RESOLUTION NO 20071011-062

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 October 11, 2007 ATTEST

City Clerk