LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Resolution No. 17-004

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT DESIGNATING MARCH 5-11 AS "NATIONAL GROUNDWATER AWARENESS WEEK"

WHEREAS, it is beneficial and necessary for the public to better understand and appreciate the value of groundwater to their communities and;

WHEREAS, the National Groundwater Association has designated one week each year "National Groundwater Awareness Week" to bring such attention to groundwater, such week this year being March 5 through March 11, and;

WHEREAS, protection of the Gulf Coast Aquifer within the boundaries of Montgomery County is an essential purpose of Lone Star Groundwater Conservation District, as authorized by the 77th Texas Legislature through House Bill 2362 and;

WHEREAS, protection of the Gulf Coast Aquifer is absolutely essential to the further economic development of Montgomery County and, further, such protection requires reduction of aquifer use to a sustainable level by means of conservation of water resources and use of alternative water supplies and;

WHEREAS, public understanding and support for alternative water supplies and robust conservation measures are prerequisites for effective action by water suppliers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Board of Directors of the District encourages the public within Montgomery County to mark "National Groundwater Awareness Week" as March 5-11, 2017 by learning about and discussing ways to best protect the Gulf Coast Aquifer, the cornerstone of the county's economic development.

2. The General Manager is authorized to take any and all action necessary for the implementation of this resolution.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of February, 2017

LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

By: _____
Richard J. Tramm, Board President

ATTEST:

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Rick Moffatt, Board Secretary