

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 Congressman Tony Gonzales is currently accepting Community Project Funding requests; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso has identified the Fire Station 12 Reconstruction Project (the “Project”) as worthy of funding through the Community Project Funding process; and

WHEREAS, funds received for the Project would be used to replace the aging and functionally obsolete Fire Station 12 in Northeast El Paso; and

WHEREAS, the Project would not require matching funds from the City of El Paso.

NOW, 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 Congressman Tony Gonzales requesting funds from the Community Project Funding program in the amount of \$8,800,000.00, with no match required from the City, for the Fire Station 12 Reconstruction 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.

(Signatures on next page.)

APPROVED this _____ day of _____ 2024.


CITY OF EL PASO:

Oscar Leeser
Mayor

ATTEST:


Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Roberta Brito
Senior Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Stephen I. Voglewede
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