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Kelli Moulton, Superintendent Galveston Independent School District P. O. Box 660 Galveston, Texas 77553

Re: Certified Appraisal Roll, Anticipated
Collection Rate and Excess Debt (if applicable)

Dear Dr. Moulton:

Enclosed please find the 2020 Certified Appraisal Roll that includes the total appraised, assessed and taxable values of all property within your jurisdiction. Additionally, please find on the page titled Effective Rate Assumption the total taxable value of new property.

As you know, Senate Bill 2 established new requirements. In addition to certifying an anticipated collection rate for 2020, I am required to certify excess debt collections if actual debt collections exceeded the adjusted debt figure used to establish the rate in 2019. If you are an entity with a tax ceiling, the value of those properties is not included in the calculation of the debt rate which could result in excess debt being collected. This figure, if any, will be used to lower the debt rate beginning this year.

With regard to the anticipated collection rate, it may not be lower than the lowest actual collection rate for any of the preceding three years. Therefore, after analysis of current and prior year tax levies, penalties and interest as of June 30, 2020, I, Cheryl E. Johnson, Tax Assessor Collector for Galveston County, do hereby certify the anticipated property tax collection rate for the 2020 tax year, as specified by Section 26.04(h) of the Texas Property Tax Code for Galveston Independent School District to be 100%, actual collections from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 to be 100% and excess debt collections, unadjusted for tax ceiling revenues, to be 0.

Respectfully submitted,

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