

**RESOLUTION HONORING THE SERVICE OF RICH DEOTTE
TARRANT APPRAISAL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

***WHEREAS**, Rich DeOtte has served with distinction as a member of the Tarrant Appraisal District (TAD) Board of Directors since 2020, demonstrating unwavering commitment to the mission of the District, and has served as an advocate for Tarrant County taxpayers; and*

***WHEREAS**, during his tenure, Mr. DeOtte contributed to the ongoing reform efforts at the Tarrant Appraisal District, leading to progress and working to promote a culture of excellence within the Tarrant Appraisal District as it fulfills its responsibility to conduct property appraisals; and*

***WHEREAS**, his leadership, expertise, and dedication have positively impacted the District's decision-making processes, fostered transparency, accountability, and fair treatment for the residents and property owners in Tarrant County; and*

***WHEREAS**, Mr. DeOtte has consistently demonstrated a deep understanding of the complexities involved in property taxation and appraisal practices, providing valuable insights that have shaped TAD's policies and operations; and*

***WHEREAS**, throughout his service, Mr. DeOtte has exemplified the highest standards of integrity, professionalism, and dedication to public service; and*

***WHEREAS**, as his final term comes to a close on December 31, 2024, the Tarrant County Commissioners Court wishes to recognize and honor his contributions to the District and his lasting impact in Tarrant County.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the Tarrant County Commissioners Court hereby expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Rich DeOtte for his outstanding service, leadership, and commitment to the public during his time on the Tarrant Appraisal District Board of Directors.*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that we, the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County, extends its best wishes to Mr. DeOtte in all future endeavors and acknowledges the positive difference he has made in the lives of the residents and business owners of Tarrant County.*

***IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have hereunto set our hands to be affixed this 17th day of December 2024.*