

AN ORDINANCE **97684**

ACCEPTING FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,800.00 FROM THE TEXAS HISTORIC COMMISSION TO CREATE A USER-FRIENDLY BROCHURE FOR OWNERS OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES THAT DESCRIBES BEST PRACTICES FOR RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION, AND TO ASSIST STAFF TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL NATIONAL PRESERVATION CONFERENCE; AND AUTHORIZING A \$1,800.00 MATCH FROM THE CITY'S FINCK BUILDING FUND.

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WHEREAS, the Texas Historical Commission (THC) has offered a grant to the City in the amount of \$1,800.00, which the City will match from the Finck Building Fund; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance Number 73520 passed and approved on April 18, 1991 authorized the use of funds for such preservation purposes as may be determined to be in the best interest of the City of San Antonio to promote the goals of the Historic Preservation Office; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to use said funds to provide owners of historic properties with brochures that describe the best practices for restoration and rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, it is also necessary to use said funds to provide for travel expenses of the Historic Preservation Office Staff in order that they present an educational session at the National Preservation Conference in Denver, Colorado; and

WHEREAS, the match of the \$1,800 grant is an appropriate use of the Finck Building Fund to promote the goals of the Historic Preservation Office, and such funds have traditionally been used as matching funds for grants awarded them by other organizations; **NOW THEREFORE**;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to accept funds in the amount of \$1,800.00 from the Texas Historic Commission (THC) to offset the cost of a brochure of best maintenance and improvement practices for historic preservation homeowners and for staff travel expenses for the presentation of an educational session at the National Preservation conference.

SECTION 2. Fund No. 26-006016, entitled "BEST PRACTICES BROCHURE GRANT" is hereby designated for use in accounting for the above grant, and the sum of \$3,600.00 is hereby appropriated in said fund as set out in the detailed budget affixed hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment I.

SECTION 3. The City's Match in the amount of \$1,800.00 is authorized to be appropriated in the Finck Building Fund No. 62-014059, Index Code 929497 for transfer to Best Practices Brochure Grant, Fund No. 26-006016.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance will be effective on June 8, 2003.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 29th DAY OF JUNE, 2003.



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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST: 
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 
for City Attorney