

RESOLUTION NO. 12-2006

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS CREATING A LOCAL REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (LRA) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MILITARY BASE REUSE ACT AS ADOPTED AND AMENDED AND APPOINTING REPRESENTATIVES TO THE LRA.

WHEREAS, the United States Army Reserve Center, 4300 South Treadaway Boulevard, is located entirely within the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas; and

WHEREAS, a portion of the US Army Reserve Center has been declared surplus and is to be developed in accordance with appropriate federal regulations; and

WHEREAS, the future reuse of a portion of the US Army Reserve Center will have a substantial impact on the City of Abilene and the immediate area surrounding the center; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Abilene believe that it is in the best interest of the City of Abilene to become involved in the redevelopment of this particular piece of property; and

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene is and can be recognized by the Secretary of Defense through its Office of Economic Adjustment (OEA), as an entity responsible for developing the reuse plan and for directly implementing the reuse plan.

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

Part 1. The City Council approves the creation of a Local Redevelopment Authority to assist in the reuse of the US Army Reserve Center.

Part 2. That the Mayor with the approval of Council shall appoint five representatives from the City of Abilene to the Local Redevelopment Authority.

Part 3. That the appointed representatives will undertake the duties and responsibilities of the Local Redevelopment Authority in accordance with applicable federal regulations and prepare and submit the appropriate reuse plan after public hearing and public input.

Adopted this 13th day of April 2006.

ATTEST:




Jo Moore, City Secretary



Norm Archibald, Mayor

APPROVED:



Sharon E. Hicks
City Attorney