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DALLAS REGIONAL MOBILITY COALITION APPOINTS NEW COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Dallas – August 21, 2008 – The Dallas Regional Mobility Coalition (DRMC) has announced the appointment of new committee chairs. The appointments are as follows:

- Cedar Hill Mayor Rob Franke, chair of the Legislative Committee;
- Coppell City Councilwoman Jayne Peters, chair of the Communications Committee;
- Garland City Councilman Douglas Athas, chair of the Bylaws Committee;
- Rowlett Mayor John Harper, chair of the Finance Committee; and
- DeSoto Mayor Pro Tem Carl Sherman, chair of the Transportation Committee.

The DRMC is a 33-member, voluntary coalition of cities, counties, transportation agencies, Chambers and business and civic leaders that promotes area-wide mobility issues, initiatives and programs for transportation improvements in the Texas Department of Transportation's Dallas district. The coalition has given high priority to promoting more efficient use of existing roadways through high occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes, intelligent vehicle systems, incident management and travel demand management. In addition, the coalition supports increased investment in transportation, including a comprehensive regional commuter and light rail system.

The DRMC meets on the first Friday of every month at the Dallas County Health and Human Services building, 2377 N. Stemmons Freeway, in Dallas. For more information, please call (972) 621-1103.

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