

RESOLUTION NO. R: 2015-2

A RESOLUTION BY THE UVALDE CITY COUNCIL AFFIRMING ITS UNWAVERING SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION OF A GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT FOR VAL VERDE COUNTY, TEXAS

WHEREAS, water is vital to the economic wellbeing and welfare of the citizens of Del Rio and Val Verde County; and

WHEREAS, the water that sustains life and the economy of Del Rio and Val Verde County comes from a local source, namely the San Felipe Springs in Del Rio as well as various other springs and rivers in Val Verde County; and

WHEREAS, those springs and rivers in turn are fed by the Edwards-Trinity Aquifer, which is the groundwater aquifer in Val Verde County; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Del Rio approved Resolution No. R:2015-026 to support the creation of a groundwater conservation district and to urge the adoption by the legislature of House Bill 4123 introduced by Representative Poncho Nevárez; and

WHEREAS, the City Council feels that the creation of a groundwater conservation district is necessary to protect the springs and groundwater in Val Verde County for present and future needs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to emphasize its unwavering support for the creation of a groundwater conservation district for Val Verde County.

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


Section 1. The City Attorney's Office is hereby authorized to forward this resolution to legislative staff in Austin, Texas.

Section 2. The City Council reiterates its support for the creation of a groundwater conservation district for Val Verde County, Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 28th day of April ~~March~~, 2015.

Attest:


Susan Conley, City Secretary



DON MCLAUGHLIN, JR.
Mayor