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**RESOLUTION NO. 40-20**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF JACKSON AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO GIVE WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE CITY'S INTENT TO NOT RENEW ITS CONTRACT WITH THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson, Ohio had, by ORD. 63-17, contracted with Warren T. Thacker to serve as the City Information Technology Systems Administrator for a period of two years beginning on January 1, 2018 with automatic two year renewals thereafter unless terminated by written notice of no less than 120 days of the Mayor's intent to not renew the agreement; and

WHEREAS, a majority of this City Council hereby requests, approves and authorizes the Mayor to give written notice to Warren T. Thacker that said contract shall not be renewed; and

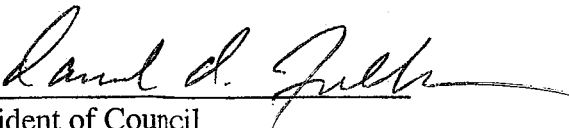
WHEREAS, this matter constitutes an emergency necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the City that the contract may be terminated at the earliest possible date and to allow sufficient time to reorganize the IT department so that operations of the department is uninterrupted.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE CITY OF JACKSON THAT THE MAYOR IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO NOTIFY WARREN T. THACKER ON A DATE MORE THAN 120 DAYS PRIOR TO THE END OF THE CURRENT AGREEMENT THAT THE CONTRACT FOR HIS EMPLOYMENT WILL NOT BE RENEWED FOR SUBSEQUENT PERIODS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE REASONS SET FORTH HEREIN.**

In the event this Resolution receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Resolution shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and the deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

  
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President of Council

ATTEST:

Cinda R. Kuhn  
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

R. M. [Signature]  
Mayor