On this, the 21st day of July 2025, the Commissioners' Court of Galveston County, Texas convened in a Commissioners Court meeting with the following members thereof present:

Mark Henry, County Judge
Darrell A. Apffel, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
Joe Giusti, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
Hank Dugie, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
Robin Armstrong, MD, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4; and Dwight D. Sullivan, County Clerk

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

A Resolution Supporting the Addition of Texas State Highway 87 to the Houston-Galveston Area Council (HGAC) Transportation Plan

Whereas, Texas State Highway 87 serves as the primary hurricane evacuation route for residents on Bolivar Peninsula; and

Whereas, Texas State Highway 87 needs several improvements to become sufficient as a state-designated hurricane evacuation route, including raising the route out of the floodplain; and

Whereas, residents of the Bolivar Peninsula have voiced their support and request for these improvements; and

Whereas, improvements made to Texas State Highway 87 would be handled by the Texas Department of Transportation, requiring very little involvement or financial support (if any) from Galveston County; and

Whereas, the Houston-Galveston Area Council as the federally-designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), must develop and update a Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) to address much needed infrastructure improvements for the betterment of the region.

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved, the Commissioners Court of Galveston County, Texas, does hereby express its support for the addition of Texas State Highway 87 to the Houston-Galveston Area Council's Regional Transportation Plan.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, the above Resolution was unanimously passed on this the 21st day of July, 2025.

Attest:

Dwight D. Sullivan, County Clerk

Darrell A. Apifel, Comm., Pct. #1

Joe Giusti, Comm., Pct. #2

County of Galveston, Texas

By:

Mark A. Henry, County Judge

Hank Dugie, Comm., Pct. #3

Robin Armstrong, MD, Comm., Pct. #4