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AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A PRELIMINARY MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE WESTSIDE PROMISE NEIGHBORHOOD COLLABORATING AGENCIES OUTLINING THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROMISE NEIGHBORHOODS IMPLEMENTATION GRANT, UPON AWARD, FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2017.

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WHEREAS, in 2010, the U.S. Department of Education launched the Promise Neighborhoods program (the "Promise Neighborhoods Program"); and

WHEREAS, the Promise Neighborhood Program supports the implementation of plans to transform neighborhood reinvestment by clustering community services and housing inventory around schools based on a "community school" model; and

WHEREAS, the United Way of San Antonio and Bexar County (the "United Way") is a 2010 Planning grantee and a 2011 Implementation grantee of the Promise Neighborhoods Program; and

WHEREAS, the Westside Promise Neighborhood Advisory Board is made up of residents, parents, principals, and representatives from neighborhood associations, churches, area businesses and key systems such as the City of San Antonio, United Way, San Antonio Independent School District, San Antonio Housing Authority and Bethel Prevention Coalition, a Drug Free Communities program operating in San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, the United Way, as the lead entity on behalf of the Westside Promise Neighborhood Advisory Board, is seeking grant funding from the Promise Neighborhoods Program to implement a continuum of solutions intentionally selected to improve specific educational and developmental outcomes for over 3,000 students from the campuses of Lanier High School, Tafolla Middle School, and JT Brackenridge Elementary School from San Antonio's historic Westside (the "Westside Promise Neighborhood"); and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance supports the United Way's application for grant funding from the Promise Neighborhoods Program for the Westside Promise Neighborhood initiative by authorizing the execution of a preliminary Memorandum of Understanding; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City of San Antonio confirms its support of the United Way's application for federal grant funding from the Promise Neighborhoods Program for the Westside Promise Neighborhood initiative.

SECTION 2. The City Manager, or her designee, or the Director of the Neighborhood and Housing Services Department, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute a preliminary Memorandum of Understanding with the Westside Promise Neighborhood collaborating agencies outlining the City's participation in a United States Department of Education Promise Neighborhoods Program implementation grant, upon award, for the period beginning September 1, 2017. A copy of said agreement, in substantially final form, is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Attachment I**.

SECTION 3. *[insert fiscal language]*

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Chief Financial Officer, may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage by eight (8) or more affirmative votes of the entire City Council; otherwise, said effective date shall be ten (10) days from the date of passage hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this ____ day of August, 2017.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney