## RESOLUTION NO. 55-2020

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, ENDORSING AND ACCEPTING THE 2020-2021 CLICK IT OR TICKET SAFETY GRANT FOR THE SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM; APPROVING THE CONTRIBUTION OF CITY FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,541.61; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH GRANT AND PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite, Texas (the "City"), and the Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT") have shared funding of a Click It or Ticket ("CIOT") Selective Traffic Enforcement Program ("STEP") to promote roadway safety; and

WHEREAS, the single-year CIOT STEP grant will provide funding to hire off-duty officers on an overtime basis to detect and apprehend seatbelt violators on City roadways for the Fiscal Year 2020-2021; and

WHEREAS, the State will participate in the amount of \$5,995.90 to be supplemented by City funds in the amount of \$1,541.61 which are included in the 2020-2021 City Budget.

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

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the City of Mesquite, Texas, hereby endorses and accepts the 2020-2021 CIOT Safety Grant for the STEP from TxDOT.

SECTION 2. That the contribution of City funds in the sum of \$1,541.61 for the 2020-2021 CIOT STEP is hereby approved.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the necessary documents in connection with the CIOT STEP including, without limitation, all documents necessary for the purpose of requesting, receiving and dispensing funds through TxDOT for the Program.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 2nd day of November 2020.

Bruce Archer Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Sonja Land David L. Paschall
City Secretary City Attorney