

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS** wind turbines can negatively affect property values for several miles around them; and

**WHEREAS** wind turbines will impede growth within London Independent School District and will have a negative long-term effect on London Independent School District; and

**WHEREAS** wind turbines create noise and strobe effects on neighboring properties and can be detrimental to the environmental integrity, wildlife in our area, farm and ranch animals, livestock and pets; and

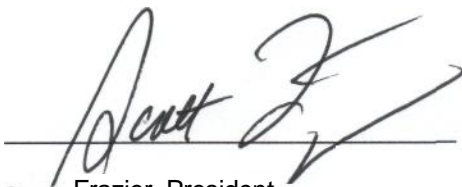
**WHEREAS** there have been only limited studies of the effect of electromagnetic fields (EMF) of wind farms on children and adults regarding cancer and other degenerative diseases; and

**WHEREAS** wind turbines are unsightly, detract from scenic views, and there are no safeguards to protect neighboring private property owners' rights from being invaded by these unsightly wind farms,

**Now therefore be it resolved that London Independent School District:**

1. Calls for an immediate end to State and Federal subsidies for wind and solar generators that give these generators an unfair monetary advantage over other conventional generating sources;
2. Calls for implementation of stricter permitting and public input processes for wind and solar generation;
3. Calls for full property appraisal assessment and potential effect on properties within or near a wind farm;
4. Opposes the construction and installation of industrial wind farms in the London Independent School District.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012 by the London Independent School District Board of Trustees.



Scott Frazier, President