

RESOLUTION NO. 7-1991

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING APPLICATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION (EDA) OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS AND DEVELOPMENT FACILITIES PROGRAM FOR A GRANT TO RENOVATE HANGAR #4 AT THE ABILENE REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN AND SUBMIT ALL DOCUMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE GRANT APPLICATION.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Abilene, Texas adopted an Overall Economic Development Program (OEDP) for the City; and

WHEREAS, the OEDP calls for the upgrade of employment training facilities through Texas State Technical Institute (TSTI); and

WHEREAS, the OEDP calls for enhancement of the Airport facility and the location of a suitable site for TSTI; and

WHEREAS, the project consists of the renovation of Hangar #4 at the Abilene Regional Airport to facilitate an airframe and powerplant mechanics training program to be offered by TSTI; and

WHEREAS, the board of directors of the Abilene Economic Development Company has determined the project meets the objectives as stated in the OEDP and should substantially enhance the growth potential and long-term employment opportunities of the area; and

WHEREAS, total project cost is \$405,000 and funds are available from the EDA for 60% of the cost, or \$243,000; and

WHEREAS, the Development Corporation of Abilene, Inc. has authorized a matching payment of the remaining 40% of total project cost, or \$162,000, not to exceed \$180,000; and

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

PART 1. That the Community and Economic Development Department of the City of Abilene is authorized to submit a grant application to EDA on behalf of the City of Abilene and TSTI, as co-applicants, for the renovation of Hangar #4 at the Abilene Regional Airport to facilitate TSTI's airframe and powerplant mechanics training.

PART 2. That the City Manager is authorized to sign and submit all associated documents for EDA grant funds and accept award of grant.

PART 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

ADOPTED this the 28 day of March, A.D., 1991.

ATTEST:




Jo Moore-City Secretary



Gary D. McCaleb-Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Sara Fauls
Asst. City Attorney

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