RESOLUTION NO. 21-98

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, DESIGNATING A RESPONSIBLE OFFICER AND A FISCAL OFFICER TO SERVE THE CITY OF MESQUITE FOR REQUESTING A LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT BLOCK GRANT FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS, BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite is endeavoring to acquire law enforcement equipment under the Local Law Enforcement Block Grants Program within the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite is requesting funding for such programs from the Bureau of Justice Assistance in the amount of up to \$141,662 and anticipates authorizing the expenditure of up to \$15,740 as the City's match in cash contribution; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the City of Mesquite will endorse this project based on availability of funds and the success of the project;

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

SECTION 1. That Ted Barron, City Manager, is hereby designated Responsible Officer and Don Simons, Director of Finance, is hereby designated Fiscal Officer for the purpose of requesting, receiving and disbursing funds through the Bureau of Justice Assistance for this purpose.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon date of passage as the law in such cases provides.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas on the 20th day of July, 1998.

Mike Anderson

Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Ellen Williams City Secretary

City Attorney