

**THIS IS A DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL,
SIGNED ORDINANCE ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.**

AN ORDINANCE

**AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDS
IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$297,482.00 FROM THE U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO SUPPORT THE CHILD
WELFARE STRATEGIC ALLIANCE PROGRAM, AND
AUTHORIZING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH
BEXAR COUNTY REGARDING THE DISTRIBUTION OF
GRANT FUNDS AND THE DESIGNATION OF BEXAR
COUNTY AS THE GRANT FISCAL AGENT.**

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WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Justice Assistance has available as much as \$721,205.00 in the 2018 Justice Assistance Grant funds to support the Child Welfare Strategic Alliance Program, a joint project of the City and Bexar County that addresses child abuse, and the city applied under a Special Category Grant Opportunity Submission Authorization Request; and

WHEREAS, of the total grant award, the City would receive \$297,482.00; and

WHEREAS, there is no cash or in-kind match required from the City; and

WHEREAS, the grant period is October 1, 2017, to September 30, 2021; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the acceptance of said grant funds, if awarded; and

WHEREAS, it is also necessary to authorize the execution of an interlocal agreement with Bexar County which designates Bexar County as the grant's fiscal agent, and that provides that Bexar County will conduct the administration of the grant funds; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager and designee, and the San Antonio Chief of Police and designee, are hereby authorized with Bexar County to accept grant funds from the DOJ for 2018 Justice Assistance Grant in an amount not to exceed \$721,205.00, of which the City of San Antonio will receive an amount not to exceed \$297,482.00, to support the Child Welfare Strategic Alliance Program. A copy of the application will be on file with the San Antonio Police Department. The City Manager and designee, and the Chief of Police, and designee, are also hereby authorized to accept said grant, if awarded under the same terms and conditions as applied for, and to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate said acceptance.

SECTION 2. The City Manager and designee, and the San Antonio Chief of Police and designee, are hereby authorized to execute an interlocal agreement with Bexar County that designates Bexar County as the grant's fiscal agent, and that provides that Bexar County will conduct the administration of the grant funds. A copy of said agreement is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, and the terms of the agreement are hereby approved. Should the parties be unable to reach an agreement that is substantially the same as attached, subsequent City Council action shall be required for authorization to execute an agreement.

SECTION 3. Upon acceptance of this award, a new fund and internal order number will be created, upon which the sum of up to \$297,482.00 from the DOJ will be appropriated in said fund. The proposed budget, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Exhibit B**, is approved and adopted for entry in the City books. The proposed personnel complement of two (2) positions, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Exhibit C**, is approved and adopted for entry in the City books.

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy 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 is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective on the tenth day after passage.

PASSED and APPROVED this 20th day of July, 2019.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

Exhibit A

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Exhibit B

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