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**Re: Lubbock Chamber Applauds Texas Tech School of Veterinary Medicine Announcement**

**LUBBOCK, Texas** – Lubbock Chamber of Commerce Chairman Cory Powell responds to Texas Tech School of Veterinary Medicine announcement:

***Cory Powell, Lubbock Chamber Chairman:***

Today's actions solidify the path forward for a Texas Tech School of Veterinary Medicine in Amarillo. The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce congratulates the Texas Tech University System Regents and Chancellor Robert Duncan on this momentous achievement.

We also thank and salute Amarillo leaders, including the Amarillo City Council and the Amarillo Economic Development Corporation for their vision and investment in the Texas Tech University System – an institution that for almost 100 years has helped shape all of West Texas and make us who we are today.

*The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce represents more than 1,900 businesses and over 79,000 employees on the South Plains which accounts for over \$2 billion in annual household earnings in Lubbock and West Texas. Since 1913 the Chamber, as a catalyst for business growth; a convener of leaders and influencers; and a champion for a stronger community, has served as a unified voice of business by actively advocating for a pro-jobs, pro-growth, pro-business climate.*

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