

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLORENCE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE **COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT FUND**; AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACT AS THE CITY'S EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE IN ALL MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Florence desires to develop a viable community, including decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low- to moderate-income; and

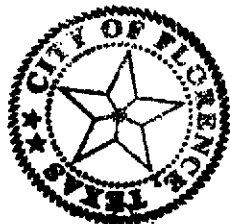
WHEREAS, certain conditions exist which represent a threat to the public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the best interests of the City of Florence to apply for funding under the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program;

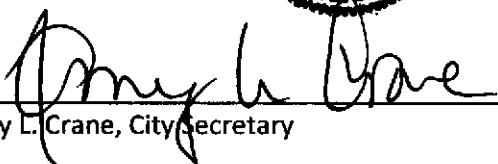
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLORENCE, TEXAS:

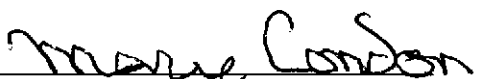
1. That a Texas Community Development Block Grant Program application for the Community Enhancement Fund is hereby authorized to be filed on behalf of the City of Florence with the Texas Department of Agriculture.
2. That the city's application be placed in competition for funding under the Community Enhancement Fund.
3. That the application be for up to \$500,000.00 of grant funds to provide a community center.
4. That the City Council directs and designates the Mayor as the city's Chief Executive Officer and Authorized Representative to act in all matters in connection with this application and the city's participation in the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program.
5. That all funds will be used in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local and programmatic requirements including but not limited to 24 CFR 58 and the Davis-Bacon Act.
6. That it further be stated that the City of Florence is committing minimum of \$25,000.00 from its General Fund as a cash contribution toward the construction activities of this community center project.

Passed and approved this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2016.



ATTEST:

  
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Amy L. Crane, City Secretary

  
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Mary Condon, Mayor