

BILL NO. 17-187

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE HIDTA TASK FORCE GROUP (KC) (GP43).

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Justice Drug Enforcement Administration (hereinafter "DEA") is authorized to enter into cooperative agreement concerning the use and abuse of controlled substances under the provisions of 21 U.S.C. § 873; and,

WHEREAS, there is evidence that trafficking in narcotics and dangerous drugs in the metropolitan Kansas City area and that such illegal activity has a substantial and detrimental effect on the health and general welfare of the people of Lee's Summit, Missouri; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Lee's Summit (the "City") is desirous to enter into a cooperative agreement with the DEA to address the use and abuse of controlled substances in the metropolitan area and assign a Lee's Summit Police Officer to the HIDTA Task Force Group (KC) (GP43) (hereinafter "HTFG") for the above stated purpose; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the interests of public health and safety of the citizens of Lee's Summit, Missouri to cooperatively address the use and abuse of controlled substances by participating in the TDS.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the State and Local HIDTA Task Force Agreement, appended hereto and made a part hereof by reference, is hereby approved and the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute the same on behalf of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

SECTION 2. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute any consecutive renewals of the agreement on behalf of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri for the next five years to continue participation in the HTFG.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption, passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this _____ day of _____, 2017.

Mayor *Randall L. Rhoads*

ATTEST:

Deputy City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

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APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this ____ day of _____, 2017.

Mayor *Randall L. Rhoads*

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Chief Counsel of Public Safety
Beth Murano