



**A RESOLUTION OF THE MADISON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT
REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ADDITIONAL DATA CENTERS IN THE STATE OF
TEXAS**

WHEREAS, data center construction has increased substantially across Texas; and

WHEREAS, data centers are critical infrastructure supporting commerce, communications, artificial intelligence, cloud computing, and national security; and

WHEREAS, responsible planning is necessary to protect electric grid reliability, water resources, public infrastructure, agriculture, and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, counties have limited authority over the siting and regulation of large-scale data centers but bear many of the infrastructure impacts associated with such developments; and

SECTION 1. POSITION OF THE COURT

The Madison County Commissioners Court supports responsible economic development. The Court encourages safeguards that protect grid reliability, water resources, public infrastructure, and surrounding landowners.

SECTION 2. TRANSPARENCY AND REPORTING

The Court urges state agencies and developers to provide transparent reporting regarding projected electricity demand, water consumption, and infrastructure impacts.

SECTION 3. INDEPENDENT IMPACT ANALYSIS

The Court encourages independent assessments of grid impacts, water availability, infrastructure costs, environmental effects, and impacts on surrounding land uses before approval of large-scale projects.

SECTION 4. RESOURCE SUSTAINABILITY STANDARDS

The Court supports water-efficient technologies, reclaimed water use where feasible, and demand-response measures that help maintain grid stability.

SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE ACTION REQUESTED

The Court respectfully requests that the Governor and Texas Legislature evaluate grid reliability, water consumption, infrastructure impacts, and local government participation in planning related to large-scale data center developments.

SECTION 6. DISTRIBUTION

Copies of this Resolution shall be transmitted to appropriate state and local officials.

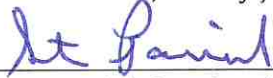
SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE

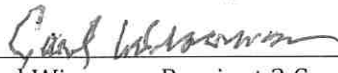
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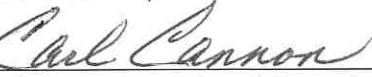
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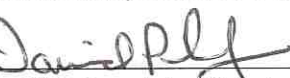
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