

# RESOLUTION 2017-08-001

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF DIBOLL, TEXAS SUPPORTING FUNDING FOR THE US 59 RELIEF ROUTE TO THE EAST OF DIBOLL, TEXAS.

**WHEREAS**, in 2013, TxDOT and the I-69 Angelina & Nacogdoches County's Committees performed a robust public outreach process to inform local citizens of the alignment options for I-69 in their counties and to solicit comments and input; and

**WHEREAS**, the Angelina County Committee members recommended upgrading the existing US 59 alignment to the greatest extent possible while identifying a new relief route east of Diboll, Texas as the first priority for Angelina County; and

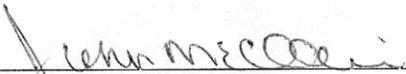
**WHEREAS**, in 2014, the Texas Department of Transportation performed additional studies of I-69 alignment options in Diboll, Texas (Angelina County) and conducted additional public outreach to inform local citizens and to solicit comments and input; and

**WHEREAS**, the relief route east of Diboll, Texas will relieve traffic congestion for day to day passenger vehicles as well as those vehicles transporting freight along the US 59 (future I 69) corridor; and

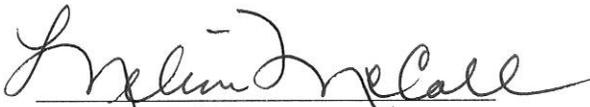
**WHEREAS**, the relief route east of Diboll, Texas will enhance the efficient movement of all vehicular traffic along this section of the US 59 corridor, designated by the State of Texas as a hurricane evacuation route for citizens living along the coastal areas of Texas; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by Diboll City Council, that the City supports the Texas Department of Transportation's utilization of a relief route in Diboll, Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of August, 2017.

  
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**John C. McClain, Mayor**  
**City of Diboll**

ATTEST;

  
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**Melissa McCall**  
**City Secretary**