

**CITY OF KERRVILLE, TEXAS
RESOLUTION NO. 46-2024**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON THE ARTS FOR IT TO DESIGNATE AN AREA WITHIN THE CITY'S DOWNTOWN AS A CULTURAL DISTRICT; SUCH GRANT AND DESIGNATION IS INTENDED TO HARNESS THE POWER OF CULTURAL RESOURCES TO STIMULATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNITY VITALITY; AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY MANAGER TO ACT AS THE CITY'S EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES IN ALL MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE CULTURAL DISTRICTS DESIGNATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, City Council desires to develop a viable community, including expanding economic opportunities within the City's downtown area; and

WHEREAS, as authorized by House Bill 2208 of the 79th Texas Legislature, the Texas Commission on the Arts (TCA) may designate cultural districts in Texas in an effort to partner with local government entities to expand economic development; and

WHEREAS, cultural districts are special zones that harness the power of cultural resources to stimulate economic development and community vitality and such districts can become focal points for generating businesses, attracting tourists, stimulating cultural development, and fostering civic pride; and

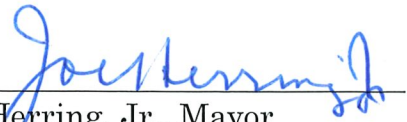
WHEREAS, City Council finds it to be in the public interest to authorize the City's submission of an application to the TCA for its designation of cultural district within the City's downtown area;

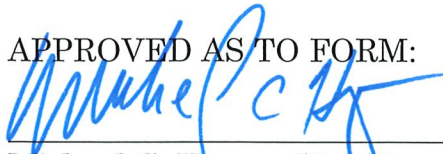
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KERRVILLE, KERR COUNTY, TEXAS:


SECTION ONE. The City is authorized to file an application with the Texas Commission on the Arts pursuant to the TCA's Cultural Districts Designation Program.

SECTION TWO. City Council directs and designates the Mayor and/or City Manager, or designees, to act in all matters in connection with this application and the City's participation in the Cultural Districts Designation Program.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON this the 12 day of November
A.D., 2024.


Joe Herring, Jr., Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael C. Hayes, City Attorney

ATTEST:

Shelley McElhannon, City Secretary