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COUNTY OF FORT BEND

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF VICTIM WITNESS STAFF EXPANSION
GRANT APPLICATION #1364523

WHEREAS, Fort Bend County desires to provide assistance to the victims of crime in Fort Bend County; and

WHEREAS the County wishes to continue to support a specialized unit, namely the Victim Witness Division of the Fort Bend County DA's Office ("the Project") to assist crime victims through better and more comprehensive services to these victims; and

WHEREAS, the County finds it in the best interest of the citizens of the Fort Bend County area, that the VICTIM WITNESS STAFF EXPANSION GRANT be operated for the 2024-2025 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, Fort Bend County agrees to provide all applicable support for the grant application submitted to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division on February 8th , 2024; and

WHEREAS, Fort Bend County agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division funds. Fort Bend County assures that the funds will be returned to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division in full; and

WHEREAS, Fort Bend County designates the Honorable Judge KP George, County Judge of the Fort Bend County Commissioners Court, as the County's authorized official giving him the power to electronically apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the County;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Fort Bend County approves submission of the grant application for the VICTIM WITNESS STAFF EXPANSION GRANT to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division requesting \$122,799.95 in grant funds and at least \$125,187.67 in local funds for a project total of \$247,987.62.

Approved by the Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County on the 23rd day of January 2024, duly put and carried;

Attest:



Laura Richard, County Clerk





Hon. KP George, County Judge