RESOLUTION NO. R-2020-18

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE BASTROP FIRE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT DONATIONS FOR RENOVATIONS TO FIRE STATION ONE (1) IN THE AMOUNT OF TWELVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$12,500); AUTHORIZING THE FIRE CHIEF TO ACCEPT THE DONATION AS THE AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The Bastrop Fire Department was established in 1894. During the past 125 years, our department has undergone many changes. We have transitioned from a completely volunteer department to a volunteer/part-time paid staff. We now have two (2) fire stations equipped with urban and wildland fire fighting apparatuses staffed by the dedicated men and women of the Bastrop Fire Department.; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bastrop, In FY2020, the Council allocated funding for an additional part-time shift, this allowed us to have firefighters on a 24-hour / day basis. In order to accommodate a 24-hour/day operation, Fire Station 1, which is our Downtown Fire Station located at 802 Chestnut Street, will need to be renovated. The renovations will accommodate four (4) sleeping quarters and the necessary facilities to support 24-hour operations.; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bastrop designates Fire Chief Andres Rosales as the authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, reject, alter, or terminate the donations on behalf of the applicant agency.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Bastrop approves the Bastrop Fire Department to accept donations from the following partners. McCoy's has offered to donate up to Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000) in materials. Lowes Home Improvement has offered to donate up to Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) for sheet rock materials. Ellison Insulation has offered to donate spray-in insulation up to Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000). Contractor and Volunteer labor and time will be donated at an unknown amount based on availability.

Section 2: This resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, and it is duly resolved.

DULY RESOLVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Bastrop this 11th day of February, 2019.

APPROVED:

Connie B. Schroeder, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ann Franklin, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Alan Bojorquez, City Attorney