

RESOLUTION NO. R-2021-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS, RATIFYING SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR, AND ACCEPTANCE OF, FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION GRANT FUNDS FOR THE CORONAVIRUS RESPONSE AND RELIEF SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT GRANT FUNDS AT TYLER POUNDS REGIONAL AIRPORT; GRANT NUMBER 3-48-0215-46-2021 TOTALING \$1,020,318.00, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on February 24, 2021, the City of Tyler submitted to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) an application requesting \$1,020,318.00 in Airport Improvement Program (AIP) funding to help offset a decline in revenues arising from diminished airport operations and activities as a result of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency at Tyler Pounds Regional Airport; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Aviation Administration has stated that a Grant offer totaling \$1,020,318.00 may be available; and

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2021, the Airport Advisory Board recommended that the City Council ratify submission of the application for and accept any FAA funding for the purpose of offsetting the decline in revenues arising from diminished airport operations and activities as a result of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency at Tyler Pounds Regional Airport; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the City Council to ratify submission of the application for, and consent to accept upon receipt, FAA Grant 3-48-0215-46-2021; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the City Council to promote the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, it is considered to be in the public interest to obtain and use grant funds for the above public purposes;

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

PART 1: That the Application for Federal Assistance for AIP Project No. 3-48-0215-46-2021 requesting \$1,020,318.00 Airport Improvement Funding submitted to the Federal Aviation Administration on February 24, 2021 and including all understandings and assurances contained therein, is hereby ratified and approved.

PART 2: That the City Manager's filing of the grant application, and all actions taken in connection therewith, is hereby ratified and authorized.

PART 3: That the City Council hereby resolves and affirms to the Federal Aviation Administration that the City of Tyler has legal authority to apply for the grant and to finance and carry out the proposed project.

PART 4: That the City Council hereby resolves and affirms to the Federal Aviation Administration the City of Tyler's intent to comply with all of the assurances set forth in the grant agreement and all laws, regulations, and circulars incorporated by reference in the grant agreement.

PART 5: That the City Manager's acceptance of the grant upon receipt for AIP Project No. 3-48-0215-46-2021 is hereby authorized.

PART 6: That the City of Tyler has been informed that there is no payment required for any City of Tyler match.

PART 7: That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to take all actions necessary in order to accept and use the grant to fulfill the purposes described above.

PART 8: That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to provide such additional information as may be required by the Federal Aviation Administration.

PART 9: That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 24th day of March, A.D., 2021.



DONALD P. WARREN, MAYOR
OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS

ATTEST:

APPROVED:


CASSANDRA BRAGER, CITY CLERK
DEBORAH G. PULLUM,
CITY ATTORNEY