RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MANSFIELD AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO RECEIVE AND EXPEND GRANT FUNDS FROM THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE AUTO BURGLARY AND THEFT PREVENTION AUTHORITY TO CONTINUE A MULTI-AGENCY TASK FORCE. GRANT AWARD IS \$394,341 AND REQUIRES A 20% CASH MATCH WHICH WILL BE SHARED WITH EACH PARTICIPATING AGENCY RECEIVING A PORTION OF FUNDING.

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield Police Department is a unit of local government and meets the criteria established by the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Auto Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority (ABTPA) to receive funds under this program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield finds it in the best interest of the citizens to receive grant funding from a program which is funded by a \$2.00 annual assessment per insured vehicle per year; and

WHEREAS, this is the 5th year since the inception of the Tri-County Auto Theft and Burglary Prevention Task Force. The ABTPA Board voted not to issue new grant applications but rather to extend the same grant award to each agency from FY16; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds from ABTPA, the city assures that the funds will be returned to the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles ABTPA; and

WHEREAS, the city designates Clayton W. Chandler, City Manager, as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to accept, reject, alter, or terminate the grant on behalf of the grantee agency; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to ratify and authorize the City Manager and the Police Department, to receive and expend the above mentioned grant allocation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANSFIELD, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1.

- 1. The City Manager or designee is authorized to execute all documents and accept grant funding as outlined by the ABTPA FY17 grant award allocation and agrees to a 20% cash match that will be shared with each participating agency receiving grant funding.
- **2.** The City Manager or designee agrees that grant funding will be utilized to continue operating a multi-agency task force from grant funding provided by ABTPA for FY17.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 25^h DAY OF APRIL, 2016.

ATTEST:

David L. Cook, Mayor

Jeanne Heard, City Secretary