ORDINANCE No. 2022-28

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE PATRICK LEAHY BULLETPROOF VEST PARTNERSHIP GRANT AWARD IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$8500 TO OFFSET THE PURCHASE COST OF VESTS FOR LEON VALLEY POLICE OFFICERS; AUTHORIZING A GENERAL FUND BUDGET ADJUSTMENT INCREASE IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$8500; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER, SEVERABILITY AND SAVINGS CLAUSES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Leon Valley is authorized to adopt ordinances for the purpose of good government, peace, or order of the municipality pursuant to Chapter 51 of the Local Government Code; and has the authority to adopt an ordinance pursuant to Section 341.905 of the Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, it is the overall goal of the City of Leon Valley to provide for safety of our citizens and all who visit our community in an economically expeditious manner; and

WHEREAS, in order to further these goals, the City of Leon Valley applied for a Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant administered by the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) and Office of Justice Programs (OJP) to fund a portion of the purchase of bulletproof vests for all officers on the Leon Valley Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City of Leon Valley was notified of the award in the amount not to exceed \$8500 to cover a portion of the expense for purchasing the vests for each officer during the designated period in 2021-2022; and

WHEREAS, Texas Local Government Code Section 102.010 provides that a municipality is not prohibited from making changes to a budget for municipal purposes: and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to adjust the General Fund Budget to increase the Budget in the amount not to exceed \$8500 in order to purchase the items and receive a reimbursement by the Department of Justice (DOJ) and Office of Justice Programs (OJP); and

WHEREAS, the Leon Valley City Council desires to authorize the acceptance of the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant in the amount not to exceed \$8500 and authorize a budget adjustment increase in the amount not to exceed \$8500.

WHEREAS, The City of Leon Valley finds it in the best interest of the citizens of Leon Valley, that the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant be operated for the year 2022; and

WHEREAS, The City of Leon Valley agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of the Office of the Governor funds, The City of Leon Valley assures that the funds will be returned to the Department of Justice (DOJ) and Office of Justice Programs (OJP); and

WHEREAS, The City of Leon Valley designates City Manager Crystal Caldera as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate the grants on behalf of the applicant agency.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant Award in the amount not to exceed \$8500 to purchase bulletproof vests is accepted, and the FY 2021-2022 General Fund Budget of the City of Leon Valley is hereby adjusted to increase the budget by up to \$8500.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or her designee, or the Chief of Police or his designee, is hereby authorized to accept said grant under substantially the same terms and conditions as applied for and is further authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate said acceptance.

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance. The Director of Finance, may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any other remaining phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. The repeal of any Ordinance or part of Ordinances effectuated by the enactment of this Ordinance shall not be construed as abandoning any action now pending under or by virtue of such Ordinance or as discontinuing, abating, modifying or altering any penalty accruing or to accrue, or as affecting any rights of the municipality under any section or provisions at the time of passage of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Leon Valley this the 12th day of July 2022.

APPROVED

CHRIS RILEY

MAYOR

Attest :

SAUNDRA PASSAILAIGUE, TRMC City Secretary



Approved as to Form:

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City Attorney