

RESOLUTION NO. 36-1993

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS REQUESTING THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (DEPARTMENT) REMOVE ITS DESIGNATION OF HIGHLAND INDUSTRIES, INC. DBA HIGHLAND FOODS COMPANY (HIGHLAND) AS AN ENTERPRISE PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Abilene, Texas, adopted Resolution No. 42-1990 on October 23, 1990 which designated Highland a "Qualified Business" as defined in Sec. 3(a)(10) of the Texas Enterprise Zone Act, Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated Article 5190.7 (Act), for the purpose of applying to the Department for designation as an Enterprise Project; and,

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Commerce awarded project designation to Highland on December 11, 1990, effective until December 11, 1995, unless the Department determines the Project is no longer in compliance with requirements set forth in the Act and the Enterprise Zone Program Rules; and,

WHEREAS, earlier this year, Highland announced discontinuation of its regular operations and the lay-off of most of its workforce, therefore causing the company to be in noncompliance with its commitments specified in the company's application for enterprise project designation.

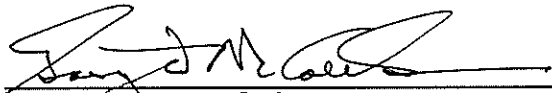
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

- PART 1. The City of Abilene does hereby request the Texas Department of Commerce remove Highland's Enterprise Project designation for failing to remain in compliance with its commitments specified in application for Enterprise Project designation.


ADOPTED this 23rd day of September, A.D., 1993.

ATTEST:

  
Jo Moore, City Secretary

  
Gary D. McCaleb, Mayor

APPROVED:

  
Asst. City Attorney