RESOLUTION NO. 20051215-016

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Austin, to authorize the application for \$750,000 in grant funding from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Violence Against Women Grants Office, "Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders" program to provide comprehensive services to the victims of domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the proposed application for U.S. Department of Justice grant renewal funds for said project, in the amount of \$750,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Violence Against Women Grants Office, "Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders" program to provide comprehensive services to the victims of domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, the City Council designates the Assistant City Manager for public safety as the authorized official who has the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate this grant; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has agreed that in the event of loss or misuse of the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs funds, the

City Council assures that the funds will be returned to the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs in full; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

The City Council approves the application for grant funding from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs in the amount of \$750,000.

ADOPTED: December 15, 2005

ATTEST:

Shirley A. Gentry

City Clerk