

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF COUNTY OF HIDALGO, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE 2024 COLONIA FUND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of the County of Hidalgo desires to develop a viable community, including decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low-to-moderate income; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the best interests of the County of Hidalgo to apply for funding under the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That a Texas Community Development Block Grant Program application for the Colonia Fund Construction Program is hereby authorized to be filed on behalf of Hidalgo County with the Texas Department of Agriculture, and to be placed in competition for funding under the 2024 Colonia Fund Construction Program.
2. That the County of Hidalgo commits to dedicating no less than 51% of grant funds for water system improvements, sewer system improvements, and/or housing rehabilitation activities.
3. That all funds will be used in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local and programmatic requirements including but not limited to procurement, environmental review, labor standards, real property acquisition, and civil rights requirements.
4. That the County of Hidalgo is committing to provide the necessary matching funds toward the application's activities, with the specific usage and funding source to be determined and approved prior to any award of grant funding.

Passed and approved this 2nd day of April, 2024.

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