## RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, The Lower Colorado River Authority Transmission Services Corporation (LCRA/TSC) is proposing to construct the McCamey D-Kendall 345 kv double circuit transmission line with a possible routing through Mason County, and
- WHEREAS, The Commissioners Court of Mason County recognizes that such a project will have a detrimental impact on the environment, historical and cultural values, along with a huge negative effect on our local economy, and
- WHEREAS, The land and rivers that constitute one of the most scenic and beautiful counties in the State of Texas would be forever damaged by the construction of such a line, and
- WHEREAS, The Public Utility Commission of Texas approves the final route of the proposed LCRA/TSC transmission line and the PUC has received tremendous public input concerning this project and the possible routing of the line; now
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2010, the Mason County Commissioners' Court opposes the McCamey D-Kendall 345 kv alternative route through Mason County and requests that the Public Utilities Commission follow the recommendations of many property owners and residents of the Hill Country, and the proposal presented by Rep. Harvey Hilderbran (Dist. 53) Texas House of Representatives, and require the LCRA/TSC to follow the US 277-IH 10 highway route that would create the least impact on property values, and the aesthetics and beauty of the Texas Hill Country and protect the natural environment, history, and culture of the Hill Country.

Approved this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2010.

Jerry Bearden, Mason County Judge

Wayne Hofmann, Commissioner, Pct. 1

Stanley Toeppich, Commissioner, Pct. 3

Eldon Kothmann, Commissioner, Pct. 4