

THAT ON THIS, the 9th day of May 2017, the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas, met in duly called session at the Courthouse in Georgetown, with the following members present;

> Terry Cook, Commissioner, Precinct One Cynthia P. Long, Commissioner, Precinct Two Valerie Covey, Commissioner, Precinct Three Larry Madsen, Commissioner, Precinct Four

And at said meeting, among other business, the Court considered the following

## RESOLUTION

Recognizing 2017 as the 91st anniversary of the International Economic Development Council and May 8 - 13, 2017 as "Economic Development Week" and

WHEREAS, economic developers in Williamson County promote economic well-being and quality of life for their respective communities by helping companies accelerate the pace of creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that facilitate growth, enhance wealth, and provide a stable tax base; and

WHEREAS, economic developers in Williamson County stimulate and incubate entrepreneurism in order to create the next generation of new businesses, which is the hallmark of the American economy; and

WHEREAS, economic developers in Williamson County attract and retain high-quality jobs, develop vibrant communities, and improve the quality of life for the entire region; and

WHEREAS, the International Economic Development Council is the largest professional economic development organization dedicated to serving economic developers globally; and

WHEREAS, the International Economic Development Council provides leadership and excellence in economic development for communities, members, and partners through conferences, training courses, advisory services and research, in-depth publications, public policy advocacy, and initiatives such as the Accredited Economic Development Organization program and the Certified Economic Developer designation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Williamson County Commissioners Court does hereby recognize May 8 - 13, 2017 as "Economic Development Week" in Williamson County and remind individuals of the importance of this community celebration which supports the expansion of career opportunities and improving quality of life for all citizens.

RESOLVED THIS 9th DAY OF MAY, 2017

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Nancy E. Rister
Williamson County Clerk

Commissioner, Precinct Three