

BILL NO. 22-195

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI AND THE LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE DARE/IMPACT PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri ("City") received a grant from the Jackson County COMBAT Drug Commission ("COMBAT grant") to assist in defraying the cost of the City's Drug Abuse Resistance Education program (DARE") and IMPACT program; and,

WHEREAS, DARE is an anti-drug program that teaches students good decision-making skills to help them lead safe and healthy lives; and,

WHEREAS, IMPACT is an anti-drug and stress management curriculum built around a current and ever-changing culture that teaches students to make smart and healthy decisions using the core values of integrity, responsibility, respect, and prevention; and,

WHEREAS, via the COMBAT grant, the City provides law enforcement officers who provide DARE and IMPACT education in the Lee's Summit R-7 School District's ("District") elementary and middle schools ("DARE/IMPACT officers"); and,

WHEREAS, the DARE program benefits District students in seventh grade by providing education to avoid use of tobacco, alcohol, illegal drugs, and other controlled substances, as well as provide skills to avoid related risky behaviors; and,

WHEREAS, the IMPACT program benefits District students in the fifth grade by providing education to resist the use of tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, and vaping as well as providing an understanding of the skills to manage stress, resist peer pressure, and control emotions during conflicts; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to define their relationship and duties regarding implementation of the DARE/IMPACT program at District schools.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit hereby approves and authorizes the execution, by the Mayor, of a memorandum of understanding by and between the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri and the Lee's Summit R-7 School District for the DARE and IMPACT program, which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and adoption, and approval by the Mayor.

BILL NO. 22-195

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this ____ day of _____, 2022.

Mayor *William A. Baird*

ATTEST:

City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this _____ day of _____, 2022.

Mayor *William A. Baird*

ATTEST:

City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney *Brian W. Head*