

RESOLUTION NO. 2-2010

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) FOR THE ADOPTION OF A FEDERALLY-APPROVED DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene (City) receives federal funds from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) through TxDOT to assist the City with the construction and design of projects that receive funding through FHWA; and

WHEREAS, the City, as a sub-recipient of federal funds, is required by 49 CFR 26, to implement a program for disadvantaged business enterprises; and

WHEREAS, TxDOT has implemented a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program (DBE Program) that is approved by the FHWA pursuant to 49 CFR 26, and the City does not currently have an approved DBE program; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to implement a federally compliant DBE Program by adopting the TxDOT approved program, as recommended by the FHWA; and

WHEREAS, the City and TxDOT find it appropriate to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding to memorialize the obligations, expectations and rights each has as related to the City's adoption of the TxDOT DBE Program to meet the federal requirements;


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

- Part 1 That the City Manager, or his designee, is hereby authorized to sign such documents on behalf of the City as are necessary and proper to implement this Resolution.
- Part 2 That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

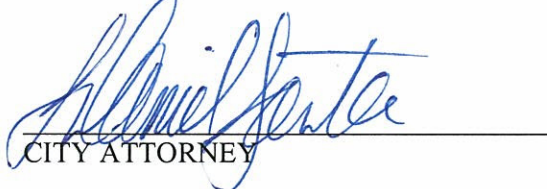
ADOPTED this the 28th day of January, 2010.

ATTEST:


CITY SECRETARY


MAYOR

APPROVED:


CITY ATTORNEY