

RESOLUTION NO. 26761

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF POLICE TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES (COPS) WHICH IS FUNDED UNDER THE COPS HIRING PROGRAM (CHP) IN THE AMOUNT OF FOUR MILLION THREE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-ONE DOLLARS (\$4,363,491.00) WHICH WILL BE USED TO HIRE TWENTY-THREE (23) POLICE OFFICERS AND PAY THEIR SALARIES FOR THREE YEARS. THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA WILL BE REQUIRED TO FUND THESE POSITIONS ONE YEAR BEYOND THE EXPIRATION OF THE GRANT.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That the Chief of Police be and is hereby authorized to apply for and accept a grant from the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) which is funded under the COPS Hiring Recovery Program in the amount of \$4,363,491.00 which will be used to hire twenty-three (23) officers and pay their salaries for three (3) years. The City of Chattanooga will be required to fund these positions one year beyond the expiration of the grant.

ADOPTED: July 12, 2011.

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