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Item #18

AN ORDINANCE **98202**

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HER DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT A MATCHING GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,273 FROM THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON THE ARTS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF THE THIRD ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL ACCORDION FESTIVAL; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HER DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE THE FIRST AMENDED AND RESTATED FUNDING CONTRACT WITH THE INTERNATIONAL ACCORDION FESTIVAL, A TEXAS NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, TO REFLECT THESE MATCHING FUNDS; AND PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF \$5,273 TO THE INTERNATIONAL ACCORDION FESTIVAL FOR PRODUCING THE EVENT.

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WHEREAS, the International Accordion Festival (“IAF”) is scheduled to hold its third annual free festival at La Villita on October 18 and 19, 2003 (“Event”), and over the past three years, this Event has developed a reputation for providing high quality entertainment and educational programming by presenting performances and workshops featuring diverse, accordion-based musical traditions of the world, with the Office of Cultural Affairs (“OCA”) serving as an integral partner in the Event each year; and

WHEREAS, this Event is unique in the nation and is quickly becoming one of the jewels of the fall arts season, evidenced by the fact that last year people traveled from as far away as Washington State and Washington D.C. specifically to attend the Festival; and

WHEREAS, by the passage of Ordinance No. 98061 on August 28, 2003, City Council authorized the acceptance of a \$50,000 grant from the National Endowment for the Arts (“NEA”) and the execution of a Funding Contract for said funds with the IAF to produce the Event; and

WHEREAS, Texas Commission on the Arts (“TCA”) has awarded OCA with a grant of matching funds in the amount of \$5,273 for the Event; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this grant, corporate sponsors, concession sales and in-kind services will provide matching funds to support the Event; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The acceptance of a \$5,273 grant from the TCA to support the International Accordion Festival to be held in San Antonio on October 18 and 19, 2003, is hereby authorized and approved. The terms and conditions of the First Amended and Restated Funding Contract between the City of San Antonio and the IAF for the use of these funds are hereby approved, and payment to the IAF in the amount of \$5,273 is hereby authorized and approved.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or her designee is authorized to execute the First Amended and Restated Funding Contract with the IAF for a sixty (60) day period following the effective date of this Ordinance. A copy of said First Amended and Restated Funding Contract, previously executed by the IAF, is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit I.

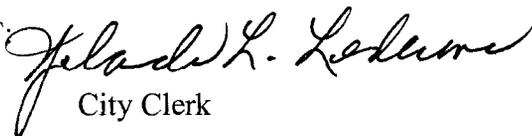
SECTION 3. Fund No. 26-005129 has been previously designated for the accounting of this project and the budget of said project is authorized to be revised by increasing Revenue Index No. 029447 and Expenditure Index No. 361097 by \$5,273 and said amount is authorized for encumbrance and payable to International Accordion Festival.

SECTION 4. A copy of the grant award is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit II.

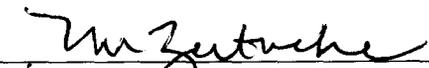
SECTION 5. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance of the City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific index codes and fund numbers as necessary to carry out the purposes of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall be effective on and after the tenth day after passage hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 25th day of September, 2003.

ATTEST: 
City Clerk


M A Y O R
EDWARD D. GARZA

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 
for City Attorney