

ORDINANCE

RATIFYING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT FROM THE TEXAS PRESERVATION TRUST FUND FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000 AND AUTHORIZES A CASH MATCH OF \$25,000. FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000 IS AVAILABLE IN THE GENERAL FUND FY 2025 ADOPTED BUDGET.

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WHEREAS, in 2022, the Office of Historic Preservation launched a comprehensive survey and cultural heritage initiative which aims to build awareness, appreciation, and respect of, and for, San Antonio's African American heritage; and

WHEREAS, work from cultural heritage initiative resulted in educational exhibits and designations to preserve and promote African American heritage; and

WHEREAS, an African American Cultural Context Statement will also be released alongside other community resources to better understand the contributions of African Americans to San Antonio's unique cultural heritage; and

WHEREAS, proposed graphic novel and video documentary will accompany the African American heritage project and will expand learning opportunities for local students; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires a cash match of \$25,000 and funding is available in the amount of \$25,000 from the General Fund FY 2025 Adopted Budget; **NOW THEREFORE:** Staff recommends City Council ratify the grant proposal and authorize the acceptance of the grant

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager or designee, or the Director of the Office of Historic Preservation or designee, authorizes the acceptance of a grant from the Texas Preservation Trust Fund for an amount not to exceed \$25,000.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or designee, or the Director of the Office of Historic Preservation or designee, is further authorized to execute any and all necessary documents to effectuate acceptance of the grant from the Texas Preservation Trust Fund.

SECTION 3. Upon acceptance of this award, new funds and internal order numbers will be created, upon which the award amount not to exceed \$25,000 will be appropriated in said funds. A final budget, including Internal Orders and GL Accounts, will be submitted by the Office of Historic Preservation upon award.

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 SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 27th day of March 2025.

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Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney