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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND AUTHORIZING AND DESIGNATING SIGNATORIES FOR PAYMENT VOUCHER ON LETTERS OF CREDIT FOR THE HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM AND DEALING WITH OTHER MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE EXPENDITURES FOR -AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN (HOME -ARP)

WHEREAS, On April 8, 2021, The Office of Community Planning and Development's (CPD) Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 HOME Investment Partnerships Program-American Rescue Plan HOME-ARP formula allocations; and

WHEREAS, HOME-ARP provides \$5 billion to assist individuals or households who are homeless, at risk of homelessness, and other vulnerable populations, by providing housing, rental assistance, supportive services, and non-congregate shelter, to reduce homelessness and increase housing stability across the country

WHEREAS, the HOME-ARP made available an allocation of HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program for the City of Hammond in amount of \$1,765,004; 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 HOME-ARP 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 an application for the FY2021 HOME Investment Partnership grant and to execute the proposed HOME-ARP program including all understandings and assurances contained herein as provided in this Resolution.

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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 Program.
- 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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ATTEST: Robert J. Golec, City Clerk	Common Co	Julien			
PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, to the Mayor of said City for his approval on the 27th day of					
The foregoing Resolution Number	R17	by consisting of five (5)			
typewritten pages, including this page,	poved	by the Mayor on this			
day of April		McDermott Jr., Mayor amond, Indiana			

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