## **Resolution to Support the Texas Citizens Participation Act**

WHEREAS, the Texas Citizens Participation Act protects Texans who are harassed through meritless litigation on the basis of their right of free speech, right to petition, or right of association; and

association; and
WHEREAS, the TCPA has been recognized as one of the most important protections for Texans' First Amendment rights; and
WHEREAS, amongst the TCPA's key features are its broad scope, the right to an interlocutory appeal, a stay of trial proceedings pending appeal, and an award of attorney's fees to those who are victorious under the Act, now therefore:
BE IT RESOLVED, the Republican Party of County recommends the Platform Committee of the State Convention Adopt a platform plank calling for the legislature to keep the Texas Citizens Participation Act intact and preserve its broad scope and essential protections for Texans' First Amendment rights.
Adopted this day of, 2024, at the Precinct Convention of Precinct # of the County Republican Party of Texas.