cap stamped
- 23 "8172753361" for the southeast corner of said Tract 4, a 9.607 acre
- 24 tract;
- 25 Thence, North 07°06'20" West, along the east line of said Tract 4, a
- 26 distance of 493.69 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found with orange cap
- 27 stamped "8172753361" for corner;

- 1 Thence, North 50°07'14" West, along the northeast line of said Tract
- 2 4, a distance of 431.52 feet to a 1/2" iron pin found with orange cap
- 3 stamped "8172753361" for corner;
- 4 Thence, North 00°27'34" West, along the east line of said Tract 4, a
- 5 distance of 276.56 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing
- 6 8,974,410 square feet or 206.024 acres of land.
- 7 TRACT 2:
- 8 BEING a tract of land situated in the Allen Reeves Survey, Abstract
- 9 Number 939, the John Chamblee Survey, Abstract Number 192 and the
- 10 J.B. Littlepage Survey, Abstract Number 643, Ellis County, Texas
- 11 and being all of a tract of land described by deed to Cann Real
- 12 Estate, LTD. recorded in Volume 1659, Page 719 (Tract II) of the
- 13 Deed Records Ellis County, Texas, and being more particularly
- 14 described as follows:
- 15 BEGINNING at a Flat iron blade found in a field for the southwest
- 16 corner of said Cann tract, said point also lying on the northerly
- 17 line of a tract of land to Fulsom Midlothian Partners, L.P. recorded
- 18 in Volume 2214, Page 2136 of said Deed Records at an inner ell
- 19 corner of same;
- 20 THENCE North 23 degrees 33 minutes 29 seconds West along the west
- 21 line of said Cann tract passing a 1/2 inch iron rod with cap stamped
- 22 "R.P.L.S. 4117" found for a northerly corner of said Fulsom tract,
- 23 same being the most northerly southeast corner of a tract of land to
- 24 Fulsom Midlothian Partners, L.P. recorded in Volume 2220, Page 194
- 25 of said Deed Records at a distance of 46.53 feet, and continuing
- 26 along the common line of said Cann tract and said Fulsom tract
- 27 recorded in Volume 2220, Page 194, a total a distance of 2820.45

- 1 feet to a MAG NAIL found in a wood fence post at an angle point on
- 2 said common line;
- 3 THENCE North 28 degrees 23 minutes 56 seconds West continuing along
- 4 said common line and generally along a barbed wire fence, a distance
- 5 of 1170.80 feet to 5/8 inch iron rod found in a dirt drive at the
- 6 general projection of the near center of Auger Road for the
- 7 northwest corner of said Cann tract, the northeast corner of said
- 8 Fulsom tract recorded in Volume 2220, Page 194 and lying on the
- 9 south line of a tract of land to One Windsor Hills, L.P. recorded in
- 10 Volume 2181, Page 1640 of said Deed Records;
- 11 THENCE along the northerly line of said Cann tract and generally
- 12 along Auger Road the following courses and distances;
- 13 North 74 degrees 39 minutes 18 seconds East, a distance of 8.56 feet
- 14 to 5/8 inch iron rod with cap stamped "R.P.L.S. 5430" set for
- 15 corner;
- 16 THENCE North 77 degrees 59 minutes 17 seconds East passing the
- 17 southwest corner of a tract of land to One Windsor Hills, L.P.
- 18 recorded in Volume 2202, Page 1293 of said Deed Records, and
- 19 continuing a total distance of 497.21 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod
- 20 found for corner:
- 21 South 84 degrees 33 minutes 17 seconds East, a distance of 619.13
- 22 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod found for corner;
- 23 North 81 degrees 34 minutes 16 seconds East, a distance of 521.44
- 24 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod found for the southeast corner of said One
- 25 Windsor Hills, L.P. recorded in Volume 2202, Page 1293 and the
- 26 southwest corner of a tract of land to The City of Midlothian
- 27 recorded in Volume 491, Page 81 of said Deed Records;

