

**RESOLUTION 2011-12**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS SUPPORTING A VALLEY METRO JOB ACCESS AND REVERSE COMMUTE (JARC) PROJECT**

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission of La Feria, Texas currently provides local funding match for a regional public transportation system managed by the Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council (LRGVDC) under the Valley Metro name; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission of La Feria, Texas supports Valley Metro's intent to match local funds with federal JARC funds for improvement to current service and future service; and

**WHEREAS**, Valley Metro's JARC project will increase mobility and access for local residents who desire to use the bus to reach employment, workforce assistance, training, education, child care, and other work-related destinations throughout the region; and

**WHEREAS**, Valley Metro intends to expand service to connect Cameron County and Hidalgo County; and

**WHEREAS**, this project will assist welfare recipients, low-income individuals, colonia residents, and other transit-dependent populations in utilizing much-needed social services and jobs by connecting them across urban areas and from rural to urban areas; and

WHEREAS, Valley Metro has coordinated planning with the City of La Feria to ensure that the project successfully achieves its goals;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS THAT THE CITY OF LA FERIA FULLY ENDORSES VALLEY METRO'S JARC PROJECT.**

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 12<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2011.**

**APPROVED:**



**Steve Brewer, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  
**Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
**Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney**