

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE, TEXAS
OPPOSING THE DEVELOPMENT OF RAIL SERVICE WITHIN
THE MOKAN CORRIDOR IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE**

WHEREAS, Project Connect, a regional high-capacity transit implementation effort and Project Connect North are conducting an analysis of potential future rail service through Pflugerville via the Mokan corridor; and

WHEREAS, the Mokan corridor bisects the City of Pflugerville and is used for hike and bike trails and is surrounded by houses, schools and parks, making it inappropriate as a location for any type of rail service; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pflugerville fully embraces a multimodal approach to address current and emerging transportation needs with street connectivity and a network of hike and bike trails linking neighborhoods, schools and other centers within the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pflugerville fully embraces its role as a stakeholder in all discussions regarding potential transit service through the Pflugerville area and to participate in the selection of an alternate route for the future development of rail service which would be more appropriate for our citizens and the future development of our city in the regional context; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pflugerville strongly encourages our citizens to participate fully in this process and to attend the Project Connect Open House on June 19, 2012 at the Pflugerville Justice Center and to submit comments as appropriate; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it appropriate to now submit its official opposition to the development of rail service within the Mokan corridor in the City of Pflugerville; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE:

That the City Council of the City of Pflugerville hereby declares its opposition to the development of rail service within the Mokan corridor in the City of Pflugerville.

Approved this 12th day of June, 2012.

City of Pflugerville, Texas

By: _____
Jeff Coleman, Mayor

Attest:

Karen Thompson, City Secretary