RESOLUTION NO. 20190919-019

WHEREAS, the Texas legislature through HB 914 amended State law relating to collection of a bingo prize fee; and

WHEREAS, the City has been entitled to receive a bingo prize fee prior to January 1, 2019 because the City imposed such a fee through Ordinance No. 830921-O on September 21, 1983; and

WHEREAS, to continue to collect this bingo prize fee, council must vote to continue to impose the fee; and

WHEREAS, after council votes to continue to impose the bingo prize fee, the City Manager must notify the Texas Lottery Commission of the City's decision, and notify each licensed authorized organization within the City's jurisdiction of the continued imposition of the bingo prize fee; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager must then take such steps as are necessary administratively to collect the bingo prize fee since the State is no longer collecting the fee; NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Council authorizes the continued imposition of the bingo prize fee and authorizes the City Manager through the City Controller to take such steps as are necessary to provide the lawfully required notices, including the attestation to the Texas Lottery Commission, and to implement collection of the bingo prize fee.

ADOPTED: September 19, 2019 ATTEST: Jannette S. Goodall City Clerk