

RESOLUTION NO.

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE ACCEPTING THE 2024 CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN TASK FORCE GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$950,000; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HER DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ANY GRANT AGREEMENTS, AMENDMENTS, AND ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ONLINE CERTIFICATIONS AT TIME OF AWARD ACCEPTANCE AND REIMBURSEMENT REQUESTS, WITHOUT FURTHER CITY COUNCIL ACTION**

**WHEREAS**, due to increased access to computers and other technology-related communication devices, the potential for online victimization of children and youth, including unwanted exposure to sexual material, unwanted sexual solicitations, and online harassment, has increased; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of San José ("City") Police Department's Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, known as the Silicon Valley Internet Crimes Against Children ("SVICAC") Task Force, conducts proactive and reactive investigations into computer and technology crimes perpetrated against children; and

**WHEREAS**, the SVICAC Task Force received its first federal grant award in 2003, followed by its initial California Governor's Office of Emergency Services ("Cal OES") grant award in 2007; and

**WHEREAS**, in September 2024, Cal OES released a grant solicitation for the Fiscal Year 2024 Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Grant Program and the Police Department submitted an application; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 5, 2024, Cal OES awarded the City a one-year reimbursable grant in the amount of \$950,000 that will be used for personnel costs, including a Digital Forensic Analyst position, a Crime Prevention Specialist position, and overtime for Community Service Officers to assist in facilitating the Vigilant Parent program, and operating costs, including forensic analytical tools, training, supplies for task force operations, and software license renewals; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to accept the Cal OES Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force grant in the amount of \$950,000 and execute any grant agreements, amendments, and all related documents, including online certifications at time of award acceptance and reimbursement requests, without further City Council action;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE THAT:

1. The 2024 California Governor's Office of Emergency Services Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Grant in the amount of \$950,000 is hereby accepted.
  
2. The City Manager or her designee is hereby authorized to execute any grant agreements, amendments, and all related documents, including online certifications at time of award acceptance and reimbursement requests, without further City Council action.

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ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

DISQUALIFIED:

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MATT MAHAN  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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TONI J. TABER, CMC  
City Clerk