STATE OF TEXAS

CITY OF SEGUIN

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SEGUIN, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION IN RESPONSE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, COPS HIRING GRANT PRGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Seguin Police Department is desiring to enhance the safety and protection of all Seguin Independent School Districts student, staff, and faculty; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice, COPS Hiring has announced a grant application for FY2025-2026 to provide funding directly to law enforcement agencies to hire and/or rehire additional career law enforcement officers to increase their community policing capacity and crime prevention efforts; and

WHEREAS, the City is submitting a grant application with a funding request not to exceed \$750,000 for School Resource Officers (SRO); and

WHEREAS, the City of Seguin has authorized the City Manager to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant on behalf of the City.

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

- 1. The City of Seguin authorizes the submission of an application to the Department of Justice, COPS Hiring grant program.
- 2. The City of Seguin directs and designates the City Manager as the City's Authorized Official to act in all matters in connection with this application and City's participation in the Grant Program.
- 3. Expenditures of the grant shall be administered in compliance with the COPS Hiring guidelines, terms and condition of the grant award including all matching funds, if applicable. The City Manager will ensure that the grant funds are expended in accordance with grant guidelines. In the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the City of Seguin will return all funds to the Department of Justice, COPS Hiring Program

4. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage.

Passed and approved this 17th day of June, 2025.

DONNA DODGEN MAYOR

ATTEST:

Kristin Mueller, City Secretary