RESOLUTION NO. 20817 (N.C.S.)

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SALINAS APPROVING SUBMITTAL OF A JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT APPLICATION AND APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING RELATED TO THE FUNDING FOR THE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has established the annual Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Grant (JAG) Program to assist local governments in their efforts to prevent and to control crime and to improve the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, the BJA has determined that the City of Salinas and other local jurisdictions are jointly eligible to apply for and to receive funding through the annual JAG Program, which will allow the City and those other jurisdictions to support a broad range of activities to prevent and to control crime based on their own local needs and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the total allocation for the City of Salinas is \$68,213 for fiscal year 2015, for the purchase of six pole cameras, a satellite controller, four printers and four scanners and \$9,145.44 allocated for administrative costs; and

WHEREAS, Monterey County District Attorney's Office, as a disparate agency, will receive \$14,807 for fiscal year 2015; and

WHEREAS, the City and the other local participating jurisdictions are obligated to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement in order to maintain their eligibility to apply for and to receive JAG Program funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SALINAS CITY COUNCIL that the Mayor of Salinas and the Chief of Police, or their designees be, and are hereby authorized, for and on behalf of the City of Salinas, and as its act and deed, to sign and to submit this grant application and to authorize the City manager and the City Attorney to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement among the City of Salinas and the other local participating jurisdictions for the 2015 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant.

PASSED AND ADOPTED the 18th of August, 2015 by the following votes:

AYES: Councilmembers: Barrera, Craig, De La Rosa, Lutes, McShane and Mayor Gunter

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: Councilmember Castañeda

ABSENT: None