RESOLUTION 2013-34

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE CITY OF LA FERIA TO CONTINUE IN FORCE ORDINANCE 2001-17, THE CURFEW ORDINANCE, IN THE CITY OF LA FERIA.

WHEREAS, the City of La Feria is a Home Rule municipal corporation; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Feria approved an ordinance amending Article 7.500 of the La Feria Code of Ordinances, adopting a Juvenile Curfew in October 2001 (said Section having been renumbered as Article 8.02, recodified, and approved by Ordinance 2006-07); and

WHEREAS, Section 370.002 of the Local Government Code, enacted in 1995 provides that a Home Rule city must review its Juvenile Curfew Ordinance every three years, before the third anniversary of the ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of La Feria conducted a public hearing after due notice to the public on December 17, 2013; and

WHEREAS, City staff and residents attending the public hearing spoke in favor of keeping the ordinance in effect; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission reviewed the ordinance's effect on the community and the problems it was intended to remedy; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has determined that it is beneficial to continue in force Ordinance 2001-17,

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

Ordinance 2001-17 (Article 8.02) the Curfew Ordinance, shall continue in force until further ordered by the City of La Feria or until the fifteenth anniversary from the date of original enactment of the ordinance.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 17th DAY OF DECEMBER 2013.

APPROVED:

Steve Brewer, Mayor

ATTEST:

Olga Oberwetter, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Richard S. Talbert, City Attorney