## **RESOLUTION NO. R2024-68**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS, OBJECTING TO THE ISSUANCE OF A TCEQ AIR QUALITY STANDARDS PERMIT FOR A ROCK AND CONCRETE CRUSHER FACILITY PROPOSED TO BE LOCATED AT 3221 FM 3509, BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS

**Whereas**, on August 20, 2024, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) issued notice of an application for a TCEQ Air Quality Standards Permit for a rock and concrete crusher facility proposed to be located at 3221 FM 3509, Burnet County, Texas (the "proposed project"); and

Whereas, the proposed project will include a quarry operation; and

Whereas, the eastern edge of the property line of the proposed project is approximately 2 miles from the Burnet City Limits and the Burnet Municipal Golf Course; and

**Whereas**, City Council finds and determines the proposed project could have an adverse impact on community public health safety and welfare for numerous reasons including the following:

- pollutants and particles shall be emitted into the air and will adversely impact the community's air quality; and
- groundwater usage will jeopardize groundwater availability to the community during drought conditions; and
- additional truck traffic will be generated that will make roads less safe for the community, advance road deterioration; and cause additional air pollution; and

**Whereas**, by this resolution City Council deems it appropriate to express its opposition to the permit application and take those actions reasonably necessary to prevent its issuance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS, AS FOLLOWS:

**Section One**. **Findings**. The recitals stated in this resolution are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference as the findings of the Burnet City Council.

**Section Two.** Opposition. For reasons expressed in the findings of this Resolution, the City Council of the City of Burnet is opposed to the issuance of an Air Quality Standards Permit for a rock and concrete crusher facility proposed to be located at 3221 FM 3509, Burnet County, Texas.

**Section Three**. **Authorization**. The Mayor and City Manager, collectively or individually, are authorized to represent the city before the TCEQ, the Texas Office of Administrative Hearings, and other appropriate parties for the purpose of advocating the City's opposition to this permit application; and take those actions reasonably necessary to accomplish the denial of the permit application.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 2024.

**CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS** 

Gary Wideman, Mayor

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Maria Gonzales, City Secretary