

1 **RESOLUTION NO.**

2 **WHEREAS**, the City Council was requested to conduct a public hearing in
3 accordance with Texas Parks and Wildlife Code Chapter 26 to consider a
4 resolution authorizing a change in use of a dedicated parkland easement located
5 north of Walter E. Long Metropolitan Park and northwest of Lindell Lane and Blue
6 Bluff Road for use by the Austin Transportation and Public Works Department
7 (TPWD) for right-of-way, drainage, and utility purposes in connection with the
8 East Braker Lane extension project (Proposed Use); and

9 **WHEREAS**, TPWD requires approximately 7,818 square feet of parkland;
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11 **WHEREAS**, the land being used for the Proposed Use is described in
12 Exhibit A (Affected Land); and

13 **WHEREAS**, notice of the public hearing to be held on May 2, 2024, was
14 given for three consecutive weeks on April 7, 14, and 21 in a newspaper of general
15 circulation; and

16 **WHEREAS**, such public hearing was held on May 2, 2024, by the City
17 Council to consider the Affected Land for the Proposed Use; **NOW**,

18 **THEREFORE**,

19 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

20 Having taken into account clearly enunciated local preferences, the City
21 Council finds that there is no feasible and prudent alternative to the use of the
22 Affected Land for the Proposed Use and that all reasonable planning has been done
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to minimize harm to the Affected Land from the Proposed Use. The use of the Affected Land for the Proposed Use is approved.

ADOPTED: _____, 2024 **ATTEST:** _____

Myrna Rios
City Clerk

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