

RESOLUTION NO. 96-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE FURNITURE FOR THE SOUTH BRANCH LIBRARY FROM LIBRARY INTERIORS OF TEXAS, LLC THROUGH THE CHOICE PARTNERS PURCHASING COOPERATIVE.

WHEREAS, on September 21, 2015, the City of Abilene and the Friends of the Abilene Public Library (Friends) entered into a Memorandum Agreement for the construction of improvements for the new South Branch Public Library; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2016, an amendment was approved allowing the City to expend Public, Educational, and Governmental (PEG) Funds for the construction of the new South Branch Library meeting room; and

WHEREAS, any savings realized by Friends was to be allocated for other improvements to the new South Branch Library; and

WHEREAS, furniture and shelving is necessary to adequately operate the new South Branch Library; and

WHEREAS, the furniture package is \$226,779.27 with \$140,000 from the Friends of the Abilene Public Library, \$26,259.49 from PEG funds, \$7,000 from grant funds and \$53,519.78 from General Fund designated resource.

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

Part 1: The City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase furniture for the new South Branch Library from Library Interiors of Texas, LLC through the Choice Partners purchasing cooperative.

Part 2: The total furniture package is \$226,779.27 with \$140,000 from the Friends of the Abilene Public Library, \$26,259.49 from PEG funds, \$7,000 from grant funds and \$53,519.78 from General Fund designated resources.

Part 3: That this Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after passage.

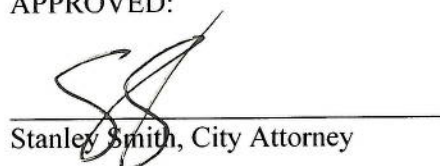
ADOPTED this 28th day of July, 2016.

ATTEST:


Danette Dunlap, City Secretary


Norman Archibald, Mayor

APPROVED:


Stanley Smith, City Attorney