



RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

NO. _____

A resolution 1) accepting a grant from the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership in the amount of \$11,074.10 to purchase new and replacement body armor for Hammond police officers; 2) approving an \$11,074.10 cash match from the Hammond Police Department; and 3) authorizing the Mayor or his designee to complete and sign related documents.

WHEREAS, following an application to the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership, administered by the Bureau of Justice Assistance, the City has been awarded a \$11,074.10 grant to purchase new and replacement body armor for Hammond police officers; and

WHEREAS, the Hammond Police Department, which has established a mandatory wear policy and replacement cycle for body armor to maximize officer safety, is prepared to match these grant funds with \$22,000 in cash to purchase this new and replacement body armor.

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

1. accepts a \$11,074.10 grant from the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership to purchase new and replacement body armor for Hammond police officers;
2. approves an \$11,074.10 cash match from the Hammond Police Department; and
3. authorizes the Mayor or his designee to complete and sign related documents.

Approved and adopted this _____ day of _____, 2026.

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: Carlee Gonzales (), Kip Andrews (), Sam DiVittorio (), Devon Wells (), Steve Leon ().

Yeas: ____ Nays: ____ Absent: ____

Lisa Cockerham
Hammond City Council Clerk

Kip Andrews
Hammond City Council President