

Resolution – No Confidence – Jim Largent

WHEREAS, Jim Largent, the current Granbury ISD Superintendent, is a self-proclaimed Republican who has filed to run as a Republican to run for State House Representative HD60;

WHEREAS, Jim Largent professes to be a current member of the Republican Party of Texas;

WHEREAS, it is assumed that Jim Largent, as a professed member of the Republican Party of Texas, is familiar with the current Republican Party Platform of Texas adopted by the 2016 State Convention of the Republican Party of Texas;

WHEREAS, Jim Largent, by virtue of declaring to run as a Republican, is bound to adhere to the Republican Party Platform of Texas;

WHEREAS, a true and correct copy of the Platform of the Republican Party of Texas was provided to Jim Largent when he filed to run as a Republican for a statewide office;

WHEREAS, a true and correct copy of the Republican Caucus Speaker Selection Commitment Form was provided to Jim Largent when he filed to run as a Republican for a statewide office;

WHEREAS, the Platform of the Republican Party of Texas is easily accessible on the Republican Party of Texas website for anyone who wishes to review said platform;

WHEREAS, We, the Republican Party of Hood County, Texas, believe in the current Republican Platform of Texas and expect our elected leaders and candidates who desire to run as Republicans to uphold the “truths” of the Texas Republican Platform through acknowledgement and action;

WHEREAS, as of this date, nearly one month since Jim Largent filed to run for a state office as a Republican and whereas approximately six (6) weeks remain before the March 6, 2018 Republican Primary, Jim Largent has failed to indicate whether he agrees, disagrees or is undecided about each item in the Republican Platform of Texas;

WHEREAS, as of this date, nearly one month since Jim Largent filed to run for a state office as a Republican and whereas approximately six (6) weeks remain before the March 6, 2018 Republican Primary, Jim Largent has failed to indicate whether he agrees, disagrees or is undecided about the Republican Caucus Speaker Selection Commitment Form;

WHEREAS, Jim Largent, as Granbury ISD Superintendent, in opposition of openness and transparency, refuses to cooperate and has engaged in bureaucratic stalling of numerous Open Records Requests submitted by numerous persons;

WHEREAS, Jim Largent, by acknowledgement and action, has openly repudiated the Republican Platform of Texas by openly and publically attacking the Texas Republican Platform that advocates that parents should have the freedom of choice for the education of their children;

WHEREAS, the Hood County Republican Executive Committee is in place to ensure that candidates and elected officials who claim to be Republicans swear an oath to the Constitutions of Texas and the United States and the Republican Platform of Texas;

WHEREAS, a primary purpose of the Hood County Executive Committee is to represent the Republican Party of this county, state, and nation, articulating the Republican Party's platform and candidates;

WHEREAS, the Hood County Republican Executive Committee is tasked with ensuring to the best of its ability that local campaigns are conducted fairly and within the boundaries of the law;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hood County Republican Executive Committee, by majority vote of a quorum present at a meeting on this date, makes the following resolution, to wit:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Hood County Republican Executive Committee hereby OBJECTS to Jim Largent running for office as a Republican in Hood County, Texas.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hood County Republican Executive Committee hereby enters into the record a vote of "No Confidence" regarding Jim Largent's candidacy as an alleged Republican and hereby officially withdraws any and all support to Jim Largent in his bid to seek election to HD60 as a state representative.

PASSED on this, the _____ of _____, 2018, by a majority vote of the Hood County Republican Party Executive Committee present at said meeting.

Jim Logan, Hood County Republican Chair