

STATE OF TEXAS

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEGUIN, TEXAS, APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER, REGION 20 AND THE CITY OF SEGUIN TO DEPLOY FIBER OPTIC CABLE TO THE LIBRARY AND PROVIDE A LOWER LEVEL-TERM E-RATE FOR INTERNET SERVICE; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THIS AGREEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the Texas Legislature provided funding for a fiber optic system to be used to provide better internet connectivity to participating schools and public libraries in Education Service Center, Region 20 (“ESC Region 20”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Texas State Library and Archives Commission is partnering with Region 20 to implement a large-scale dark fiber network throughout its area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Seguin Public Library has been offered to participate in this program through the attached Interlocal Participation Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, as a part of the Interlocal Participation Agreement ESC Region 20 will be handling the E-rate discount for the Library; and

**WHEREAS**, the ESC 20 E-Rate will be maintained at a fixed price of \$170.00 per month over the next four years, which is a significant reduction from the \$247.33 fee currently paid by the City; and

**WHEREAS**, city staff recommends entering into the Interlocal Participation Agreement.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEGUIN, TEXAS:**

**PART 1:** The terms and conditions of the attached Interlocal Participation Agreement the Education Service Center Region 20 is hereby approved.

**PART 2:** The City Manager is authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of the City.

**PART 3:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020.

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**DON KEIL**  
**MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**

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**Naomi Manski, City Secretary**