



# Resolution

**WHEREAS**, on Saturday, February 11, 2012, Harris County will hold the sixth annual **CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) Rodeo** at the Harris County Fire and Sheriff's Training Academy in Humble, Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, the **CERT Rodeo** will draw **CERT-trained** individuals and teams from across Texas where they will compete in a series of practice exercises designed to enhance **CERT** members' life saving skills; and

**WHEREAS**, skills such as search and rescue, basic medical procedures, triage, and **CERT** team organization will be evaluated and scored by professional first responders allowing participants to assess their own skills as well as that of their team; and

**WHEREAS**, through **CERT**, a component program of the **Harris County Citizen Corps**, citizens contribute to a stronger and safer community through volunteerism and training that consists of an 8-week disaster preparedness course taught by professional first responders; and

**WHEREAS**, **Harris County Citizen Corps** partners: A.R.E.S., American Red Cross, Catholic Charities, **CERT**, Crisis Chaplaincy CARE, Fire Corps, Interfaith Ministries, Medical Reserve Corps, Salvation Army, United Way, USA On Watch, Volunteer Houston, Volunteers in Police Service, along with the following sponsors: CenterPoint Energy, Continental Airlines Cycling Team, East Aldine District, Humble Ice, Memorial Hermann Life Flight, Oak Farms/Schepps Dairy, PerSys Medical, Superior Natural Gas, Synergy Enterprises, Tin Roof B-B-Q, United States Coast Guard, and Wild Well Control have helped make the sixth annual Harris County **CERT Rodeo** possible: now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED** that Harris County Commissioners Court hereby designates *Saturday, February 11, 2012*, as the sixth annual


## **CERT RODEO DAY**


in Harris County, Texas, and urges all citizens to prepare, train, and volunteer today with their local **CERT** program that promotes "*doing the most good for the most people*" without putting oneself in harm's way.


It is hereby **ORDERED** that this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of Commissioners Court this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2012.

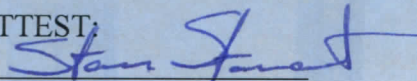
  
ED EMMETT, County Judge

  
EL FRANCO LEE, Commissioner  
Precinct One

  
JACK MORMAN, Commissioner  
Precinct Two

  
STEVE RADACK, Commissioner  
Precinct Three

  
R. JACK CAGLE, Commissioner  
Precinct Four

ATTEST:  
  
Stan Stanart, County Clerk  
Harris County, TEXAS

