

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO MAKE APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS SCHOOL SAFETY CENTER AT TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY-SAN MARCOS, TO RECEIVE AND EXPEND GRANT FUNDING FOR A TOBACCO ENFORCEMENT GRANT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013.

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield recognizes the inherent health issues involved with underage tobacco usage; and

WHEREAS, enforcement initiatives are necessary to prevent the sale or distribution of cigarettes and tobacco products to persons who are younger than 18 years of age; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield currently has 42 licensed tobacco retail sales locations within the city; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield Police Department, a Municipal Department, is eligible to apply for, receive and expend grant funding for Tobacco Enforcement Programs;

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

SECTION 1.

The City Manager and the Police Department is hereby authorized and directed to make application with the Texas School Safety Center at Texas State University-San Marcos, for available grant funding for Tobacco Enforcement Programs for State Fiscal Year 2013.

RESOLVED and PASSED this the 29th, day of May, 2012.

David L. Cook, Mayor

ATTEST:

Vicki Collins, City Secretary