RESOLUTION NO. 2023 R-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE NEW BRAUNFELS TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PLAN.

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Envision New Braunfels, the city's comprehensive plan, in 2018 that identified the community need, transportation goal, and many strategies for an improved public transit system; and

WHEREAS, the City of New Braunfels, in partnership with the New Braunfels Economic Development Corporation, Chamber of Commerce, and Economic Development Foundation, identified regional transit as a strategic goal in the 2017 Economic Development Strategic Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Alamo Area Metropolitan Planning Organization conducted a 2021 transit study identifying transit needs and strategies within New Braunfels and the importance of regional connections; and

WHEREAS, the City Council authorized the funding and creation of the New Braunfels Transit Development Plan in 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City of New Braunfels staff has engaged in a public outreach process that included public and on-board surveys, stakeholder meetings, and City Council presentations; and

WHEREAS, the New Braunfels Transit Development Plan includes an analysis of the City's transit needs, makes recommendations for the implementation of transit services, and represents the City's vision for public transportation; and

WHEREAS, the City Council was briefed on the draft Transit Development Plan's preliminary findings and recommendations on October 16, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the results of the planning process and desires to adopt the New Braunfels Transit Development Plan by resolution; and

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

THAT, the New Braunfels Transit Development Plan, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is

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THAT, the New Braunfels Transit Development Plan shall be reviewed by the City Council and amended, if necessary, at least every five (5) years.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 13th day of November, 2023.

CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS

BY:

NEAL LINNARTZ, Mayor

ATTEST:

GAYLE WILKINSON, City Secretary