

Resolution Regarding Presidential Debate

WHEREAS the State of Texas is the largest Republican state in the country, and the second largest delegation to the Republican National Convention with 155 delegates, and

WHEREAS Texas Republicans have long felt that the Republican Presidential primary process has not fully put attention on Texas in this cycle and cycles past, and

WHEREAS the State Republican Executive Committee believes that it is very important for our diverse Texas Republican base, that our volunteers and Republican activists have strong opportunities to generate enthusiasm for our entire Republican ticket, and

WHEREAS the State Republican Executive Committee desires that all Republican Presidential candidates will accept our invitation to our nationally-televised debate, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the State Republican Executive Committee wishes to thank and commend Speaker Newt Gingrich, Congressman Ron Paul and Senator Rick Santorum for already accepting our debate invitation and clearly showing their interest and attention to the State of Texas, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the State Republican Executive Committee would like to respectfully urge Governor Mitt Romney to also accept the Texas debate invitation and to convey that it would not be received well by Texas Republicans for him not to accept our invitation.

Adopted by the State Republican Executive Committee March 31, 2012