

AN ORDINANCE

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AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION AND THE ACCEPTANCE OF A JUVENILE ACCOUNTABILITY BLOCK GRANT, UPON AWARD, FROM THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR, CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION, BY THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO'S DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY INITIATIVES, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$345,848.00 FOR THE PERIOD AUGUST 1, 2004 TO JULY 31, 2005 TO SUPPORT THE STRIVING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE REWARDING TOMORROWS AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD CONFERENCING COMMITTEES PROGRAMS; AND APPROVING A BUDGET AND A PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT.

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WHEREAS, the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division has notified the City of San Antonio of its intention to provide continuation funds from the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant in an amount not to exceed \$345,848.00 from August 1, 2004 to July 31, 2005, administered by the Department of Community Initiatives; and

WHEREAS, the continuation grant will fund the Neighborhood Conferencing Committees (NCC) and Striving Together to Achieve Rewarding Tomorrows (START) Programs; and

WHEREAS, the NCC program is a modified community justice program that utilizes community volunteers to contract with juvenile offenders and their families for appropriate consequences; and

WHEREAS, the START program is a long-term, intensive case management program established by the Columbia University National Center for Addiction and Substance Abuse (CASA); and

WHEREAS, the total funding for the program is not to exceed \$345,848.00 with a certified cash match not to exceed \$38,441.00; **NOW THEREFORE:**

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager, or in her stead, the Deputy City Manager, an Assistant City Manager, an Assistant to the City Manager, or a Department Director are authorized to apply for, and upon award, accept, reject, alter, or terminate this continuation Juvenile Accountability Block Grant from the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division in an amount not to exceed \$345,848.00 to support the Neighborhood Conferencing Committees and Striving Together to Achieve Rewarding Tomorrows Programs from August 1, 2004 to July 31, 2005, which requires a certified cash match not to exceed \$38,441.00. The City Manager, or in her stead, the Deputy City Manager, an Assistant City Manager, an Assistant to the City Manager, or a Department Director, is further authorized to execute any and all necessary documents in connection with the acceptance of said grant award. In the event of loss or misuse of Criminal Justice Division funds, the City will return all funds to the Criminal Justice Division.

SECTION 2. The Budget, attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment I, is approved.

SECTION 3. The Personnel Complement, attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment II, is approved.

SECTION 4. Fund No. 26-055321 entitled Juvenile Accountability Block Grant/6 is designated for use in accounting for said program.

SECTION 5. The financial allocations in this ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, 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.

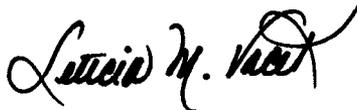
SECTION 6. This ordinance shall become effective on and after October 3, 2004.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 23rd day of September 2004.



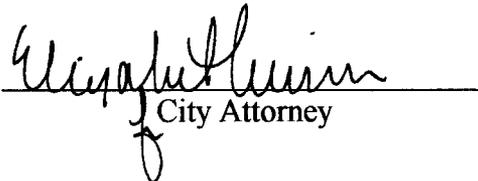
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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:



City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


City Attorney