

SPONSOR: Daniel Spitale
Councilman at Large

RESOLUTION NO. B 10

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND AUTHORIZING AND DESIGNATING SIGNATORIES FOR PAYMENT VOUCHER ON LETTERS OF CREDIT FOR ROUND THREE (3) COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) OF THE CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF, AND ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT (CARES-ACT) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the CARES Act made available \$5 billion in Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus (CDBG-CV) funds. Of this amount, the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) immediately allocated \$2 billion on March 27, 2020, the same day President Donald Trump signed into law the first round of Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES ACT), based on the fiscal year 2020 CDBG formula; this constituted the first round of CDBG-CV funds; and

WHEREAS, \$1 billion was required by the Act to be allocated to States and insular area within 45 days of enactment of the ACT; and HUD accomplished this on May 11, 2020, and this constituted a second round of CDBG-CV funds.

WHEREAS; the remaining \$2 billion in CDBG-CV funds was required by the Act to be allocated to states and local governments at the discretion of the Secretary on a rolling basis; HUD accomplished this on September 11, 2020, and this constitutes a third round of CDBG-CV funds; and

WHEREAS, the CARES-ACT made available a third-round allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program for the City of Hammond in amount of \$408,738; and

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WHEREAS, it is necessary and in the public interest that the City of Hammond, Indiana avail itself of the financial assistance provided through the CARES-ACT to meet the community development and homeless needs that have been exacerbated by COVID-19.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana that;

1. The United States of America and the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development be, and hereby are, assured of full compliance and administration of Civil Rights Act, citizen participation, equal opportunity, relocation payments, affirmative action, acquisition processes, accounting processes, the Hatch Act, minimum wage and minimum hours provisions of the Fair Labor Standard Act, and requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1968.
2. The Mayor of the City of Hammond, Indiana is authorized and directed to prepare a substantial amendment of its currently adopted FY2019 Annual Action Plan submission to HUD for CDBG-CV funds made available to the City through the CARES-ACT.

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3. The Mayor of the City of Hammond is hereby authorized to execute and file such application with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, to provide such additional information and to furnish such documentation as may be required of said Department, and act as the authorized correspondent of the City of Hammond relating to the Community Development Programs.
4. The Mayor of the City of Hammond, Indiana is Thomas M. McDermott, Jr. and is authorized to certify that the signatures of Africa Tarver and Megan Flores are authorized to sign Standard Form 1194 "Authorized Signatory Card for Payment Voucher on Letter of Credit", on behalf of the City of Hammond, Indiana.
5. Any and all funds received under the above application shall be expended only in strict compliance with all applicable federal laws and regulations, and, upon appropriation thereof by the Common Council.

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Adopted this 8TH day of February, 2021.



Dave Woerpel, President
Common Council

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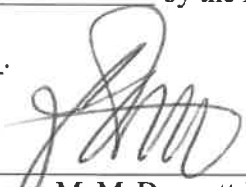
Robert J. Golec, City Clerk

PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, to the Mayor of said City for his approval on the 9TH day of February, 2021.



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk

The foregoing Resolution Number R10 by consisting of five (5) typewritten pages, including this page, Approved by the Mayor on this 10^E day of February, 2021.



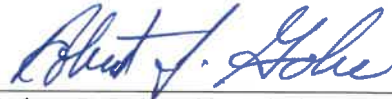
Thomas M. McDermott Jr., Mayor
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PASSED by the Common Council on the 8TH day of February,
2021 and Approved, by the Mayor on the 3RD day of February,
2021.



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk