RESOLUTION NO: _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT AN AWARD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES HIRING PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO TAKE ALL ACTION NECESSARY TO ACCEPT SUCH AWARD; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Carrollton Police Department has applied for and been awarded up to $250,000 in grant funds from the United States Department of Justice Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS);

WHEREAS, Carrollton City Council agrees to provide the funds necessary for the positions that are not covered by the amount in the award.

WHEREAS, the awarded funds are for the COPS Hiring Program Officer Request for the partial funding of two additional officers for the Police Bicycle Team to increase patrols, community interaction, high visibility enforcement, and fast response to areas such as the growing trails system, park areas, transit stations, and adjacent high density areas;

WHEREAS, the City Council has concluded the acceptance of the COPS award is in the best interest of the public health, safety, and general welfare of the City.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARROLLTON, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1

The City Manager, or his designee, is hereby authorized to accept an award through the Department Of Justice Community Oriented Policing Services Hiring Program by taking all action necessary to receive such award, and to take any other actions as necessary to effectuate the intent and purpose of this resolution, including signing the agreement and all other necessary documents in connection therewith on behalf of the City of Carrollton substantially according to the terms and conditions set forth in the application for such award.

Section 2

This resolution shall become effective from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2016.

CITY OF CARROLLTON, TEXAS

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Matthew Marchant, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Laurie Garber
City Secretary

Approved as to content:

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Rex D. Redden
Chief of Police