

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO RECEIVE A SUBGRANT UNDER THE SAFETY OFFICE HIGHWAY SAFETY SUBGRANT PROGRAM TO CREATE AN INITIATIVE TO REDUCE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING FATALITIES AND INJURIES BY CONDUCTING DELIBERATE ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS WHICH TARGET SPEED AND AGGRESSIVE DRIVING; AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO ACCEPT, IF AWARDED, SAID SUBGRANT IN AN APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF \$60,000.00; AND AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL APPLICABLE GRANT DOCUMENTS AND AGREEMENTS.

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) awards subgrants to traffic safety partners that undertake priority area programs and activities to improve safety and reduce crashes, serious injuries, and fatalities; and

WHEREAS, subgrants are awarded to state and local safety-related agencies to assist in the development and implementation of programs in traffic safety priority areas and funding for these subgrants are apportioned to states annually from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration according to a formula based on population and road miles; and

WHEREAS, the deadline to submit the requisite application for concept papers and consideration to receive said subgrant was February 28, 2018, and the Police Department has applied for said subgrant from the Florida Department of Transportation State Safety Office Highway Safety Subgrant Program in the approximate amount of \$60,000; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the Police Department will utilize the subgrant funds to create an initiative to reduce traffic accidents involving fatalities and injuries by conducting deliberate enforcement operations which target speed and aggressive driving; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the acceptance of said subgrant funds does not require a contribution of matching funds and will incur no cost to the taxpayers of the City of Hollywood; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police recommends that the City Commission ratify the submission of the application for the subgrant; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police recommends that the appropriate City Officials if awarded, accept the Florida Department of Transportation State Safety Office Highway Safety Subgrant Program subgrant funds in the approximate amount of \$60,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated in this Resolution.

Section 2: That it ratifies the submission of the application to the Florida Department of Transportation for subgrant funding from the Safety Office Highway Safety Program.

Section 3: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to accept said subgrant, if awarded; provided, however, the City Manager shall have the discretion to refuse the subgrant in those circumstances where he determines it is in the best interest of the City to do so in which case he shall advise the City Commission of his intention to refuse the subgrant.

Section 4: That upon the Florida Department of Transportation State Safety Office Highway Safety Subgrant Program subgrant funds being awarded to the City, and the City Manager accepting said award, the appropriate City Officials are authorized to execute any and all applicable grant documents and Agreements in a form acceptable to the City Manager and approved as to form and legal sufficiency by the City Attorney.

Section 5: That it hereby authorizes the Department of Financial Services to create certain accounts to recognize revenue for the program funding, if awarded.

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Section 6: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2018.

JOSH LEVY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM & LEGAL SUFFICIENCY for the use and reliance of the City of Hollywood, Florida, only.

DOUGLAS R. GONZALES, CITY ATTORNEY