

City of Farmers Branch

Farmers Branch City Hall 13000 Wm Dodson Pkwy Farmers Branch, Texas 75234

Legislation Text

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Consider approving the Farmers Branch 2019 Legislative Platform; and take appropriate action

BACKGROUND:

The Legislative Platform was developed on key legislative principles necessary to protect and benefit the residents of Farmers Branch. These principles are listed below.

Principle No.1 - Maintain municipal authority regarding local government revenue sources.

Principle No.2 - Maintain municipal authority over municipal land use issues.

Principle No.3 - Maintain municipal authority in determining how best to operate a city (local control).

All of the items listed in the Legislative Platform are consistent with one of these three principles. A detailed Legislative Platform is important in helping make sure the Mayor and City Council and staff are aligned and have clear direction on the City's position on legislative proposals.

RECOMMENDATION:

City Administration recommends City Council discuss and consider support of the Farmers Branch 2019 Legislative Platform, as presented.

POSSIBLE COUNCIL ACTION:

- 1. I move to approve the Farmers Branch 2019 Legislative Platform, as presented.
- 2. I move to approve the Farmers Branch 2019 Legislative Platform, with modifications.
- 3. I move to table the issue for further study or take no action.

ATTACHMENT:

1. Legislative Platform