

August 12, 2026

WHEREAS, the United States (U.S.) Department of Justice has made funding available through the Model Cities Initiative to support local efforts to reduce violent crime, strengthen public safety response, improve enforcement and deterrence, support prosecution and victim services, and advance coordinated public safety strategies; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dallas finds it in the best interest of the residents of Dallas to submit an application for Model Cities Initiative funding to support the City's violent crime reduction and public safety priorities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dallas designates the City Manager as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dallas designates the Chief Financial Officer as the grantee's financial officer. The financial officer is given the power to submit financial and/or programmatic reports or alter a grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized to submit an application to the U.S. Department of Justice for the Model Cities Initiative Grant funding to support the City of Dallas' violent crime reduction, public safety response, enforcement, prosecution, victim services, and related public safety priorities.

SECTION 2. That the City of Dallas designates the City Manager or designee as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.