

## RESOLUTION 2011-26

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND DESIGNATING OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT AND OTHER NECESSARY DOCUMENTS BETWEEN THE CITY OF LA FERIA AND THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE “OPERATION BORDER STAR” PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria Police Department has responsibility for Public Safety in the City of La Feria; and

**WHEREAS**, there exists illegal and criminal activity at and in the proximity of the City of La Feria threatening Border Security; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria Police Department is in need of additional resources to combat this illegal and criminal activity; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria gives authorization for the City Manager to submit a grant application to the Texas Department of Public Safety and sign an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the Texas Department of Public Safety for the participation of the City of La Feria Police Department in “Operation Border Star”; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria Police Officers will work in “Operation Border Star” increasing border security; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria authorizes its Finance Director or the Chief of Police to request reimbursements for salaries, fringe benefits and operational costs accumulated by said police officers pursuant to the operation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria authorizes its Chief of Police or his designee to submit any and all required performance reports and act as program director for the City of La Feria.

### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS:**

1. That the recitals set forth above are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated as part of the resolution.
2. That the City Manager of the City of La Feria, Texas, is hereby authorized to submit and accept the grant application and award and further execute any required Interlocal Cooperation Agreement to provide for the participation in said Operation.

3. That the City of La Feria Finance Director or the La Feria Chief of Police is hereby authorized to execute requests for reimbursement of salaries, fringe benefits and operational expenses incurred by the City of La Feria Police Department officers as per this operation.
4. That the City of La Feria Chief of Police or his designee is hereby authorized to submit, approve and as signature authority on all performance reports relating to the activities of the operation.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS ON THIS THE 26<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JULY 2011.**

**APPROVED:**



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**Steve Brewer, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  

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**Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  

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**Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney**