CITY OF SEGUIN RESOLUTION NO.

## **STATE OF TEXAS**

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SEGUIN, TEXAS ESTABLISHING AN INDIGENT HEALTH CARE FUND AS A SPECIAL FUND, SETTING A MINIMUM BALANCE TO BE MAINTAINED IN THE FUND, SETTING THE USE FOR THE FUND, AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Guadalupe County Regional Medical Center is a city-county owned health care facility; and

**WHEREAS**, State law requires that a County pay 8% of its property and sales tax levy to fund the costs of indigent care; and

**WHEREAS**, through a separate agreement between the City and the County, the City pays the County one-half of the cost, based on the 8% levy, for indigent health care; and

**WHEREAS**, recently the growth in tax revenue, along with sound hospital fiscal practice, has resulted in GRMC receiving more funds from the County than it expended on indigent health care; and

WHEREAS, GRMC will refund the excess funds to the County; and

WHEREAS, the County will remit half of the refund to the City; and

**WHEREAS**, city staff recommends using some of the refunded money to establish an indigent health care fund.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of Seguin, Texas:

**PART ONE.** That a special interest bearing fund known as the Indigent Health Care Fund is hereby established.

**PART TWO.** The Indigent Health Care Fund shall be used for future indigent health care costs.

**PART THREE**. The Indigent Health Care Fund shall be initially funded with \$200,000.00 of the funds received from the indigent care refund.

**PART FOUR.** Whenever the balance in Indigent Health Care Fund falls below \$200,000.00, the funds shall be replenished within a two year period.

**PART FIVE.** This Resolution is in full force and effect from and after the date of its passing.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 11th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2018.

	DON KEIL, MAYOR	
ATTEST:		
NAOMI MANSKI, CITY SECRETARY		