RESOLUTION OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CARSON COUNTY, TEXAS DESIGNATING CARSON COUNTY REINVESTMENT ZONE 13

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING A CERTAIN AREA AS A REINVESTMENT ZONE FOR A COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL TAX ABATEMENT IN CARSON COUNTY, TEXAS, ESTABLISHING THE BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Whereas, the Commissioners Court of Carson County, Texas, desires to promote the development or redevelopment of a certain contiguous geographic area within its jurisdiction by the creation of a reinvestment zone as authorized by the Property Redevelopment and Tax Abatement Act, as amended (Texas Property Tax Code §312.001, et seq.), and the Guidelines and Criteria of the Commissioners Court of Carson County for Granting a Tax Abatement in Reinvestment Zone created in Carson County, Texas and adopted on May 13, 2025 (the "Guidelines"); and

Whereas, on November 10, 2025, a hearing before the Commissioners' Court of Carson County, Texas, was held, such date being at least thirty (30) days after the date of publication of the notice of such public hearing in a newspaper of general circulation in Carson County; and

Whereas the Commissioners Court of Carson County, Texas, at such public hearing invited any interested person to appear and speak for or against the creation of the reinvestment zone and whether all or part of the territory described should be included in the proposed reinvestment zone; and

Whereas, the proponents of the reinvestment zone offered evidence, both oral and documentary, in favor of all of the foregoing matters relating to the creation of the reinvestment zone and opponents, if any, of the reinvestment zone appeared to contest the creation of the reinvestment zone.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CARSON COUNTY, TEXAS:

- Section 1. That the facts and recitations contained in the preamble of this Resolution are hereby found and declared to be true and correct.
- Section 2. That the Commissioners Court of Carson County, Texas, after conducting such hearing and having heard such evidence and testimony, has made the following findings and determinations based on the evidence and testimony presented to it:
 - a. That the public hearing on adoption of the reinvestment zone has been

- properly called, held and conducted and that notice of such hearing has been published as required by law; and
- b. That the boundaries of the reinvestment zone should be the area described in the attached Exhibit "A" and depicted in the map attached hereto as Exhibit "B", which are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes. In the event of discrepancy between the descriptions of Exhibit "A" and map in Exhibit "B", the map shall control; and
- c. That the creation of the reinvestment zone will result in benefits to Carson County, Texas, and to the land included in the zone and that the improvements sought are feasible and practical; and
- d. The reinvestment zone meets the criteria set forth in Texas Property Tax Code Chapter 312 for the creation of a reinvestment zone as set forth in the Property Redevelopment and Tax Abatement Act, as amended, and the Guidelines, in that it is reasonably likely as a result of the designation to contribute to the retention of expansion of primary employment or to attract investment in the zone that would be a benefit to the property and that would contribute to the economic development of Carson County, Texas, and that the entire tract of land is located entirely within an unincorporated area of Carson County, Texas.
- SECTION 3. That pursuant to the Property Redevelopment and Tax Abatement Act, as amended, and the Guidelines, Carson County Commissioners Court hereby creates Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13, a reinvestment zone for commercial-industrial tax abatement encompassing only the area described in Exhibit "A" and depicted in Exhibit "B", and such reinvestment zone is hereby designated and shall hereafter be referred to a Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13.
- SECTION 4. That Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13 shall take effect on November 10, 2025, and shall remain designated as a commercial-industrial reinvestment zone for renewable and conventional power generation, and behind the meter uses, as defined in the Guidelines, for such power, to include data centers, as defined in the Guidelines, for a period of five (5) years from such date of designation and may be renewed for an additional five (5) year period thereafter.
- SECTION 5. That if any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Resolution.
- SECTION 6. That it is hereby found, determined and declared that a sufficient notice of the date, hour, place and subject of the meeting of the Carson County Commissioners Court at which this Resolution was adopted was posted at a place conveniently and readily accessible at all times as required by the Texas Open Government Act, Texas

Government Code, Chapter 551, as amended, and that a public hearing was held prior to the designation of such reinvestment zone and that proper notice of the hearing was published in a newspaper of general circulation within the County as prescribed by the Property Redevelopment and Tax Abatement Act.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this the 10th day of November 2025.

County Judge

Commissioner, Precinct 1

Commissioner, Precinct 2

Commissioner, Precinct 3

Commissioner, Precinct 4

County Clerk

Courty Seal)

Exhibit A Legal Description of Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13

Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13 is comprised of the following parcels. In the event of discrepancy between this Exhibit A and the attached map in Exhibit B, the map in Exhibit B shall control.

All or portions of Sections AB&M Blk 3, Sec 1-16, 20-30, 41-46, 59-61, H&GN RR Blk B4 Sec. 13-21, IPR 3, JHG Blk M4 Sec. 6-16, 23-30, 41-46, 59-61, Blk T Sec. 31-35, 46-67, WP Cannon CRA 7, CR Briker Sec 4, LB Sec 6, 6 ½, WP Snodgrass, MF Wright 6 ½, BSF Blk 1 Sec 1, 24, 25, 48, 49, SK K 4, 5, ABM Blk 2 Sec 1-9, all in Carson County, Texas.

Exhibit B Map of Carson County Reinvestment Zone 13

