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A RESOLUTION TO GIVE CONSENT FOR THE CITY OF PAYNE SPRINGS, TEXAS, TO BE INCLUDED IN A RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

WHEREAS, a written request was received at the regular meeting of the City Council of Payne Springs, Texas, on November 15, 1994, for the City to be included in a Rural Fire Prevention District (RFPD); and

WHEREAS, this request came from members of the Payne Springs Volunteer Fire Dept,, Inc. (PSVFD) and concerned citizens residing in the area served by the PSVFD; and

WHEREAS, two presentations were given by Patrick Beets of the PSVFD followed by a question and answer sessions and much discussion from the Council Members and citizens in attendance; and

WHEREAS, creation of a RFPD would allow a more stable source of funding for the PSVFD, would improve public safety, welfare and convenience and would aid in conserving real property and/or natural resources for the citizens of Payne Springs and the citizens in the extra territorial jurisdiction of Payne Springs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens of Payne Springs that the citizens by an election make the final decision for the City to be included in an RFPD;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF PAYNE SPRINGS, TEXAS, THAT

- SECTION 1. The City Council does hereby give consent for the City of Payne Springs to be included in a Rural Fire Protection District if the Henderson County Commissioners Court orders an election and if the majority of citizens of Payne Springs votes in favor of the creation of an RFPD.
- SECTION 2. 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, all as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a Special Meeting of the City Council of Payne Springs, Texas, on this 10th day of January, 1995.

APPROVED:

DICK HENDERSON, MAYOR

ATTEST.

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JO ANNE WALKER

ACTING CITY SECRETARY