

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE APPLICATION TO RECEIVE FUNDING TO CONSTRUCT
THE 183A SOUTH BRUSHY CREEK PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE FROM THE STATEWIDE
TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION AND PROVIDE A LOCAL FUNDING MATCH
IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$65,000**

WHEREAS, the Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority (CTRMA) is a regional transportation agency established by Travis and Williamson County; and

WHEREAS, CTRMA is proposing to design and construct a pedestrian bridge which would connect the 183A Shared Use Path with Williamson County's South Brushy Creek Regional Trail, thus providing safe pedestrian/bicycle access and travel throughout the Cedar Park, Leander and Austin's Avery Ranch communities; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is currently accepting project nominations for consideration of federal funds under the Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program (STEP); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the TxDOT STEP rules, Williamson County has agreed to be the local government sponsor of the application; and

WHEREAS, CTRMA has prepared a STEP project nomination application that requests federal funds for 80% of the construction costs for the 183A South Brushy Creek Pedestrian Bridge.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF
WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS:**

SECTION 1. The County staff is hereby authorized and directed to coordinate with the Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority (CTRMA) staff to submit a Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program (STEP) project nomination in compliance with TxDOT program rules and the County agrees to be the local government sponsor of the application.

SECTION 2. Williamson County will apply for funding through the Texas Department of Transportation. The County agrees to support the project's development, implementation, construction, maintenance, management, and financing.

The County further agrees to provide an amount not to exceed \$65,000 to help meet the required local match of 20% of the total project cost. CTRMA will fund the remaining \$65,000 to meet the 20% required local contribution.

SECTION 3. That it is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution is passed is open to the public and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the ____ day of December 2009.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS

Name, Title

Presiding Judge
12-8-09

ATTEST

Danaye E. Renteria