STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF GALVESTON §

## ORDER OF ABANDONMENT & DISCONTINUANCE OF UNOPENED BAKER DRIVE RIGHT OF WAY LOCATED IN UNINCORPORATED DICKINSON, GALVESTON COUNTY, TEXAS

On this the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 2025, the Commissioners' Court of Galveston County, Texas, convened in a special scheduled session with the following members thereof present:

MARK HENRY, County Judge;
DARRELL APFFEL, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1;
JOE GIUSTI, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2;
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ROBIN ARMSTRONG, MD, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4; and DWIGHT D. SULLIVAN, County Clerk

when the following proceedings, among others, were had, to-wit:

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### AS DESCRIBED ON EXHIBIT "A"

It appearing to the Court that the right of way described herein has never been opened or used as public right of way nor has the County of Galveston ever exercised any control, right of control, jurisdiction and dominion, either for itself or in behalf of the public generally, by working or spending money on the same or by any other act or in any other manner, nor has said right of way ever been opened by a jury of view; and it

further appearing that there is not now any public need for the opening and maintaining of said right of way by the County of Galveston and that the burdens and liabilities which would be imposed upon the County of Galveston, Texas, by opening and maintaining the same would not be justified by the advantages which the opening and maintenance of same would give to the public.

It further appears to the Court that if said right of way is abandoned, Petitioner is willing to pay to the County of Galveston the fair market value of the right of way, which the Court finds pursuant to written appraisal to be Four Thousand One Hundred Twenty Five Dollars and no/100 (\$4,125.00), together with Seven Hundred and Fifty & no/100 (\$750.00) being the appraisal expenses incident to said abandonment. Petitioners understand this abandonment is subject, however, to any rights acquired by any private citizen by prescriptive easement, if any, as well as subject to both public utility or common carrier easements, and/or other easement(s), if any, of record and on the ground.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED that for and in consideration of the total sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars and no/100 (\$4,875.00), the tract of land designated above be VACATED, ABANDONED, AND CLOSED as public right of way, and every claim or right of the County of Galveston or the general public has or may have in the unopened and unused rights of way described herein is hereby released and relinquished forever.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED BY THE COURT that the foregoing Order be and it is hereby adopted and is made the Order of the Court and the Clerk will spread the same upon the minutes of the Court.

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UPON MOTION OF COMMISSIONER County Judge Henry
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER Commissioner Dugie
and unanimously carried and adopted by the affirmative vote of each and all of the
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COUNTY OF GALVESTON, TEXAS
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared MARK HENRY, County Judge of the County of Galveston, Texas, known to me to be the person and officer whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and

acknowledged to me that the same was the act of the said County of Galveston, a political subdivision of the State of Texas, that he was duly authorized to perform the same by appropriate resolution of the Galveston County Commissioners' Court and that he executed the same as the act of such body for the purposes and consideration therein expressed, and in the capacity therein stated.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the day of

VERONICA VAN HORN Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 05-19-2025 Notary ID 10290071

Notary Public for the State of Texas My Commission expires:

## Exhibit "A"





## CERTIFIED COPY GALVESTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT

### RE: AGENDA ITEM NO. 52

Consideration of approval of an order of abandonment and discontinuance of an unopened portion of Baker Drive right-of-way in unincorporated Dickinson submitted by Platting & Right-of-Way

Motion to approve consent agenda items 1-71 by County Judge Henry, seconded by Commissioner Dugie.

Passed: 5-0

Aye: County Judge Henry, Commissioner Apffel, Commissioner Giusti,

Commissioner Dugie and Commissioner Armstrong

Nay: (None) Absent: (None)

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I, Dwight D. Sullivan, Clerk County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Galveston County, Texas, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of that certain:

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as passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 31st day of March, 2025 Regular Term of Commissioners' Court and as the same appear(s) in the Commissioners' Court Records of Galveston County, Texas.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 1st day of April, A. D., 2025.

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By: Mae Loss Deputy

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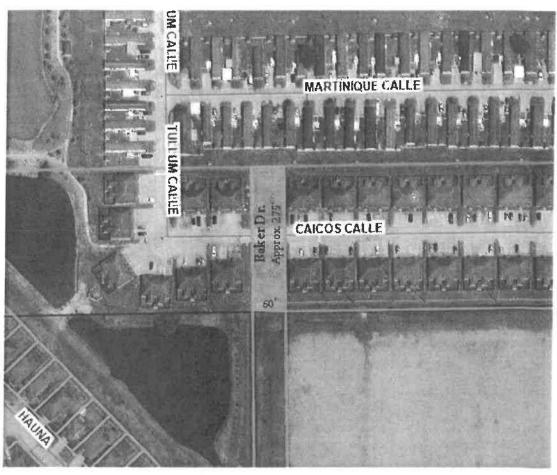
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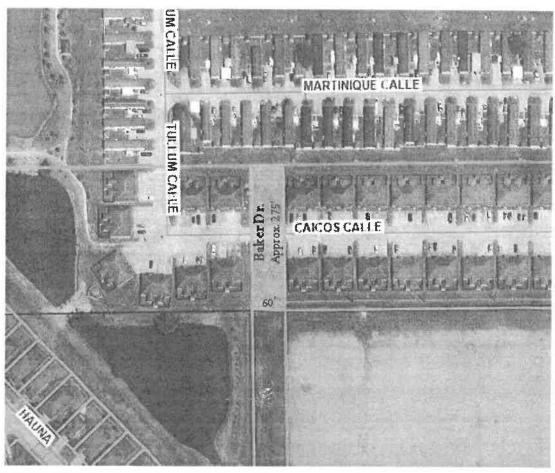
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Dwight D. Sullivan, County Clerk

Galveston County, Texas

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