- 1 North 84 degrees 21 minutes 49 seconds East along the common line of
- 2 said Cann tract and said City tract, a distance of 205.64 feet to
- 3 1/2 inch iron rod found for corner;
- 4 North 88 degrees 25 minutes 58 seconds East continuing along said
- 5 common line, a distance of 829.02 feet to a 5/8 inch iron rod with
- 6 cap stamped "R.P.L.S. 5430" set for the northeast corner of said
- 7 Cann tract and the southeast corner of said City tract;
- 8 South 00 degrees 46 minutes 10 seconds East a distance of 976.31
- 9 feet to 5/8 inch iron rod with cap stamped "R.P.L.S. 5430" set for
- 10 corner;
- 11 South 89 degrees 57 minutes 42 seconds East a distance of 142.80
- 12 feet to 5/8 inch iron rod with cap stamped "R.P.L.S. 5430" set for
- 13 corner;
- 14 THENCE South 58 degrees 00 minutes 17 seconds East departing Auger
- 15 Road and passing the northwest corner of Overlook Estates IV an
- 16 addition to The City of Midlothian as recorded in Cabinet F, Page
- 17 187 of the Plat Records of Ellis County, Texas, a total distance of
- 18 301.58 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 19 THENCE along the common line of said Cann tract and said Overlook
- 20 Estates the following courses and distances;
- 21 South 63 degrees 43 minutes 33 seconds East, a distance of 214.61
- 22 feet to 5/8 inch iron rod with cap stamped "R.P.L.S. 5430" set for
- 23 corner;
- 24 South 41 degrees 22 minutes 28 seconds East, a distance of 66.05
- 25 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 26 South 24 degrees 18 minutes 05 seconds West, a distance of 90.50
- 27 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;

- S.B. No. 3048
- 1 South 24 degrees 57 minutes 58 seconds East, a distance of 23.23
- 2 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 3 North 80 degrees 48 minutes 32 seconds East, a distance of 68.55
- 4 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 5 South 30 degrees 52 minutes 50 seconds East, a distance of 252.81
- 6 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 7 North 72 degrees 27 minutes 37 seconds East, a distance of 54.51
- 8 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 9 South 37 degrees 16 minutes 38 seconds East, a distance of 80.19
- 10 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 11 South 01 degrees 09 minutes 54 seconds East, a distance of 97.03
- 12 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 13 South 29 degrees 02 minutes 50 seconds East, a distance of 224.48
- 14 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 15 South 08 degrees 17 minutes 52 seconds West, a distance of 53.22
- 16 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 17 South 71 degrees 58 minutes 49 seconds East, a distance of 42.96
- 18 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 19 South 68 degrees 32 minutes 23 seconds East, a distance of 79.06
- 20 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 21 South 42 degrees 51 minutes 10 seconds East, a distance of 280.02
- 22 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 23 North 77 degrees 23 minutes 36 seconds East, a distance of 57.39
- 24 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 25 South 23 degrees 51 minutes 49 seconds East, a distance of 79.75
- 26 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod stamped "N.D.M." found for corner;
- 27 South 70 degrees 56 minutes 56 seconds East, a distance of 20.25

- 1 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod found for the north corner of a tract of
- 2 land to Highway 67 28 Acre Partners, LTD. as recorded in Volume
- 3 2500, Page 1322 of said Deed Records;
- 4 THENCE South 60 degrees 23 minutes 41 seconds West along the common
- 5 line of said Cann tract and said Highway 67 tract a, distance of
- 6 50.72 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod found for corner;
- 7 THENCE South 32 degrees 36 minutes 05 seconds East continuing along
- 8 the common line of said Cann tract and said Highway 67 tract, a
- 9 distance of 1729.77 feet to 1/2 inch iron rod found for the
- 10 southeast corner of said Cann tract;
- 11 THENCE North 89 degrees 36 minutes 46 seconds West along the south
- 12 line of said Cann tract, a distance of 986.95 feet to 1/2 inch iron
- 13 rod found for corner at an angle point in same;
- 14 THENCE South 89 degrees 48 minutes 13 seconds West, a distance of
- 15 2310.83 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING containing 10,557,874 square
- 16 Feet, or 242.375 acres of land.
- 17 SECTION 3. (a) The legal notice of the intention to
- 18 introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this
- 19 Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a
- 20 copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies,
- 21 officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished
- 22 under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313,
- 23 Government Code.
- 24 (b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has
- 25 submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on
- 26 Environmental Quality.
- 27 (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed

- 1 its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor,
- 2 lieutenant governor, and speaker of the house of representatives
- 3 within the required time.
- 4 (d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this
- 5 state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect
- 6 to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act have been
- 7 fulfilled and accomplished.
- 8 SECTION 4. (a) Section 4016.0311, Special District Local
- 9 Laws Code, as added by Section 1 of this Act, takes effect only if
- 10 this Act receives a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to
- 11 each house.
- 12 (b) If this Act does not receive a two-thirds vote of all the
- 13 members elected to each house, Subchapter C, Chapter 4016, Special
- 14 District Local Laws Code, as added by Section 1 of this Act, is
- 15 amended by adding Section 4016.0311 to read as follows:
- Sec. 4016.0311. NO EMINENT DOMAIN POWER. The district may
- 17 not exercise the power of eminent domain.
- SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 19 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 20 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 21 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 22 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.