

BILL NO. 20-194

AN ORDINANCE ALLOCATING ADDITIONAL CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUNDS TO CERTAIN NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS TO DISTRIBUTE THE SAME ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT.

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 initially allocated \$335,000.00 of the Funds it received for economic assistance to be distributed to various nonprofit entities ("Initial Funding"); and,

WHEREAS, the City invited nonprofit entities to apply for Coronavirus Relief Funds to cover costs eligible under the CARES Act; namely, costs that: (1) are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to COVID-19; (2) were not accounted for in the budget most recently approved as of March 27, 2020 for the City; and (3) are incurred between March 1, 2020, and November 30, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2020, per Ordinance No. 8949, the City Council awarded the Initial Funding to certain applicants to use to respond to and mitigate against the effects of COVID-19; and,

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2020, the City Council also authorized the City to award an additional \$150,000.00 of the Funds for economic assistance ("Additional Funds") to the nonprofit entities who originally applied for the Initial Funding; and,

WHEREAS, after receiving and reviewing revised applications for the nonprofit entities, the City desires to award the Additional Funds.

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 Coronavirus Relief Funds, in addition to those allocated pursuant to Ordinance No. 8949, as follows:

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| Non-Profit Entity | Allocation Amount |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Lee's Summit CARES | \$17,643.00 |
| Developing Potential Inc. | \$0.00 |
| ReDiscover | \$13,300.00 |
| Lee's Summit Historical Society | \$6,235.00 |
| Summit Theater Group | \$5,529.19 |
| Summit Art | \$13,606.00 |
| Lee's Summit Economic Development Council | \$12,874.02 |
| Lee's Summit Chamber | \$46,394.84 |
| Lee's Summit Symphony Orchestra | \$17,026.23 |
| Total | \$132,608.28 |

SECTION 2. The City Manager is authorized to distribute the allocations set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance; to execute the form public service agreement authorized by Ordinance No. 8948 on behalf of the City with the entities allocated Coronavirus Relief Funds pursuant to this Ordinance; and to amend any existing to public service agreements with such entities to reflect the award of additional Coronavirus Relief Funds.

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.

SECTION 5. In addition to the funds allocated in Section1 of this Ordinance, the City Council hereby allocates \$17,391.72 of Coronavirus Relief Funds to Velocity Lee's Summit, Inc., and authorizes the City Manager to execute an amendment to the Public Service Agreement between the City and Velocity, as approved by Ordinance No. 8950, to effectuate the same.

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*

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

Mayor *William A. Baird*

ATTEST:

City Clerk *Trisha Fowler-Arcuri*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney *Brian H. Head*