

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, members of the U.S. Congress may request funding to support specific community projects within their districts as part of the annual federal appropriations process; and

WHEREAS, such funding is referred to as “Community Project Funding” within the U.S. House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Congresswoman Veronica Escobar is currently accepting Community Project Funding requests; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso has identified the Ysleta International Port of Entry Engineering Design Project (the “Project”) as worthy of funding through the Community Project Funding process; and

WHEREAS, funds received for the Project would be used to design critical border infrastructure and allow the City of El Paso to secure funding for construction.

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

THAT City staff is authorized to submit an application to the Office of Congresswoman Veronica Escobar requesting an appropriation from the Community Project Funding program in the amount of \$4,000,000.00, with the federal government contributing \$3,200,000.00 and an \$800,000.00 match from the City, for the Ysleta International Port of Entry Engineering Design 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 _____ 2025.

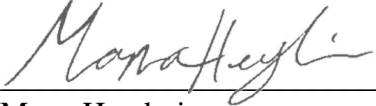
CITY OF EL PASO:

Renard U. Johnson
Mayor

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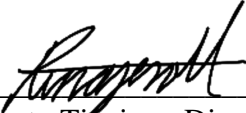
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