



RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

A resolution (1) supporting the submission of a \$17,000 Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant application to purchase new and replacement body armor vests for Hammond police officers; and (2) supporting a \$8,500 cash match from the Hammond Police Department.

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Bulletproof Vest Partnership is to reimburse states, counties, federally-recognized tribes, cities, and local jurisdictions up to 50% of the cost of body armor vests purchased for law enforcement officers;

WHEREAS, the Hammond Police Department, which has established a mandatory wear policy and replacement cycle for body armor vests to maximize officer safety, is eligible and desires to apply for up to \$8,500 in BVP funding to purchase new and replacement vests; and

WHEREAS, the HPD is prepared to match these grant funds with up to \$8,500 in cash.

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

1. Supports the submission of a \$17,000 Bulletproof Vest Partnership grant application to purchase new and replacement body armor vests for Hammond police officers.
2. Supports a \$8,500 cash match from the Hammond Police Department.

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 following roll call vote:

Yeas: ____ Nays: ____ Absent: ____

Tonia Banks
Hammond City Council Clerk

Johnny Blount
Hammond City Council President