

RESOLUTION NO. 29-1990

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE "URBAN MAIN STREET" PROGRAM.

WHEREAS; The Texas Main Street Project of the Texas Historical Commission has been authorized to assist historic commercial areas in cities with a population of 50,000 and over develop a public/private effort to revitalize their target area, and up to three Texas cities will be selected to participate in the project in 1991, and

WHEREAS; The City of Abilene has contracted with the Abilene Improvement Corporation to implement a downtown revitalization plan, and

WHEREAS; The Abilene Improvement Corporation has established a program budget and hired a downtown manager; and

WHEREAS; The Texas and Pacific Historic District has been designated in downtown.

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

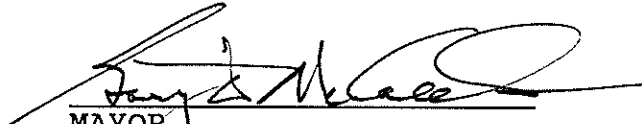
1. That it is in the public interest that this City support the development and diversification of the economy of this city as will be accomplished by the Urban Main Street Program.
2. That the City of Abilene apply for selection to participate in the 1991 "Urban Main Street" program with the specific goal of revitalizing a targeted business district within the context of the preservation and rehabilitation of its historic buildings.
3. That the City of Abilene will assist in the funding of full-time Main Street Project staff for three years and provide the staff with travel funds for training. That the City Council of Abilene commit the following financial support to the Abilene Improvement Corporation Main Street Project for year one: \$96,880.00 which is the budget under the current contract.
4. That the City will co-sponsor with the Abilene Improvement Corporation under current contract, the Urban Main Street Program.

5. That Julie Caddel, Downtown Manager, be designated to coordinate the program on behalf of the City and serve as the principal contact in relation to matters involving the city.

Adopted this 26 day of July, 1990.

ATTEST:

  
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CITY SECRETARY

  
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MAYOR

APPROVED:

  
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CITY ATTORNEY

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