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OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL**

AN ORDINANCE

RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR FOR THE APPRENTICESHIP BUILDING AMERICA PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE AND APPROPRIATION OF FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,983,433.00 FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2022 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026; APPROVING A PROGRAM BUDGET; AND AUTHORIZING NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF RELATED SUBCONTRACTS

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WHEREAS, in February 2022, the Department of Labor’s Employment and Training Administration Agency (DOL-ETA) announced the availability of funds authorized by the National Apprenticeship Act for the Apprenticeship Building America (“ABA”) grant program; and

WHEREAS, the City’s Workforce Development Office (“WDO”) applied for grant funding to establish the San Antonio Ready to Work – Apprenticeship Building American Program to increase diversity and equity in apprenticeship for underrepresented populations and underserved communities; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 2022, DOL-ETA notified the City of its award of \$2,983,433.00, to be expended by June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, WDO will use the ABA grant funding to augment the City’s SA: Ready to Work Program by expanding training opportunities to work-based learning, to hire five ABA grant-funded personnel positions, and to contract with community partners to conduct program activities such as: community outreach, intake, case management, emergency funding and wraparound services, apprenticeship matching and enrollment, job placement and job retention; and

WHEREAS, City Council approval is necessary to accept funds from DOL-ETA, to approve the budget and to authorize negotiation and execution of subcontracts. **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The submission of an application to the Department of Labor (DOL) for the Apprenticeship Building America Grant Program is hereby ratified. The City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to accept grant funds in the amount not to exceed \$2,983,433.00 from the Department of Labor for the Apprenticeship Building America Grant Program for a period beginning July 1, 2022 and ending June 30, 2026. A copy of the grant application, award notification letter and standard terms and conditions is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment I.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or his designee is further authorized to initiate, negotiate, and execute any and all necessary documents and grant contracts to effectuate acceptance of the grant funds referenced in this Ordinance, and to execute contract amendments pertaining to this contract to include: carryover funds, line item budget revisions, modifications to the performance measures so long as the terms of the amendment stay within the general parameters of the intent of the grant, and the acceptance

of additional funding by the granting agency, in an amount up to 20% of the total amount awarded to the grant.

SECTION 3. The City Manager or his designee is further authorized to negotiate and execute subcontracts related to the purposes of this Ordinance, in a form first approved by City Attorney's Office, and to execute any amendments related thereto.

SECTION 4. Upon acceptance of this award, new funds and internal order numbers are hereby authorized to be created, upon which the award amount not to exceed \$2,983,433.00 will be appropriated from DOL. The budget, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment II, is approved and adopted for entry in the City books.

SECTION 5. 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 6. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 4th day of August, 2022.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

ATTACHMENT I

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