## **RESOLUTION 2012-44**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACT AS THE CITY'S EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE IN ALL MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City Commission 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, certain conditions exist which represent a threat to the public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the best interests of the City of La Feria to apply for funding under the 2013/2014 Texas Community Development Block Grant Program;

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

- 1. That a Texas Community Development Block Grant Program application for the Community Development Fund is hereby authorized to be filed on behalf of the City with the Texas Department of Agriculture.
- 2. That the City's application be placed in competition for funding under the Community Development Fund.
- 3. That the application be for \$215,382.00 of grant funds to provide water treatment plant improvements.
- 4. That the City Commission directs and designates the City Manager to act as the City's Executive Officer and Authorized Representative to act in all matters in connection with this application and the City's participation in the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program.
- 5. That it further be stated that the City of La Feria is committing \$50,000.00 from its Waterworks and Sewer System Fund as a cash contribution toward the engineering and construction activities of the water treatment plant improvements project.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 9<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER 2012.

APPROVED:

Steve Brewer, Mayor

ATTEST:

Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney