

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF UVALDE, TEXAS, CREATING A UTILITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, there is a need to assist the City of Uvalde residents who have an active utility account, who are in a hardship situation, and are in need of financial help to ensure they have an active utility account to maintain a safe and healthy living environment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uvalde has set aside collected donations to create and fund a Utility Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uvalde understands it is necessary and in the best interest of the City of Uvalde to create a Utility Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uvalde wishes to make it possible for utility customers to contribute to the Utility Assistance Program at their individual option by voluntarily adding an amount to their utility bills; and

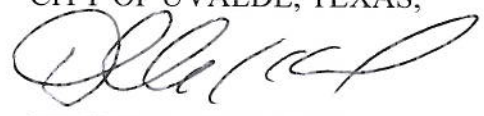
WHEREAS, the City of Uvalde has determined that, in order to maximize the number of residents who will benefit from the Program, assistance will be limited, the exact limit to be determined, but that initial basis being a one-time grant per calendar year;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF UVALDE, TEXAS, that the Utility Assistance Program be approved in order to assist residents who are in a hardship situation and are in need for financial help to ensure they have an active account to maintain a safe and healthy living environment and further that the staff be directed to develop guidelines for the accumulation and disbursement of the funds consistent with the intent of the City Council expressed in this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 24th day of November, 2015.

ATTEST:


Susan M. Stewart, City Secretary

CITY OF UVALDE, TEXAS,

Don McLaughlin, Jr., Mayor