

Ordinance authorizing the acceptance of two grants totaling \$215,009.32 from the Texas Office of the Governor—Homeland Security Grant Division for the State Homeland Security Program for equipment to help prevent terrorism and other catastrophic events for public safety such as an additional response vehicle and detection equipment for the Corpus Christi Police Department’s Bomb Squad for \$215,009.32; and appropriating \$215,009.32 in the FY 2025 Fire Grants Fund.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or designee is authorized to execute all documents necessary to accept two grants totaling of \$215,009.32 from the Texas Office of the Governor Homeland Security Grant Division’s Homeland Security Grant Program for \$215,009.32 for the purchase of an additional response vehicle and detection equipment to support the Police Department’s Bomb Squad to prepare for and to prevent terroristic and catastrophic events.

SECTION 2. The City Council designates the Fire Chief as the authorized official. The authorized official may apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate the grant.

SECTION 3. That \$215,009.32 is appropriated in the No. 1062 Fire Grants Fund from the Texas Office of the Governor Homeland Security Grant Division’s Homeland Security Grant Program described in Section 1

SECTION 4. In the event of the loss or misuse of these funds, the City of Corpus Christi assures that the funds will be returned to the Officer of the Governor Homeland Security Grants Division in full.

SECTION 5. That the 2024-2025 operating budget approved by Ordinance No. 033451 is amended to increase revenues and expenditures.

Introduced and voted on the _____ day of _____, 2024.

PASSED and APPROVED on the _____ day of _____, 2024.

ATTEST:

Paulette Guajardo, Mayor

Rebecca Huerta, City Secretary