

CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN

Resolution #157

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN, TEXAS TO SUPPORT THE CREATION OF A BURNET COUNTY GROUNDWATER DISTRICT AND TO OPPOSE THE CREATION OF A GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT THAT INCLUDES TRAVIS, WILLIAMSON, AND BURNET COUNTIES.

WHEREAS, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has begun an effort to create a three county Groundwater Management District that includes Burnet County as well as Travis and Williamson Counties, and;

Whereas, the purpose of said three county district could only be to allocate groundwater located in Burnet County for use in the short water supply of Travis and Williamson Counties, and;

Whereas, control of Burnet county groundwater by the two more populous counties could and probably would be at the expense of future growth and development within Burnet County, and;

Whereas, Burnet County has already started a local initiative to create a Groundwater District for Burnet County, and;

Whereas, Burnet County can best manage the groundwater assets of Burnet County according to the needs of it's citizens.

NOW, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Highland Haven, County of Burnet, State of Texas, that the City of Highland Haven **OPPOSES** the creation of a three county Groundwater Management District and **SUPPORTS** the creation of a Burnet Groundwater Management District.

Passed and approved by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Highland Haven on this, the 19th day of October, 2004.

Roscoe L. Holt, Mayor

Jeanne Ormiston, City Secretary