RESOLUTION NO. 538-08

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE NORTHERN FLYER ALLIANCE AND EXTENDING AMTRAK SERVICE BETWEEN OKLAHOMA CITY AND KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI.

WHEREAS, the Northern Flyer Alliance is a grass-roots effort designed to extend existing Amtrak service from Dallas, Texas to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma further to Kansas City, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the City of Valley Center recognizes the financial, environmental and quality of life advantages of having Amtrak service in the Southcentral Kansas Region;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Valley Center, Kansas that the City of Valley Center endorses the expansion of Amtrak service through Valley Center connecting Kansas City and Oklahoma City and, further, supports the efforts of the Northern Flyer Alliance in their efforts to bring about this service expansion.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Approved by the Governing Body of the City of Valley Center, Kansas this 1st day of April, 2008.

Attest:

stine A. Polian, City Clerk

Michael D. McNown Mayor