

## **RESOLUTION NO.**

**WHEREAS**, the current location of the 50 year-old Town Lake Animal Center (TLAC) is experiencing limited capacity, lack of expandability and continuing flooding; and,

**WHEREAS**, the voters of the City of Austin and animal welfare advocates and professionals have called for a new animal center; and,

**WHEREAS**, previous studies/reviews identified significant challenges and constraints to salvaging the current shelter; and,

**WHEREAS**, voters of the City of Austin approved in a 2006 bond election funding for a new animal center; and,

**WHEREAS**, there has been an extensive process and multiple briefings to: the Bond-Election Citizen Advisory Committee; the Bond Oversight Committee; the Austin City Council; and, the Public Health and Human Services Subcommittee; regarding a location for the new animal center; and,

**WHEREAS**, an alternative site for a possible new animal center has been identified; and,

**NOW, THEREFORE,**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

That the City Council directs the City Manager to proceed with the planning of the new animal center at 7201 Levander Loop, Austin, TX.

**ADOPTED:** \_\_\_\_\_, 2007      **ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Shirley A. Gentry  
City Clerk