

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLESON, TEXAS AWARDING HOTEL/MOTEL TAX GRANTS TO APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026-27.

WHEREAS, the City of Burleson, Texas (“City”), is a home rule city acting under its charter adopted by the electorate pursuant to Article XI, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 9 of the Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the City collects a hotel occupancy tax (“HOT”) pursuant to Chapter 351 of the Texas Tax Code; and

WHEREAS, the use of the HOT funds is established by state law; and

WHEREAS, the City recently accepted applications for HOT funds grants; and

WHEREAS, the City Council reviews grant applications annually and votes to approve, modify, or deny grant awards as requested; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to approve the HOT fund grant applicants for the events and in the amounts as set forth in Exhibit “A” (“HOT Funds Grant Applicant Award List”); and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that HOT funds granted to the applicants as set forth on Exhibit “A” would promote tourism and the convention and hotel industry; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that granting HOT funds to the Heritage Museum and Visitor Center as set forth on Exhibit A would promote tourism and the convention and hotel industry and the use is limited as specified in subsections (a)(1) and (a)(5)(A) of Section 351.101, Texas Tax Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that granting HOT funds to the other applicants on the HOT Funds Grant Applicant Award List other than the Heritage Museum and Visitor Center would promote tourism and the convention and hotel industry and the use is limited as specified in subsections (a)(3), (a)(4), (a)(5)(A), and/or (a)(6)(A) of Section 351.101, Texas Tax Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLESON, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1.

City Council approves the grant of HOT funds as described in the HOT Funds Grant Applicant Award List attached as Exhibit “A.” The HOT funds shall be distributed pursuant to the requirements and limitations set forth in the hotel/motel tax grant policy.

Section 2.

The foregoing recitals are adopted and incorporated herein for all purposes.

Section 3.

This resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND SO RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Burleson, Texas,
on the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Chris Fletcher, Mayor
City of Burleson, Texas

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amanda Campos, City Secretary

E. Allen Taylor, Jr., City Attorney

Exhibit A
Hot Funds Grant Applicant Award List

[TO BE DETERMINED]