

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (DOJ) BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE (BJA) FY25 OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS COMMUNITY BASED VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION INITIATIVE (CVIPI) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,000,000 FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A REAL-TIME INFORMATION CENTER; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the DOJ BJA opened the FY25 Community-Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative (CVIPI) grant program on September 17, 2025, for grant applications to support law enforcement efforts to reduce violent crime and improve police-community relations through a range of cross-sector enforcement, prevention, and intervention strategies that leverage active collaboration with communities through sustained partnerships and engagement; and

WHEREAS, the organizations eligible for funding include county, city, township, and tribal governments; and

WHEREAS, the City of Denton is eligible to apply for the funds under the application criteria; and

WHEREAS, the grant is proposed to provide \$1,000,000 in funding to the City for design and construction of a real-time information center; and

WHEREAS, the City has developed the necessary application materials required to make an application to the DOJ BJA CVIPI program; and

WHEREAS, a grant application was submitted on November 3, 2025. NOW THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. The application for the FY25 Community-Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative (CVIPI) grant program is hereby ratified.

SECTION 2. The City Manager, or designee, is designated, delegated, and authorized to request grant funding under the FY25 CVIPI program, including the submission of the application, and act on behalf of the City of Denton in all matters related to the grant application and any subsequent grant contracts and grant projects that may result.

SECTION 3. Should the project be funded, then the City of Denton shall comply with the requirements of the DOJ.

SECTION 4. The project funds and any project-funded equipment and facilities will be used solely for the purposes for which they are intended under the grant.

SECTION 5. This ordinance is effective immediately upon its passage.

The motion to approve this ordinance was made by _____ and seconded by _____, the ordinance was passed and approved by the following vote [____ - ____]:

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Gerard Hudspeth:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vicki Byrd, District 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brian Beck, District 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Suzi Rumohr, District 3:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Joe Holland, District 4:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brandon Chase McGee, At Large Place 5:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Jill Jester, At Large Place 6:	_____	_____	_____	_____

PASSED AND APPROVED this the _____ day of _____, 2025.

GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:
INGRID REX, CITY SECRETARY

BY: _____

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:
MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY

BY: Susan Keller
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