

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRISCO, TEXAS APPROVING THE COLLABORATION AGREEMENT AND MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AMONG THE CITIES OF DALLAS, MCKINNEY, FRISCO, PLANO, DENTON, GARLAND, AND GREENVILLE, THE COUNTY OF DALLAS, DALLAS HOUSING AUTHORITY, FORT WORTH HOUSING SOLUTIONS, DALLAS COUNTY HOUSING AGENCY, DENTON HOUSING AUTHORITY, FRISCO HOUSING AUTHORITY, PLANO HOUSING AUTHORITY, MCKINNEY HOUSING AUTHORITY, GARLAND HOUSING AUTHORITY, GRANDVIEW HOUSING AUTHORITY, WAXAHACHIE HOUSING AUTHORITY, CLEBURNE HOUSING AUTHORITY, FRESNO HOUSING AUTHORITY, ENNIS HOUSING AUTHORITY, AND ROYCE CITY HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR REGIONAL FAIR HOUSING ASSESSMENTS AND REGIONAL COLLABORATION TO AFFIRMATIVELY FURTHER FAIR HOUSING

WHEREAS, Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Subtitle A, Part 91 requires the City, as an entitlement community, draft and submit a Consolidated Plan including a Fair Housing Plan not less than every five years; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has established a new regulatory requirement for all entitlement communities related to "Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing" as required by the 1968 Fair Housing Act; and

WHEREAS, as an entitlement community, the City of Frisco is now required to prepare an "Assessment of Fair Housing" (AFH) and submit it to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) providing fair housing data, an assessment of fair housing issues, and identification of fair housing priorities and goals for the implementation and use of the City's HUD funding; and

WHEREAS, entitlement communities have the option to either prepare and submit Assessments of Fair Housing for their individual agencies or to work with other neighboring entitlement communities and public housing authorities to prepare and submit a Regional Assessment of Fair Housing; and

WHEREAS, the City of Frisco has analyzed the advantages and drawbacks of preparing an individual Assessment of Fair Housing vs participating in a regional approach and has determined it is advantageous to the City, both financially and programmatically, to participate in a Regional Assessment of Fair Housing;

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

SECTION 1: That the City Council of the City of Frisco hereby agrees to approve the Resolution to approve the Collaboration Agreement and Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Frisco and the cities of Dallas, McKinney, Plano, Denton, Garland, Greenville, the County of Dallas, Dallas Public Housing Authority, Fort Worth Housing Solutions, Dallas County Housing Agency, Denton County Housing Authority, Frisco Housing Authority, Plano Housing Authority, McKinney Housing Authority, Garland Housing Authority, Grandview Housing Authority, Waxahachie Housing Authority, Cleburne Housing Authority, Fresno

CITY OF FRISCO, TEXAS

RESOLUTION NO. _____

Housing Authority, Ennis Housing Authority, and Royce City Housing Authority for Regional Fair Housing Assessments and Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing.

SECTION 2: This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

RESOLVED THIS the _____ day of _____, 2016.

Maher Maso, Mayor

ATTEST TO:

Jenny Page, City Secretary