

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE, TEXAS, FOR THE TRANSFER TO LEWISVILLE OF ITS SHARE (\$21,798) OF THE PROCEEDS OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE – OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS – EDWARD BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG GRANT) 2022; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, On June 22, 2022, the U.S. Department of Justice - Office of Justice Programs - Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (“JAG Grant”) issued Local Solicitation Number O-BJA-2022-171368 for Fiscal Year 2022; and

WHEREAS, the JAG Grant program furthers the Department of Justice's mission by assisting state, local, and tribal law enforcement efforts to prevent or reduce crime and violence; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to this solicitation and in accordance with the 2022 Texas Local JAG Allocation, the City of Denton, Texas, the City of Lewisville, Texas, and Denton County, Texas, were eligible for a JAG Grant totaling \$53,999, in the following amounts:

- a. The City of Denton: \$32,201.
- b. The City of Lewisville: \$21,798.
- c. Denton County: No amount was specified as Denton County did not submit the level of violent crime data to qualify for a direct award from the Bureau of Justice Assistance (“BJA”); and

WHEREAS, The City of Denton applied for this solicitation and was awarded a JAG Grant for Fiscal Year 2023 in the amount of \$53,999; and

WHEREAS, neither the City of Lewisville nor Denton County applied for this solicitation; and

WHEREAS, although the City of Lewisville and Denton County did not apply for this solicitation, the City of Denton understood that it would act as the fiscal agent and the funds could be shared through a Interlocal Cooperation Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Denton Police Department applied for grant funding for the purchase of individual first aid kits (IFAK); and

WHEREAS, the City of Lewisville Police Department agrees to purchase individual first aid kits (IFAK) in an amount not to exceed \$21,798.00; and

WHEREAS, the City of Denton will reimburse funds to the City of Lewisville in an amount not to exceed \$21,798.00 once the equipment is purchased and documentation of such purchase is provided; and

WHEREAS, this agreement is permitted by the JAG Grant and is for a legitimate law enforcement purpose; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lewisville's Police Department agrees that it will follow all applicable obligations under the JAG Grant that extend to the use of equipment purchases; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lewisville will be responsible for its record keeping and compliance as required by the JAG Grant; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Denton, in the interest of public safety, approves this Memorandum of Understanding; NOW THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. The recitals are hereby incorporated as if set out fully herein.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or their designee is hereby authorized to execute the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the City of Lewisville, Texas, attached hereto as Exhibit "A," authorizing the reimbursement of JAG Grant funds to Lewisville for the individual first aid kits (IFAK) in an amount not to exceed \$21,798.00, and to take that action necessary to accomplish the intent and purposes stated herein.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

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:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Paul Meltzer, 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:
LAUREN THODEN, CITY SECRETARY

BY: _____

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:
MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY

BY: _____