In Harris County, officials have requested the designation of a segment of the state highway system as I-69, concurrent with US 59 from the existing I-69 termini at I-610 North and I-610 West in Houston, a total distance of approximately 11.9 miles.

Minute Order 113100, dated April 26, 2012, authorized the submission of applications to the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) requesting segments of routes in Texas be added to the Interstate Highway System as I-69. During the 2014 AASHTO Spring Meeting, the AASHTO Special Committee on US Route Numbering conditionally approved the application for the I-69 segment described above.

The Deputy Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration approved the inclusion of this segment of I-69 on the Interstate Highway System on March 9, 2015.

Pursuant to Texas Transportation Code, §§201.103 and 221.001, the executive director of the Texas Department of Transportation has recommended the concurrent designation of I-69 with US 59 on the state highway system.

The Texas Transportation Commission (commission) finds that the designation will facilitate the flow of traffic, promote public safety, and maintain continuity of the state highway system and is necessary for the proper development and operation of the system.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the commission that I-69 is designated on the state highway system concurrent with US 59 from the existing I-69 termini at I-610 North and I-610 West in Houston, a total distance of approximately 11.9 miles, as shown in Exhibit A.

Submitted and reviewed by:

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Director, Transportation Planning and Programming Division

Recommended by:

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Executive Director

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