

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

ORDINANCE

RATIFYING PAYMENT TO THE TEXAS GOVERNOR’S OFFICE EVENTS TRUST FUND PROGRAM OF \$177,690.00 FOR LOCAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THREE EVENTS; AUTHORIZING 1) SUBMISSION TO THE PROGRAM OF UP TO \$188,563.00 FOR LOCAL CONTRIBUTION FOR FOUR EVENTS; AND 2) ACCEPTANCE OF REIMBURSEMENT TO THE CITY FROM THE PROGRAM FOR QUALIFIED EXPENSES OF UP TO \$2,289,079.00 FOR THESE SEVEN EVENTS HOSTED IN 2024 AND 2025 AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUCH REIMBURSEMENT; AND 3) APPROVING EVENT SUPPORT AGREEMENTS FOR TWO OF THESE EVENTS WITH THIRD PARTIES FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF UP TO \$391,409.00.

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WHEREAS, the Events Trust Fund Program, which includes the Major Events Trust Fund, established pursuant to Texas Government Code Chapter 478, and the Events Trust Fund, established pursuant to Texas Government Code Chapter 480 (“Program”), provide municipalities and counties the opportunity to obtain reimbursement for eligible expenses related to hosting and attracting high-visibility, high-tax impact events to the State of Texas that would otherwise have taken place outside of the state, and reimbursements are based on the anticipated tax gain for each particular event and require municipalities to match funds that are deposited in the Program at a 1:6.25 ratio; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Antonio has submitted local contributions of in the amount of \$177,690.00 for three events in Fiscal Years 2024 and 2025 and will submit local contributions in an amount up to \$188,563.00 for four events in Fiscal Years 2024 and 2025 and it is anticipated that the City will receive reimbursements for qualified expenses relating to these seven events in the amount of up to \$2,289,079.00 from the Program; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance authorizes the City’s required Program local contributions for seven events, the acceptance and distribution of reimbursement of qualified expenses of up to \$2,289,079.00 for these seven events hosted between 2024 and 2025, and approves Events Support Agreements for two of these events for a total amount of up to \$391,409.00, and appropriates the necessary funds; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The terms and conditions of the two Event Support Agreements, for a total amount of up to \$391,409.00, are authorized and approved. The City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to execute such Agreements, copies of which, previously executed by the respective

third parties, are attached to this Ordinance as **Exhibit I**.

SECTION 2. Funding in the amount of \$2,898,577.00 for this Ordinance is available in Fund 29002001, Cost Center 8003020001 and General Ledger 5407560 as part of the Fiscal Year 2025 Adopted Budget approved by City Council.

SECTION 3. Payment is authorized to Texas Governor’s Office Events Trust Fund and shall be encumbered with a purchase order.

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 Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall be effective ten days after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st day of May, 2025.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney