BILL NO. 20-168

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PUBLIC SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT AND VELOCITY LEE'S SUMMIT, INC. FOR THE APPROPRIATION OF CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUNDS TO BE USED TO PROVIDE ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO SMALL BUSINESSES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE SAME ON BEHALF OF THE CITY.

WHEREAS, the President of the United States, the Governor of the State of Missouri, and the Mayor of the City of Lee's Summit (the "City"), have each declared a state of emergency in response to the 2019 novel coronavirus ("COVID-19"); and,

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2020, the United States enacted the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act") which established the Coronavirus Relief Fund (the "Fund") and appropriated \$150 billion to the Fund; and,

WHEREAS, Jackson County, Missouri (the "County") received \$122.7 million from the Fund, and the County, through Ordinance 5372, has appropriated approximately \$36.9 million of its CARES Act funding to the cities within its borders; and,

WHEREAS, the County appropriated to the City an amount not to exceed \$5,921,527.00, and the City may receive its entire appropriation upfront upon the County's approval of the City's budget for spending the Funds; and,

WHEREAS, the City desires to allocate \$225,000.00 of the Funds to Velocity Lee's Summit, Inc. to serve as a third-party administrator and use such Funds to provide economic assistance to small businesses within the City limits.

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

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of Lee's Summit (the "City") hereby allocates \$225,000.00 of Coronavirus Relief Funds to Velocity Lee's Summit, Inc.

SECTION 2. The public service agreement between the City of Lee's Summit and Velocity Lee's Summit, Inc., attached as <u>Exhibit A</u> and incorporated herein by reference, is hereby approved, and the City Manager is authorized to execute the same in substantially the same form as the attached by and on behalf of the City for the purpose of providing economic assistance to small businesses.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption, passage, and approval by the Mayor.

SECTION 4. Should any section, sentence, or clause of this Ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences or clauses. PASSED by the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this ____day of _____, 2020.

Mayor William A. Baird

ATTEST:

City Clerk Trisha Fowler-Arcuri

APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this ____ day of _____, 2020.

ATTEST:

Mayor William A. Baird

City Clerk Trisha Fowler-Arcuri

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney Brian H. Head