

**RESOLUTION NO. 370**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, TEXAS SUPPORTING LEGISLATION TO CREATE THE WISE REGIONAL WATER DISTRICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Newark, Texas, is a Type A, General Law municipality acting under and pursuant to Chapter 22 of the Texas Local Government Code; and

**WHEREAS**, Wise County, Texas is currently experiencing rapid population growth and is expected to see substantial population growth for many years to come; and

**WHEREAS**, several governmental entities in Wise County formed the Wise County Mayors Coalition Steering Committee (the "WCMCSC") to work on addressing the water, wastewater, and waste needs of the citizens of Wise County created by the significant population growth; and

**WHEREAS**, the WCMCSC has brought to the City of Newark's (the "City") attention the WCMCSC desires to support the creation of a regional water district in Wise County by requesting the state legislators that represent Wise County file and work with the Texas Legislature to enact legislation to create a district during the Regular Session of the 89th Texas Legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council recognizes the importance of establishing a regional water district in Wise County to provide for the water, wastewater, solid waste, and liquid waste needs of the citizens of Wise County; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council supports the creation of the Wise Regional Water District, a conservation and reclamation district pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution, and believes it would be beneficial to the citizens of Wise County.

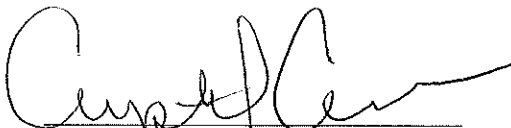
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1:** The findings recited above are incorporated as if fully set forth in the body of this Resolution for all purposes and are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the City Council.

**SECTION 2.** The City Council hereby agrees with the need for legislation to create the Wise Regional Water District, and hereby expresses its support of such legislation to the elected state legislators who represent Wise County at the Texas Legislature.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage, as provided by law.

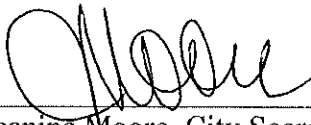
**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Newark, Texas this 21st day of November 2024.



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Crystal Cardwell, Mayor  
City of Newark

ATTEST:



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Jeanine Moore, City Secretary  
City of Newark

