

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF CITY OF MISSION ADOPTING GUIDELINES FOR A MUNICIPAL COURT AMNESTY PROGRAM DURING THE MONTH MARCH 2023 AND OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Mission wishes to establish a temporary amnesty program to allow violators with outstanding warrants to voluntarily appear in court to resolve their charges and do so without fear of arrest; and

WHEREAS, failure to appear charges and warrant fees will be waived upon payment in full of the underlying violation and the City of Mission municipal warrant(s) will be recalled; and

WHEREAS, the Mission Municipal Court office is located at 1200 E 8th Street, Mission, TX and payments can be made in person Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

WHEREAS, this Resolution shall be in force and effect immediately upon having been read, considered and approved by Council and until the close of business on March 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, upon conclusion of the temporary amnesty program, the City of Mission shall return to regular enforcement of arrest warrants and fines.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Mission approves the Mission Municipal Court Amnesty Month for March 1 through March 31, 2023 as stated herein.

READ, CONSIDERED AND APPROVED, this 27th day of February 2023.

Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor

Attest:

Anna Carrillo, City Secretary