

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-06- _____ (R)

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MCKINNEY AND THE DALLAS REGIONAL URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE TASK FORCE (TEXAS TASK FORCE 2)

WHEREAS, in 2004, the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department proposed the concept of a regional Urban Search and Rescue Task Force to the North Central Texas Council of Governments; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Texas task Force II is to provide a coordinated effort including the necessary personnel and equipment to locate, extricate, rescue, and provide immediate medical treatment to victims trapped as a result of a natural or manmade disaster; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Task Force 2 Urban Search & Rescue Team will rapidly mobilize to assist municipal, state, and federal agencies when called upon; and

WHEREAS, along with the City of Dallas, the team is made up of over 200 members from DFW Airport, Richardson Fire Department, Irving Fire Department, Garland Fire Department, Haltom City Fire Department, Farmers Branch Fire Department, Bedford Fire Department, Burleson Fire Department, University of Texas Health Science Center Dallas, Commerce Fire Department, McKinney Fire Department, and Travis County Emergency Services District; and

WHEREAS, the City of McKinney agrees to serve as a Task Force member for the Dallas Regional Urban Search and Rescue Task Force.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of McKinney, Texas hereby authorizes the City Manager to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement between the City of McKinney and the Dallas Regional Urban Search and Rescue Task Force (Texas Task Force 2).

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS ON THE 19th DAY OF JUNE, 2012.

CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

BRIAN LOUGHMILLER
Mayor

ATTEST:

SANDY HART, TRMC, MMC
City Secretary
BLANCA I. GARCIA
Assistant City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MARK S. HOUSER
City Attorney