

RESOLUTION NO. 70-2006

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A 2006 HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM SUB-RECIPIENT AGREEMENT WITH THE GOVERNOR'S DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,166.00, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF TEXAS REGARDING STATE USE OF HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT FUNDING FOR STATEWIDE LOCAL PROJECTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$136,070.65 CONTINGENT UPON STAFF'S DETERMINATION THAT SIGNING THE AGREEMENT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE AND DESIGNATING THE FIRE CHIEF AS THE RESPONSIBLE OFFICER FOR THE PURPOSE OF SIGNING ALL SUBORDINATE DOCUMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THESE GRANTS.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite Fire Department ("MFD") has been awarded a 2006 Homeland Security Grant in the amount of \$100,166.00; and

WHEREAS, this grant is divided into two parts that will fund \$63,550.00 for the Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Program to purchase an additional EOD-9 Bomb Suit and bomb tech rigging, and will fund \$36,616.00 for the Urban Area Security Initiative to purchase a remote initiation device and a digital imaging system for the MFD Bomb Squad; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite (the "City") has been awarded \$136,070.65 for use in multi-agency projects and the City is studying the possibility of the State of Texas expending these funds on its behalf as authorized in an agreement entitled "Election Regarding State Use of Homeland Security Grant Funding for Statewide Local Projects on Behalf of the City of Mesquite."

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

SECTION 1. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to sign a 2006 Homeland Security Grant Program Sub-Recipient Agreement (Award Number: 06-SR-47892-01) with the Governor's Division of Emergency Management in the amount of \$100,166.00.

SECTION 2. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to sign the agreement entitled "Election Regarding State Use of Homeland Security Grant Funding for Statewide Local Projects on Behalf of the City of Mesquite" in the amount of \$136,070.65 contingent upon staff's determination that signing the agreement is in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Mesquite.

SECTION 3. That the Fire Chief is hereby designated the Responsible Officer for the purpose of signing all subordinate documents associated with these grants.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 16th day of October, 2006.

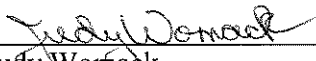


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Mike Anderson  
Mayor

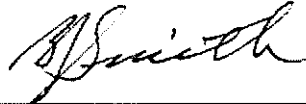
ATTEST:

APPROVED:



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Judy Wornack  
City Secretary



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B. J. Smith  
City Attorney