

# RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

*A resolution (1) approving the submission of a Fire Prevention and Safety grant application for up to \$35,000, to purchase fire inspection and code enforcement equipment; (2) agreeing to match grant funds with \$3,500; and (3) authorizing the Mayor to sign all grant-related documents.*

**WHEREAS**, the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program, administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, was established by the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974, in part, to provide funding for fire prevention and safety activities to designed to reach high-risk target groups and mitigate the incidence of death and injuries caused by fire and fire-related hazards;

**WHEREAS**, the Hammond Fire Department desires to provide better protection from fire through code enforcement and fire inspections by purchasing equipment to assist with such inspections before a fire and equipment for investigating and documenting the causes of every fire; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond has prepared a Fire Prevention and Safety grant application in the amount of \$35,000 for these activities and agrees to match these grant funds with \$3,500 from the Fire Department budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY OF HAMMOND HEREBY

1. Approves the submission of a Fire Prevention and Safety grant application for up to \$35,000 to purchase fire inspection and code enforcement equipment;
2. Agrees to match grant funds with \$3,500; and
3. Authorizes the Mayor to sign all grant-related documents.

Approved and adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Council, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Hammond City Council with the following roll call vote:

Yeas: \_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_

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Whitney Statham  
Hammond City Council Clerk

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Robert "Bobby" Martin  
Hammond City Council President