



MEETING DATE: September 8, 2026
PRESENTED BY: Michael Elizalde, Director of Grants & strategic Development
AGENDA ITEM: Discussion and possible action on matters related to the acceptance of a grant award from the Texas Office of the Governor for the FY27 Operation Lone Star Grant Program in the amount of \$1,179,814.98 with no match requirements- Elizalde

NATURE OF REQUEST:

On August 25, 2026, the city received award notice from the Texas Office of the Governor for the FY27 Operation Lone Star (OLS) grant program. The project will allow the Police Department to support approximately 6,500 hours in overtime, acquisition of four (4) Chevy Tahoe Vehicles, fifty (50) p-25 portable radios, and two (2) skywatch towers. The program will support the department to reduce border-related criminal activity and increase effectiveness of its operations. The total grant award is \$1,179,814.98 and does not require a match.

BUGETED: Yes FY26-27 **FUND:** Designated Purpose **ACCT. #:** _____

BUDGET: \$1,179,814.98 **EST. COST:** \$ _____ **CURRENT BUDGET BALANCE:** \$1,179,814.98

BID AMOUNT: \$ _____

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

Departmental Approval: Finance

Advisory Board Recommendation: N/A

City Manager's Recommendation: Approval *AG*

RECORD OF VOTE: **APPROVED:** _____

DISAPPROVED: _____

TABLED: _____

_____ AYES

_____ NAYS

_____ DISSENTING _____