

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION PROTESTING THE PRESIDENT'S RECCOMENDATION
to ELIMINATE THE LEEA PROGRAM FOR STATE AND LOCAL LAW
ENFORCEMENT WHILE RETAINING THE FEDERAL BUREAUCRACY
PORTION OF THE PROGRAM

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Tatum, Texas :

Whereas the President has reccomended to Congress the elimination
of the LEEA program for State and local law enforcement while retaining
the federal bureaucracy portion of the program; and

Whereas the inflation rate is and has been increasing at an alarming
rate; and

Whereas the economy is continuing to worsen, and

Whereas the crime rate in Texas increased 6.4% State wide in 1979, and

Whereas the crime rate will continue to rise along with the worsening
economy;

Now therefore:

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Tatum , Texas;

That since the crimes are committed at the State and local level; and

The State and local governments cannot operate efficiently without
federal assistance;

We strongly advise our Senators and Congressmen to re-instate LEEA
Programs to the State and local levels.

Introduced, read, and passed by the affirmative vote of the City Council
of the City of Tatum, Texas,

on this 17th day of April, 1980.



Cecil Williams, Mayor

ATTEST:



Helen Simpson, City Secretary