

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

AGENDA DATE: June 4, 2024
PUBLIC HEARING DATE: N/A

CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Omar Martinez, Grants & Strat. Initiatives Manager, 915-479-0341
Ian Voglewede, Strat. and Legislative Affairs Director, 915-299-9409
Tony Nevarez, Aviation Director, 915-474-2424

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All Districts

STRATEGIC GOAL: No 7: Cultivate an Environment Conducive to Strong, Economic Development

SUBJECT:

Discussion and action on a Resolution authorizing the submission of an application to the United States Department of Defense Fiscal Year 2024 Defense Community Infrastructure Program ("DCIP") program requesting funds in the amount of \$7,000,000.00, with a \$3,000,000.00 (30%) match required from the City, for the Aerospace and Defense Technology (ADTech) Training Center Project.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The City of El Paso International Airport will construct the ADTech Training Center is a consolidated education, training, and testing facility for military personnel and civilians. The ADTech is co-located with a 250-acre Advanced Manufacturing Campus and an Innovation Factory focused on aerospace engineering and advanced manufacturing. The Project is being performed in coordination with Fort Bliss and White Sands Missile Range and will supplement existing military training and academic infrastructure, enabling increased military value through improved efficiency, enhanced readiness, and increased retention rates.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

\$3,000,000 from the Airport Enterprise Fund

HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED? X YES NO

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT: Strategic and Legislative Affairs

SECONDARY DEPARTMENT: Airport

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Ian Voglewede

Stephen Ian Voglewede

(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT City staff is authorized to submit an application to the United States Department of Defense Fiscal Year 2024 Defense Community Infrastructure Program (“DCIP”) program requesting funds in the amount of \$7,000,000, with a \$3,000,000 (30%) match required from the City, for the Aerospace and Defense Technology (ADTech) Training Center Project;

THAT the City Manager, or designee, is authorized to sign any documents necessary for the proper submission of said application;

THAT the City Manager, or designee, is authorized to sign any documents necessary to accept a grant resulting from said application, after consultation with the City Attorney’s Office;

THAT the City Manager, or designee, is authorized to sign any documents related to a grant resulting from the application, including, but not limited to, revisions to the project scope, and revisions that increase, decrease or de-obligate program funds;

THAT the City Manager, or designee, is authorized to explore funding sources and partnerships that leverage the strength of said application and any grant resulting from said application.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____ 2024.


CITY OF EL PASO:

Oscar Leeson
Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Juan Gonzalez
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Stephen Ian Voglewede
Strategic and Legislative Affairs Director