

RESOLUTION NO. R-2011-27

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS EXPRESSING THE CITY COUNCIL'S SUPPORT FOR AND AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE A DEFENSE AND INDEMNIFICATION TO CERTAIN EMPLOYEES WHO HAVE BEEN SUED AS A RESULT OF ACTIONS TAKEN AS A CITY EMPLOYEE; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the three individual employees have been sued in their individual capacities in a lawsuit entitled *Danny Harris v. Jordan L. Hill, City of Tyler Police Officer; Lee A. Davis, City of Tyler Police Officer and Darin W. Grissom, City of Tyler Police Officer*; Cause No. 6:11cv426, United States District Court, Eastern District of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the City's investigation of the events involved in this lawsuit and the evidence available at this time, show that these employees were acting in good faith and in the course and scope of their duties as City employees; and

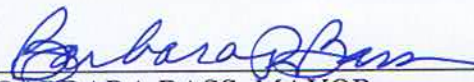
WHEREAS, it is in the public interest as well as each individual employee's interest for the City Council to officially state its support for him by providing a defense and agreeing to his indemnification, based upon all information and evidence available to day; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS AS FOLLOWS:

PART 1. That the City Council, based upon all evidence and information available to it at this time, hereby agrees to provide a defense and indemnity to Jordan L. Hill, Lee A. Davis and Darin W. Grissom in the lawsuit styled *Danny Harris v. Jordan L. Hill, City of Tyler Police Officer; Lee A. Davis, City of Tyler Police Officer and Darin W. Grissom, City of Tyler Police Officer*; Cause No. 6:11cv426, United States District Court, Eastern District of Texas

PART 2. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 24th day of August, 2011, A.D.


BARBARA BASS, MAYOR
CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS

ATTEST:


CASSANDRA BRAGER, CITY CLERK

APPROVED:


GARY C. LANDERS, CITY ATTORNEY

