

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-03

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN TARRANT COUNTY'S HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM; AND AGREEING TO MEET ALL MATCH CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE EXPENDITURES UNDER THE TARRANT COUNTY HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM FOR PROGRAM YEAR 2020.

WHEREAS, the HOME Program was created by the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA) and is intended to provide decent affordable housing to lower-income households; expand the capacity of nonprofit housing providers; strengthen the ability of state and local government to provide housing, and; leverage private-sector participation; and

WHEREAS, Tarrant County is a Participating Jurisdiction under the HOME Investment Partnerships Program in accordance with § 92.105; and

WHEREAS, the City of Benbrook is a member of the Tarrant County Urban County Community Development/HOME Consortium and is eligible to participate in the HOME program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Benbrook has requested \$50,000 in HOME funding to be expended on HOME eligible activities within the City's jurisdiction and has agreed to provide a 30% matching contribution for all HOME funds expended within the City of Benbrook, in accordance with §92.218; §92.219; and §92.220.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENBROOK, TEXAS:

I.

That the City is authorized to participate in Tarrant County's Home Investment Partnerships Program to assist low-income families make improvements to their homes.

II.

The City agrees to commit \$15,000 in matching contribution to affordable housing for all activities undertaken in our city through the HOME program.

PRESENTED AND PASSED on this 19th day of March 2020, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Benbrook, Texas.

Jerry B. Dittrich, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joanna King, City Secretary