RESOLUTION APPROVING THE NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS’ 2019 TITLE VI PROGRAM UPDATE

WHEREAS, the North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) is a Texas political subdivision and non-profit corporation organized and operating under Texas Local Government Code Chapter 391 as the regional planning commission for the 16-county North Central Texas region; and,

WHEREAS, NCTCOG is a voluntary association of, by and for local governments established to assist in planning for common needs, cooperating for mutual benefit, and coordinating for sound regional development; and,

WHEREAS, NCTCOG has been designated as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Dallas-Fort Worth Metropolitan Area by the Governor of the State of Texas in accordance with federal law; and,

WHEREAS, the Regional Transportation Council (RTC), comprised primarily of local elected officials, is the regional transportation policy body associated with NCTCOG, and has been and continues to be a forum for cooperative decisions on transportation; and,

WHEREAS, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability; and,

WHEREAS, NCTCOG, as a recipient of federal financial assistance and a Federal Transit Administration designated recipient is required to comply with the Title VI requirements which include review and approval of a Title VI Program every three years; and,

WHEREAS, NCTCOG has undertaken an effort to review and update its Title VI Program for 2019; and

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2019, the RTC approved the 2019 Title VI Program Update.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED:

Section 1. The NCTCOG Executive Board hereby approves the NCTCOG 2019 Title VI Program Update.

Section 2. This resolution shall be transmitted to the Federal Transit Administration and other funding agencies as appropriate.

Section 3. This resolution shall be in effect immediately upon its adoption.

Kevin Strength, President
North Central Texas Council of Governments
Mayor, City of Waxahachie

I hereby certify that this resolution was adopted by the Executive Board of the North Central Texas Council of Governments on May 23, 2019.

Ray Smith, Secretary/Treasurer
North Central Texas Council of Governments
Mayor, Town of Prosper