

## RESOLUTION 2013-16

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WATER WELL UNDER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE TDA DISASTER RELIEF FUND PROGRAM, AND AUTHORIZING OFFICIALS TO APPLY AND EXECUTE DOCUMENTS RELATED TO SAID APPLICATION ASSISTANCE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria, Texas is a Home-Rule municipality located in Cameron County, Texas created in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Texas Local Government Code and operating pursuant to enabling legislation of the State of Texas, the Home-Rule Charter and Code of Ordinances of the City of La Feria; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria is experiencing extreme drought conditions due to the extended drought that has been plaguing the area for well over two years; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria desires to provide a secure, alternate source of municipal water for the residents in the event of water shortage during periods of extended drought and severe water storage; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of La Feria, Cameron County, Texas deems it necessary and proper to apply for a Disaster Relief Fund grant in the amount of \$350,000.00 to construct a water well under the Rules and Regulations of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

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

1. The recitals set forth above are found to be true and correct, and they are hereby adopted by the City Commission and made a part of this resolution for all purposes.
2. The City of La Feria authorizes the submission of an application for a Disaster Relief Fund grant to the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) for the construction of a water well under the Rules and Regulations of the Texas Department of Agriculture in the amount of \$350,000.00.
3. Mayor Steve Brewer, as the Signatory Agent of the application for this grant or Sunny K. Philip, City Manager of the City may sign the necessary grant documents and to sign the acceptance of the grant assistance, when made, and any other documents required to complete the project, on behalf of the City of La Feria, Cameron County, Texas.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED on this the 14<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2013.**

**APPROVED:**



**Steve Brewer, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**



**Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**



**Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney**