



*Resolution*

*Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce*

**WHEREAS**, the mission of the Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce is to be “Champions for Business Success and Quality of Life in our Community”; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce serves 125 square miles, a population of approximately 250,000 in nine cities within portions of Harris and Galveston Counties including the City of League City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of League City is proposing a bond and sales tax referendum including \$73M for flood protection and drainage improvements, \$72M for streets, roadways, and mobility improvements, and a ¼ cent sales tax to fund roadway, traffic mobility, and draining improvements in the City of League City on the May 4, 2019 city ballot; and

**WHEREAS**, this bond and sales tax referendum was created with the input of the residents of League City and focuses on the two highest voted issues of city residents in a recent survey: transportation and flood mitigation; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of League City has held months of presentations, discussions, meetings, surveys, and hearings to get input and guidance from as many stakeholders as possible to identify the projects selected; and,

**WHEREAS**, transportation and flood mitigation are key drivers for economic development, business success, and quality of life in the region; and,

**WHEREAS**, the ¼ cent sales tax is a user tax that is already existing in 97% of Texas municipalities;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Directors of the Clear Lake Area Chamber of Commerce does hereby support the City of League City’s proposed bond and sales tax referendum on the May 4, 2019 city ballot.

**PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 19<sup>th</sup> DAY OF March, 2019**

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Brian Freedman  
Chairman of the Board

Handwritten signature of Cindy Harreld-DeWease in black ink.

Cindy Harreld-DeWease  
President and CEO