

**RESOLUTION NO. 2013-08-\_\_\_ (R)**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT, IF AWARDED, A STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE (SAFER) GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA) TO HIRE FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of McKinney, Texas, designates the City Manager, or designee, as the City's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate the agreement on behalf of the applicant agency.

**WHEREAS**, the goal of the SAFER program is to assist local fire departments with staffing and deployment capabilities so that they may respond to emergencies whenever they occur, assuring their communities and firefighters have adequate protection from fire and fire-related hazards.

**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 approves the submission of the grant application and acceptance of the grant, if awarded, for an approximately \$2,600,194 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to hire fire department personnel.

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after the date of passage and is so resolved.

**DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS ON THE 26th DAY OF AUGUST, 2013.**

CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

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BRIAN LOUGHMILLER  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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MARK S. HOUSER  
City Attorney