



September 4, 2025

The Honorable Lesley Briones  
Commissioner, Harris County Precinct 4  
1001 Preston, Suite 950  
Houston, Texas 77002

Re: Places4People - St. George Place Redevelopment Authority's Richmond Ave and Fountain View Drive Intersection Improvement Project

Dear Commissioner Briones,

I am pleased to support the St. George Place Redevelopment Authority's Richmond Avenue and Fountain View Drive Intersection Improvement Project, submitted through Harris County Precinct 4's Places4People program. This project is critical to enhancing safety and mobility at a heavily travelled intersection in southwest Houston.

Currently, the intersection relies on dated traffic signals and experiences recurring congestion due to the absence of dedicated turn lanes. Over the past five years, it has recorded more than 100 crashes, including two involving pedestrians. The proposed improvements include replacing existing signals, adding a dedicated eastbound right-turn lane, closing the Beverly Hill Street median, and extending both the northbound and southbound left-turn bays to decrease congestion during peak hours.

These improvements will significantly enhance traffic operations, reduce congestion, and create safer turning movements, ultimately benefiting all users of the intersection. This project represents an essential investment in the safety, efficiency, and accessibility of our community's transportation network.

Thank you for your consideration,

**COUNCIL MEMBER SALLIE ALCORN, AT-LARGE 5**