

CITY OF SANDY OAKS, TEXAS

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-259

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY OAKS REQUESTING SUPPLEMENTAL LAW ENFORCEMENT PATROLS AND SUPPORT FROM THE BEXAR COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, AND AUTHORIZING THE NEGOTIATION OF NECESSARY AGREEMENTS.

WHEREAS, the City of Sandy Oaks is a municipality of approximately 6,000 residents committed to ensuring the safety, security, and well-being of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Sandy Oaks Police Department is currently experiencing severe staffing shortages that restrict its ability to maintain a continuous, 24/7 law enforcement patrol presence within the city limits; and

WHEREAS, a visible and consistent law enforcement presence is critical to deterring criminal activity, ensuring traffic safety, and providing rapid response to emergency calls for service; and

WHEREAS, intergovernmental cooperation between local, county, and state law enforcement agencies is a vital component of comprehensive public safety; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sandy Oaks finds that requesting supplemental patrol assistance from the Bexar County Sheriff's Office and the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) serves the public interest by enhancing public safety and ensuring the orderly enforcement of laws within the jurisdiction;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY OAKS, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. FINDINGS OF FACT. The above recitals contained in the preamble herein are hereby found to be true and correct legislative and factual findings of the City Council of the City of Sandy Oaks for all purposes, are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the City Council, and are hereby incorporated into the body of this Resolution as if copied in their entirety.

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZATION TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE. The City Council of the City of Sandy Oaks hereby formally requests supplemental law enforcement patrols from the Bexar County Sheriff's Office and the Texas Department of Public Safety to assist in covering operational gaps within the Sandy Oaks Police Department.

SECTION 3. NEGOTIATION OF AGREEMENTS. The City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor, the City Administrator, and/or the Chief of Police to engage in discussions with the Bexar County Sheriff's Office and the Texas Department of Public Safety, and to negotiate any necessary Memorandums of Understanding (MOU) or interlocal agreements required to facilitate this supplemental coverage, subject to final approval by the City Council.

SECTION 4. REPEALER. All resolutions or parts thereof, which are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Resolution shall be and remain controlling as to the matters resolved herein.

SECTION 5. INTERPRETING LAW. This Resolution shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.

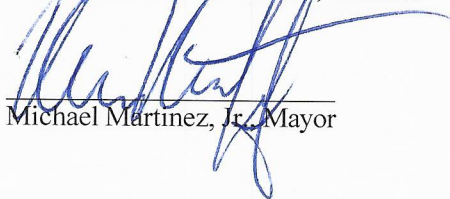
SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this Resolution and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City Council hereby declares that this Resolution would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

SECTION 7. OPEN MEETINGS. It is officially found, determined, and declared that the meeting at which this Resolution is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public business to be considered at such meeting, including this Resolution, was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Resolution takes effect upon final passage and approval by the City Council of the City of Sandy Oaks.

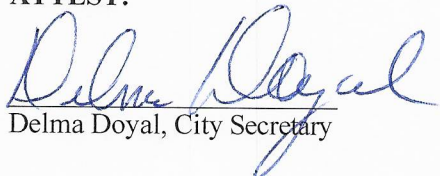
PASSED AND APPROVED on this 23rd day of July, 2026.

CITY OF SANDY OAKS, TEXAS



Michael Martinez, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:



Delma Doyal, City Secretary