



Resolution Establishing the Platform of the Harris County Republican Party

WHEREAS thousands of individual Republicans from all over the state of Texas, who make up the “grassroots” and are the heart and soul of the Republican Party of Texas, participate as delegates in a convention process beginning with the Precinct Conventions, progressing through the County and District Conventions, and finally come together for the State Convention every two years; and

WHEREAS these delegates participate in this convention process where altogether thousands of resolutions are submitted and many thousands of hours are spent giving testimony, deliberating, and voting for and against various positions and wordings; and

WHEREAS the most significant result from the convention process is that a single document is produced that captures the spirit, thoughts, views, principles, positions, standards, and desired actions of these delegates and Texas Republicans; and

WHEREAS this spirit, and these thoughts, views, principles, positions, standards, and desired actions are what truly define and unite Texas Republicans; and

WHEREAS this document is known as the Harris County Republican Party Platform and resolutions and

WHEREAS the Harris County Republican Party currently displays on its website (<https://www.harriscountygop.com/where-we-stand/>) a document titled “Republican Party Platform”, [Exhibit A of this Resolution] which appears to have



originated in part from the Preamble section of the 2016 Republican Platform as produced by that years Republican National Convention; and

WHEREAS the currently displayed “Republican Party Platform” contains three vague references to God, affirms “the trust in people” and “faith in their judgement” rather than in that of the God of all creation, makes no mention of our dedication to the protection of innocent life, makes no mention of self-sufficient families, makes no mention of the sanctity of marriage as between one natural man and one natural woman, makes no mention about the importance of parental rights, and makes no mention about our resolve to defend against the sexualization of our children; and

WHEREAS the Harris County Republican Party addresses the aforementioned deficiencies mostly in the Preamble and Principles [Exhibit B of this Resolution], and more completely within the numbered planks, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the

A) Harris County Republican Party:

1. adopts and establishes the Republican Party of Texas Platform in its entirety as the official Harris County Party Platform;
2. shall prominently display the Preamble and Principles section from the Republican Party of Texas Platform on the harriscountygop.com website under the “Who We Are” subpage;
3. shall provide a prominent link to the full Republican Party of Texas Platform on the “Who We Are” subpage;

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4. will remove any and all statements from its website that are found to contradict the spirit, thoughts, views, principles, positions, standards, and desired actions contained in this platform; and

Respectfully submitted,

James Buntrock, Precinct Chair 0726, HCRP Senate District 7 Chair

I, a member of the Harris County Republican Party Executive Committee, do hereby attest that I wish this resolution to be approved at the November 13th, 2023 Quarterly Harris County Republican Party Executive Committee Meeting.

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