

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

**ORDINANCE**

**AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$69,726.00 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES, FOR THE LAW ENFORCEMENT MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS ACT PROGRAM, FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2023 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2025, AND ESTABLISHING A BUDGET FOR THE GRANT.**

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**WHEREAS**, the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS), has available grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$69,726.00 for the San Antonio Police Department to fund the Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Program; and

**WHEREAS**, this grant will fund services surrounding officer emotional and mental health, suicide prevention, stress reduction, and police officer family assistance; and

**WHEREAS**, this grant will provide for psychological services and financial consulting services; and

**WHEREAS**, the grant period, which is from October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2025, does not require a cash or an in-kind match; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

**SECTION 1.** The City Manager and designee, and the San Antonio Chief of Police and designee, are hereby authorized to accept funds in an amount up to \$69,726.00 from the DOJ, the Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Program for the grant period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2025. A copy of said application is on file with the San Antonio Police Department.

**SECTION 2.** The City Manager and designee, and the San Antonio Chief of Police and designee, are hereby authorized to execute any and all necessary documents to effectuate said application and acceptance.

**SECTION 3.** Upon acceptance of this award, a new fund and internal order number will be created, upon which the sum of up to \$69,726.00 from the DOJ will be appropriated in said fund.

The proposed budget, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Exhibit A**, is approved and adopted for entry in the City books.

**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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2023.

**M A Y O R**  
Ron Nirenberg

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

# Exhibit A

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