

AN ORDINANCE **9 8 2 6 1**

AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$120,500.00 FROM THE TRANSPORTATION SECURITY ADMINISTRATION (TSA) FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE TSA EXPLOSIVES DETECTION CANINE TEAM PROGRAM AT SAN ANTONIO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT; APPROPRIATING FUNDS AND ESTABLISHING A BUDGET.

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WHEREAS, the Aviation and Transportation Security Act was established to improve airport security; and

WHEREAS, the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) offers grant funding for enhanced security programs; and

WHEREAS, San Antonio International Airport desires to continue its participation in the TSA Explosives Detection Canine Team Program to respond to threats and suspected threat explosive devices which affect public safety or air carrier operations; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the acceptance of a grant by the TSA, establish a budget, and appropriate funds; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager or her designee is authorized to accept a grant in an amount not to exceed \$120,500.00 from the Transportation Security Administration (“TSA”) to reimburse the Aviation Department for costs related to the City of San Antonio’s continued participation in the TSA Explosives Detection Canine Team Program. Said program establishes eligible reimbursement of up to \$40,000.00 per team and TSA has approved funding for 3 teams in San Antonio, plus \$500.00 in travel expenses to attend the Annual Program Review, for a total grant not to exceed \$120,500.00. Funding will allow canine team utilization at the San Antonio International Airport with 24-hour per day, 7-day per week responses.

SECTION 2. Fund No. 26-059195, entitled “AIRPORT K-9 GRANT” is hereby designated for use in accounting for the above grant, and the sum of \$120,500.00 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 financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director may, subject to the 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 purpose of the Ordinance.

SECTION 4. The ordinance shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2nd DAY OF OCTOBER, 2003.



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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST: Jolanda L. Ledesma
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: M. Zertuche
for City Attorney