



## Legislation Text

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Resolution - A Resolution Authorizing the City Manager and the Police Department to Make Application, Receive and Expend Grant Funding From the Texas Department of Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority to Continue a Multi-Agency Task Force

Approval of Resolution

Approve Resolution

In Texas, a vehicle is stolen every 5 minutes and a vehicle is burglarized every 2.5 minutes, unfortunately, the City of Mansfield is not excluded from these statistics. The police department has applied and received funding from this grant program for the last 11 years. Most recently in FY22-23, the grant award received was \$331,342 to continue to operate a multi-agency task force that targets automobile thefts and burglaries. The police department will continue to be the managing agency with participation from the cities of Burleson, Kennedale, Midlothian, Alvarado and the Tarrant County Constable Precinct 7. Additionally, The Task Force will provide law enforcement assistance related to the grant activities to all law enforcement agencies within Ellis and Johnson Counties.

The grant will fund personnel, travel, and supplies and operating expenses for FY23-24. The grant will require a 20% cash match that will be shared with each participating law enforcement agency receiving grant funds.

Reimbursement grant from the Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority through the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Grant Program of the State of Texas through the Governor's Office.

Jessica Graves, Grant Manager