

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, in June, 2023, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) released the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the Solar for All program; and

WHEREAS, the program's goal is to ensure that low-income households have access to the economic benefits of solar energy, through providing financial support and other incentives; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso has identified energy burden and solar energy as priorities during the development of the Climate Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, the County of El Paso joined the Texas for All Coalition proposal led by Harris County, Texas; and

WHEREAS, the County of El Paso was awarded a \$ 6,010,030.00 no-match sub-award through the Texas Energy Poverty Research Institute (TEPRI); and

WHEREAS, the County has not entered into the sub-award agreement with TEPRI and desires the City of El Paso to enter into the sub-award agreement and accept and manage the sub-award.

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

THAT the City Manager is authorized to negotiate a sub-award agreement with the Texas Energy Poverty Research Institute (TEPRI), a Harris County's sub-recipient, to implement the program in El Paso utilizing a \$6,010,030.00 sub-award, with no match required from the City, for the Solar for All program in El Paso.

THAT the City Manager, or designee, after consultation with the City Attorney's Office, is authorized to sign any documents necessary for the proper implementation of said agreement and program including, but not limited to, revisions to the project scope, and revisions that increase, decrease or de-obligate program funds.

APPROVED this _____ day of _____ 2025.

CITY OF EL PASO:

Renard U. Johnson
Mayor

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ATTEST:

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City Clerk

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