

RESOLUTION NO. 16-2005

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF APPLICATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR GRANTS UNDER THE URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION ACT OF 1964, AS AMEMDED.

WHEREAS, the Secretary of Transportation is authorized to make grants for mass transportation projects in accordance with the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended; and

WHEREAS, it is required by the United States Department of Transportation in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, that the applicant give an assurance that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended and the United States Department of Transportation requirements thereunder; and

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the applicant that disadvantaged business enterprise be utilized to the fullest extent possible in connection with the projects, and that procedures have been established and are administered to ensure that disadvantaged businesses shall have the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts when procuring construction contracts, supplies, equipment contracts or consultant and other services; therefore,

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

PART 1: That the City Manager is authorized to execute and file applications on behalf of the City of Abilene with the United States Department of Transportation to aid in the financing of planning, capital and/or operating assistance projects pursuant to the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended.

PART 2: That the City Manager is authorized to execute and file with such applications, an assurance or any other document required by the United States Department of Transportation effectuating the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

PART 3: That the City Manager is authorized to set forth and execute affirmative minority business policies in connection with the program of projects' procurement needs.

PART 4: That the City Manager is authorized to furnish such additional information as the United States Department of Transportation may require in connection with the application for the program of projects.

PART 5: That the City Manager is authorized to execute grant agreements on behalf of the City of Abilene with the United States Department of Transportation to aid in the financing of the planning, capital and/or operating assistance program of projects.

PART 6: That the City Manager is authorized to delegate the responsibility for the execution and filing of grant applications, supplemental material, and agreements on behalf of the City of Abilene.

PART 7: That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption, and shall be effective until August 1, 2008.

ADOPTED this 14th day of July, A.D. 2005.

ATTEST:



City Secretary



Mayor

APPROVED:



City Attorney