

generate electricity and costs get passed on to businesses and homeowners in higher electric bills,

WHEREAS, the construction of new nuclear power plants can only marginally contribute to the reduction in carbon emissions, and is unlikely to be feasible in the time-frame necessary to significantly reduce greenhouse-gas emissions; and

WHEREAS, the CPS Energy has proposed to invest over \$6 billion dollars towards the construction of nuclear reactors at the South Texas Project funded through substantial rate increases expected over the next decade;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Hondo urges the City of San Antonio and CPS Energy to:

Not approve the expansion of the South Texas Project nuclear power plant

Pursue safer, cleaner, more affordable energy options and not additional nuclear reactors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED NOW, TO

Support energy efficiency and renewable energy projects in the City of Hondo

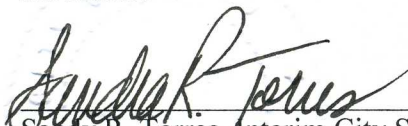
Take steps towards protecting our climate through the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and energy consumption in municipal operations, within in the community of Hondo, and in partnership with surrounding agencies and jurisdictions.

CONSIDERED, PASSED and APPROVED, this 13th day of October, 2009, at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Hondo, Texas, at which a quorum was present and which was held in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.



MIKE SANCHEZ, MAYOR PRO TEM

ATTEST:



Sandy R. Torres, Interim City Secretary