MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA)

UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

BETWEEN

THE CITY OF KILLEEN, THE KILLEEN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, BELL COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON-FORT HOODCAVAZOS

FOR

THE COMMITTEE FOR CRIME-SOLUTIONS CRIME SOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

PURPOSE

To establish the Committee for Crime Solutions Crime Solutions Committee (the "Committee") with representatives of Killeen, the Killeen Independent School District, Bell County and the United States Army Garrison - Fort Hood Cavazos (each an "entity") to study crime in the area, recommend solutions to decrease crime, and coordinate as well as execute efforts to that end.

GOAL

To decrease crime in the area, with a focus on safety and quality of life.

AREAS FOR CONSIDERATION

To develop and implement the Committee, the entities intend to actively cooperate in the following areas:

- Appoint members who will regularly and meaningfully participate as well as contribute
 to the purpose and goal of the Committee, including conference calls and meetings
 {face-to-face or virtual);
- 2. Develop a work plan for the Committee;
- 3. Identify potential funding requirements for Committee projects and activities; activities.
- 4. Develop a mechanism for evaluating and measuring Committee progress; and
- 5. Provide staff time to support Committee projects and activities.

GOVERNANCE

The Committee will seek cooperation with appropriate public agencies, non-governmental organizations and commercial entities on Committee projects and activities.

As determined by the Committee, other participants may join in an advisory role or as needed to implement projects or initiatives. Such participants may include but not be limited to community members, youth advocate organizations, faith-based organizations, or civic-based organizations.

DECISION MAKING

Any member who, for any reason, cannot support a <u>Committee committee</u> project or initiative may abstain or withdraw from participation in that project or initiative without repercussion.

LIMITATIONS

- 1. Nothing in this MOA obligates an entity to expend appropriations; enter into any contract, assistance agreement, or interagency agreement; or incur other financial obligations.
- 2. Each entity paying for the performance of governmental functions or services must make those payments from current revenues available to the paying party.
- 3. This MOA does not exempt any entity from its policies regarding competition for financial assistance and contracts. Any endeavor involving Committee funding will be handled in accordance with applicable laws, regulations, policies and procedures, and will be subject to a separate written agreement.
- 4. This MOA does not create any substantive or procedural right or benefit enforceable by law or equity against any entity, its officers or employees, or against any other person.
- No one entity claims exclusive rights to the "Committee for Crime SolutionsCrime Solutions Committee" name, and other entities may join the Committee at any time by signing an MOA-MOU addendum upon Committee approval.
- 6. Nothing in this MOA will be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of any entity's right to claim exemptions, privileges or immunities as may be provided by law.

REVIEW OF AGREEMENT

This MOA MOU will be reviewed annually on or around the anniversary of the effective date for financial impacts.

MODIFICATION

This MOA MOU may only be modified by the written agreement of the entities and as signed by an authorized representative of each entity.

TERM

Unless otherwise agreed by the entities, this MOA-MOU will expire on December 31, 2024. Any entity may terminate its participation in this MOA-MOU at any time by notifyiling the Committee with a written notice signed by an authorized representative of the entity.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This MOA MOU takes effect on the day after the final party has signed.

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Killeen Independent-School District Date United States Date Army Garrison (Fort Hood)