

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO MAKE APPLICATION, RECEIVE, AND EXPEND GRANT FUNDING FROM THE STATE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM (SHSP) OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT FOR THE MANSFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT SWAT UNIT. THE AMOUNT OF THE AWARD WILL NOT EXCEED \$50,000 AND WILL NOT REQUIRE A MATCH.

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield and the police department is a unit of local government that meets the criteria established by the SHSP and the State of Texas to apply for and receive grant funds under this program; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield and the police department is seeking an amount not to exceed \$50,000 in grant program funding with no match required; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Mansfield and the police department agrees to comply with all program rules as set out in the grant program guidelines; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Mansfield agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of the State Homeland Security Program funds, the City of Mansfield assures that the funds will be returned to the State Homeland Security Program in full; and,

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

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to ratify and authorize the City Manager and the police department to make application, receive and expend the above mentioned grant allocation, if awarded.

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 make application for obtaining state funds from SHSP through the State of Texas in FY2017 for the purchase of specialized SWAT equipment specifically, Night Vision Goggles and Ballistic Blankets.
2. The City Manager or designee is authorized to receive and expend the grant funding, if awarded, by the State of Texas for this SWAT specialized grant program.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 17th DAY OF APRIL, 2017.

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David L. Cook, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jeanne Heard
City Secretary