

RESOLUTION NO. 15-1990

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, EXPRESSING THE UNITY OF THE SPARSELY POPULATED ENTITIES COALITION OF WEST TEXAS (SPEC) OUT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE (EPW) OF THE WEST CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (COG) COMMITMENT TO ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE AND PRUDENT DISPOSAL OF MUNICIPAL WASTES

WHEREAS, those regulations are designed to eliminate small existing municipal landfills and encourage large regional state-of-the art landfills; and,

WHEREAS, extremely low population densities in West Central Texas and many of the other areas of the western United States make compliance with the proposed Subtitle D regulations a financial impossibility; and,

WHEREAS, in the arid portions of West Central Texas the extremely small amount of normal precipitation combined with existing soil conditions make the possibility of groundwater contamination from a landfill remote; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: The City of Abilene is committed to environmentally safe and prudent disposal of municipal wastes, but believes that waste disposal requirements must be within the realm of economic possibility.

PART 2: The City of Abilene requests the Environmental Protection Agency to consider revisions to proposed Subtitle D regulations which would authorize State regulatory agencies sufficient flexibility to grant variances in national standards in areas of extremely low population density, upon a showing that the municipal landfill facility does not pose a significant threat to


the environment or groundwater quality.

PART 3: The Texas Department of Health, United States Senators Bentsen and Gramm, and United States Congressman Stenholm are hereby requested to assist the City or County in obtaining modifications of the proposed EPA Subtitle D regulations which would allow for economical and environmentally prudent waste disposal alternatives in low population density areas.

PART 4: The Clerk is directed to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Texas Department of Health, Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senator Phil Gramm and Congressman Stenholm.

ADOPTED this 26th day of April, A.D., 1990.

ATTEST:


CITY SECRETARY


MAYOR

APPROVED:


CITY ATTORNEY

GENERAL
CITY CLERK
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CERTIFICATE FOR RESOLUTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTIES OF TAYLOR AND JONES :
CITY OF ABILENE :

We, the undersigned officers of said City, hereby certify as follows:

1. The City Council of said City convened in REGULAR MEETING ON THE 10TH DAY OF MAY, 1990, at the City Hall, and the roll was called of the duly constituted officers and members of said City Council, to-wit:

Mayor Gary D. McCaleb
Council Members: Paul R. Vasquez
Betty Ray
Jack Grable
Bill Terry
Jimmy McNeil
Liz Herrera

Mayor
Council Members

Jo Moore, City Secretary

and all of said persons were present, except the following absentees: NONE thus constituting a quorum. Whereupon, among other business, the following was transacted at said Meeting: a written

RESOLUTION APPROVING ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY ABILENE HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES CORPORATION

was duly introduced for the consideration of said City Council and read in full. It was then duly moved and seconded that said Resolution be passed; and, after due discussion, said motion carrying with it the passage of said Resolution, prevailed and carried by the following vote:

AYES: All members of said City Council shown present above voted "Aye".

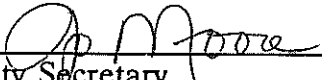
NOES: None.

2. That a true, full and correct copy of the aforesaid Resolution passed at the Meeting described in the above and foregoing paragraph is attached to and follows this Certificate; that said Resolution has been duly recorded in said City Council's minutes of said Meeting; that the above and foregoing paragraph is a true, full and correct excerpt from said City Council's minutes of said Meeting pertaining to the passage of said

Resolution; that the persons named in the above and foregoing paragraph are the duly chosen, qualified and acting officers and members of said City Council as indicated therein; that each of the officers and members of said City Council was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place and purpose of the aforesaid Meeting, and that said Resolution would be introduced and considered for passage at said Meeting, and each of said officers and members consented, in advance, to the holding of said Meeting for such purpose, and that said Meeting was open to the public and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Vernon's Ann. Civ. St. Article 6252-17.

3. That the Mayor of said City has approved and hereby approves the aforesaid Resolution; that the Mayor and the City Secretary of said City have duly signed said Resolution; and that the Mayor and the City Secretary of said City hereby declare that their signing of this Certificate shall constitute the signing of the attached and following copy of said Resolution for all purposes.

SIGNED AND SEALED the 10th day of May, 1990.



City Secretary



Mayor

SEAL

EXHIBIT A
TO A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS
PERTAINING TO PROPOSED FINANCING TO BE ENTERED INTO BY
ABILENE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY WITH THE
ABILENE HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES CORPORATION

Renovation of Edwards Dormitory and Science Building, landscaping, roads and paving on campus	\$6,000,000
Reserve Fund	\$ _____
Cost of Issuance	\$ _____
Total	\$ _____