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Item No. 46

A RESOLUTION 2013-12-05-0043R

DIRECTING THE PLANNING DIRECTOR TO PREPARE A SERVICE PLAN REGARDING THE PROPOSED VOLUNTARY ANNEXATION OF APPROXIMATELY 1,905 ACRES OF GOVERNMENT CANYON STATE NATURAL AREA (SNA), WHICH ARE ADJACENT TO THE CITY LIMITS AND GENERALLY LOCATED IN NORTHWESTERN PART OF SAN ANTONIO EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION AND BEXAR COUNTY.

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WHEREAS, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) requested the annexation of six properties totaling approximately 1,905 acres which are part of the Government Canyon State Natural Area consisting of protected natural area that includes endangered species habitat and overlying the Edwards Aquifer Recharge or Contributing Zones; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the TPWD petition for annexation is to bring its recently acquired properties into the City of San Antonio limits, ensure an equivalent level of City services for the entire Government Canyon State Natural area, and thus maintain consistent site management practices for TPWD across the entire natural area; and

WHEREAS, this request for annexation is consistent with the City of San Antonio Annexation Policy, adopted February 14, 2013, which recommends annexation of areas with the need for City protection of environmental or other resources; and

WHEREAS, City Council must direct its Department of Planning and Community Development to prepare a service plan prior to the publication of the notice of the first required public hearing, in accordance with Chapter 43 of the Texas Local Government Code; **NOW THEREFORE,**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby directs its Planning Director to prepare a Service Plan regarding the proposed voluntary annexation of approximately 1,905 acres of Government Canyon State Natural Area (SNA), which are adjacent to the City limits and generally located in northwest Bexar County. The SNA is more specifically identified in Attachment I which is attached hereto and is made a part of this Ordinance for all purposes.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall be effective on December 15, 2013.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 5th day of December 2013.

M A Y O R
Julián Castro

ATTEST:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

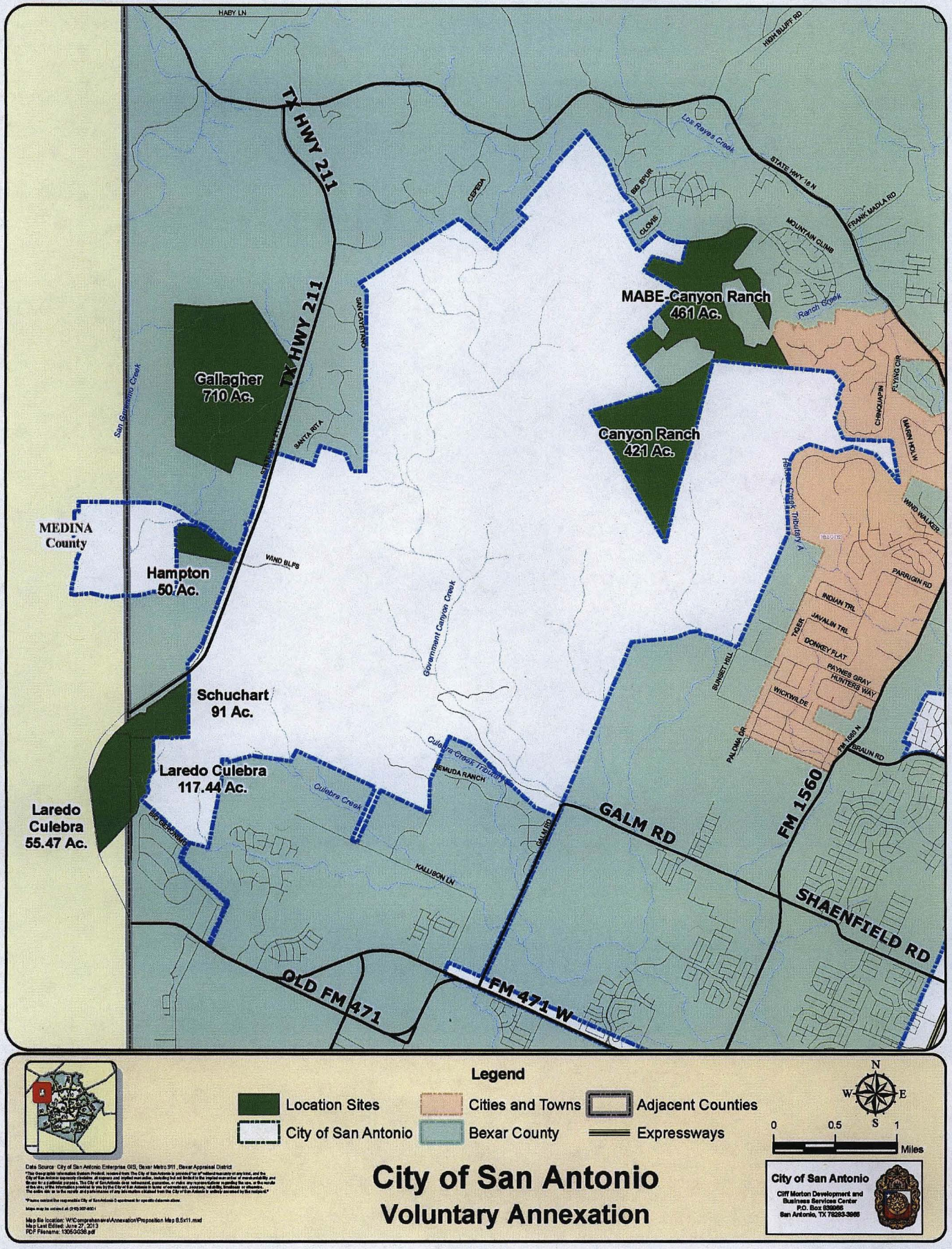
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

for Michael Bernard, City Attorney

Agenda Item:	**46 (in consent vote: 44, 45, 46, Z-2, Z-3, Z-5, Z-7, Z-8, Z-9, Z-11, Z-12, P-5, Z-14, Z-16)**
Date:	12/05/2013
Time:	02:31:09 PM
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve
Description:	A Resolution directing the Department of Planning and Community Development to prepare a Service Plan as requested by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department regarding the annexation of approximately 1,905 acres of Government Canyon State Natural Area. [Peter Zanoni, Deputy City Manager; John Dugan, Director, Planning and Community Development]
Result:	Passed

Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Julián Castro	Mayor		x				
Diego Bernal	District 1		x				
Ivy R. Taylor	District 2		x				x
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		x				
Rey Saldaña	District 4		x				
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Cris Medina	District 7	x					
Ron Nirenberg	District 8		x				
Joe Krier	District 9		x				
Carlton Soules	District 10		x			x	

ATTACHMENT II



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- Location Sites
- City of San Antonio
- Cities and Towns
- Bexar County
- Adjacent Counties
- Expressways

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Data Source: City of San Antonio Enterprise GIS, Bexar Metro 911, Bexar Appraisal District

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