

AN ORDINANCE

**98994**

**AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$523,226.00 TO THE UNITED STATES FIRE ADMINISTRATION, UNDER THE 2004 ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTER GRANT PROGRAM, TO BE USED, IF AWARDED, FOR FIRE OFFICER TRAINING, INCIDENT MANAGEMENT TRAINING, COMMUNICATIONS TRAINING AND COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT; AND AUTHORIZING A THIRTY PERCENT (30%) CITY MATCH, IF AWARDED.**

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**WHEREAS**, the United States Fire Administration (USFA) is authorized to make funds available for Fiscal Year 2004 under the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the San Antonio Fire Department would like to request the amount of \$523,226.00 through the grant program which, if awarded, will be used to provide fire officer training, incident management training, communications training and communications equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, an award of these grant funds would require a cash match of \$156,968.00, or 30% of the funding request; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

**SECTION 1.** The City Manager, or her designated representative, is hereby authorized to submit a grant application in the amount of \$523,226.00 to the United States Fire Administration (USFA) under the 2004 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program which, if awarded, will be used to provide fire officer training, incident management training, communications training and communications equipment. A cash match of \$156,968.00 or 30% of the funding request is hereby authorized in connection with the submission of the grant application. A copy of the grant application shall be kept in the Office of the Fire Chief.

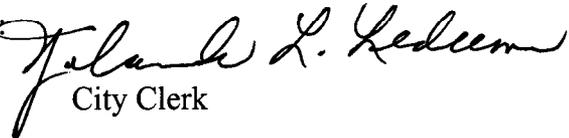
**SECTION 2.** Funding will be accomplished by way of a subsequent Ordinance should the grant funds be awarded.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance shall take effect ten days from the date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2004.

  
M A Y O R  
EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
City Attorney