



RESOLUTION OPPOSING RULES PROPOSED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES THAT DECREASE COUNTY REVENUES, INCREASE COUNTY COSTS, AND REDUCE LOCAL CONTROL

WHEREAS, the Brown County Tax Assessor Collector is charged with collecting vehicle registration fees, which provide for certain legislative authorized revenues to offset costs associated with collecting and dispersing these fees for the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the 83rd State Legislature passed HB 2202 which created the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Fund, authorized the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles to establish certain fees by board rule, authorized the board to direct certain fees to the Fund, and allows county revenues to be set by board rule; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles has proposed rules setting title transfer and registration processing and handling fees for its own funding; and has further proposed fees and the changes for the County Tax Assessor-Collectors, and the various deputy classification types; and

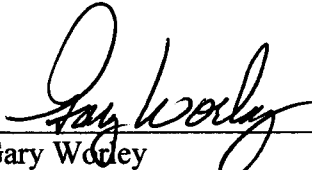
WHEREAS, the Brown County Tax Assessor Collector may deputize full service title companies to provide titling and registration services and limited service companies to provide registration services, which increase access and locations for these services by citizens; and

WHEREAS, the rules proposed by the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles will decrease county revenues, increase county costs, and reduce local control.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Brown County Commissioners Court opposes the rules as proposed by the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles amending Title 43 of the Texas Administrative Code Chapter 217.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 23RD day of May, 2016.

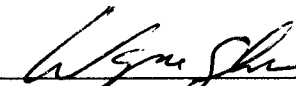
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May 23, 2016
(Exhibit #3)