

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE ACCEPTING THE FISCAL YEAR 2018 INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN TASK FORCE AWARD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,000,000 AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE GRANT AGREEMENT AND ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS AND TO EXECUTE ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS AND RELATED DOCUMENTS WITHOUT FURTHER COUNCIL ACTION

WHEREAS, commercial child pornography has grown and become more sophisticated as the technology to reproduce and distribute pornography has developed, and the internet provides child predators easier access to children, greater anonymity, and the ability to form clubs and other organizations to expand their exploitation of children; and

WHEREAS, law enforcement very quickly recognized the danger these predators posed to children and began efforts to combat their activities; and

WHEREAS, in February 2003, the San José Police Department (“SJPD”) was awarded its first Internet Crimes Against Children (“ICAC”) grant from the United States Department of Justice, and since that time, the SJPD received several ICAC continuation grants that have provided funding for overtime, equipment, vehicles for investigations, and training of investigators for the ICAC program; and

WHEREAS, in 2007, the SJPD’s ICAC Task Force received the first California Governor’s Office of Emergency Services (“Cal OES”) ICAC grant award, and on February 6, 2019, Cal OES awarded SJPD \$1,000,000 to fund operating supplies, equipment, and forensic vehicles for the ICAC program from July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to accept the grant award of \$1,000,000 from Cal OES for the continued funding of the ICAC program;

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

The City Manager is hereby authorized to accept the Fiscal Year 2018 Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Award in the amount of \$1,000,000 and execute the Grant Agreement and all related documents and to execute additional amendments and related documents without further Council action.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

DISQUALIFIED:

SAM LICCARDO
Mayor

ATTEST:

TONI J. TABER, CMC
City Clerk