

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-009

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF THE APPLICATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF ALLOCATED FUNDS IF AWARDED FOR THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION FY22 GENERAL VICTIM ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2021

WHEREAS, The City of North Richland Hills, Texas possesses legal authority to apply for the Office of the Governor's Criminal Justice Division FY22 General Victim Assistance Grant Program, Grant #3544403, and make appointments for the conduct of business relative to the Grant; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of North Richland Hills finds it in the best interest of the citizens of North Richland Hills to provide prompt, comprehensive and compassionate victim services to all victims of violent crime, lessen the impact of the crime, aid in survivor's recovery and encourage participation in the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of North Richland Hills desires to respond to the emotional and physical needs of crime victims in the four-city area by providing trained crime victim advocates to assist them throughout the process and beyond once any criminal proceedings are concluded.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby finds that the recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into this Resolution as if written herein.

SECTION 2. The City Council of the City of North Richland Hills hereby authorizes and approves the submission of the application and acceptance if awarded for the Governor's Office Criminal Justice Division FY22 General Victim Assistance Grant Program, Grant #3544403.

SECTION 3. The City Council of North Richland Hills agrees to provide 20% of the total project for the required match funding.

SECTION 4. The City Council of North Richland Hills designates the Public Safety Director as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

SECTION 5. The City Council of North Richland Hills agrees that the loss or misuse of CJD funds or failure to comply with all CJD award requirements may result in suspension or termination of award funds, the repayment of award funds, and/or other remedies available by law.

SECTION 6. That this Resolution shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption, and it is so resolved; and all Resolutions of the City Council of the City in conflict herewith are hereby amended or repealed to the extent of such conflict.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 8th day of February, 2021.

CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

By: _____
Oscar Trevino, Mayor

ATTEST:

Alicia Richardson, City Secretary and
Chief Governance Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Maleshia McGinnis, City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Jimmy Perdue, Public Safety Director