RESOLUTION NO. 2017-R_____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING UNDER THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT GRANT PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$107,444.49 AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS IN ALL MATTERS RELATED TO THIS GRANT, INCLUDING EXECUTION OF ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION ASSOCIATED WITH ANY RESULTING AWARD.

Whereas, the City of New Braunfels is eligible to submit an application for funding in the amount of \$107,444.49 under the Department of Justice, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Grant Program; and

Whereas, the Police Department has developed the "Criminal Investigations Division Officer" grant application project; and

Whereas, a grant award under this program would benefit the citizens of New Braunfels by enhancing the City of New Braunfels Police Department's effectiveness and efficiency of law enforcement programs and activities; and

Whereas, there is a 35 percent matching requirement for this grant that totals \$37,605.58 and there is a 65 percent grant funded portion that totals \$69,838.91; and

Whereas, the City of New Braunfels agrees to return all funding to the Governor's Office Criminal Justice Division in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds;

Whereas, the City of New Braunfels authorizes the City Manager to apply for, accept, alter, or terminate the grant application;

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

THAT, the City Council hereby authorizes the submission of the application for funding under the U.S. Department of Justice, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Grant Program in the amount of \$107,444.49 and authorizes the City Manager to act on behalf of the City of New Braunfels in all matters related to this grant, including execution of all required documentation associated with any resulting award.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of February, 2017.

CITY OF NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS

BARRON CASTEEL, Mayor

ATTEST:

PATRICK ATEN, City Secretary