

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-R_____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS, APPROVING THE SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) ANNUAL ACTION PLAN FOR PROGRAM YEAR (PY) 2016 TO COMMIT THE USE OF \$167,557 IN AVAILABLE CDBG FUNDS TO ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES, AND AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF THE AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD).

WHEREAS, on July 7, 2015, the City Council approved the Program Year (PY) 2016 Annual Action Plan for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds, authorized the City Manager to execute, on behalf of the City, appropriate certifications and submit the plan to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and authorized the City Manager to execute a contract with the HUD, all of which have been completed; and

WHEREAS, an amendment to the Annual Action Plan is required when there is a substantial change in the allocation priorities or methods of distribution to projects funded with CDBG funds; and

WHEREAS, \$167,557 in CDBG funds are available to commit to CDBG eligible activities through an amendment to the Annual Action Plan ("Amendment"); and

WHEREAS, the Amendment includes that the new proposed activities will be conducted by the City of New Braunfels Parks and Recreation Department at Haymarket Park (\$77,300.50) and Jesse Garcia Park (\$27,097.50) for park improvements and by the New Braunfels Library at Westside Community Center (\$63,159) for replacement of the gym floor; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of New Braunfels, Texas has reviewed the Amendment at a public hearing held on February 27, 2017 and Notice of Public Comment was published in the local newspaper on January 20, 2017, for purposes of soliciting public comment regarding the Amendment;

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

THAT, the City Council hereby approves the Amendment to the Community Development Block Grant Annual Action Plan for PY2016 to commit the use of \$167,557 in available CDBG funds to other eligible activities, and authorize the submittal of the amendment to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and further authorizes the City Manager to execute, on behalf of the City, any certifications or other documents and take such actions as are necessary to carry out the intent of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of February, 2017.

CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS

BY: _____
BARRON CASTEEL, Mayor

ATTEST:

PATRICK ATEN, City Secretary