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Mr. Craig Raborn, MPO Director Houston-Galveston Area Council P.O. Box 22777 Houston, Texas 77227-2777

Dear Mr. Raborn:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) request for implementation funding for widening FM 270 in League City, Texas. This project is currently listed in the Regional Transportation Plan to widen FM 270 from a two-lane to four-lane divided roadway between FM 518 and FM 646.

League City's population is currently estimated at 121,598 and is projected to reach 159,029 by 2034. This significant growth is putting strain on our existing infrastructure, particularly FM 270, which serves as a major thoroughfare for residents, commuters, and businesses. The current two-lane configuration is inadequate to handle existing traffic volume estimated at 20,781 vehicles per day, causing delays and safety issues.

This investment has the potential to significantly improve the lives of League City residents and commuters, enhance economic opportunities, and create a safer transportation network. I look forward to continuing our collective work on these important projects.

Sincerely,

Nick Long Mayor

cc: TxDOT – Houston District