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RESOLUTION NO. 26-23

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND SAFETY TO FILE AN APPLICATION WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF MINERAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT FOR AN ABANDONED MINE LAND ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION GRANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City now desires to make application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), Division of Mineral Resources Management (DMRM) for Abandoned Mine Land Economic Revitalization (AMLER) grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the City has identified projects including but not limited to projects to stabilize and secure abandoned mines withing the City near US 32 and US 35 and for the removal of gob from areas that were previously mined, that meet the intended grant purposes for use at sites that are un-reclaimed, previously reclaimed, or lands adjacent to abandoned coal mine lands or polluted waters or communities impacted by historic coal production; and

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes an emergency for the reason that the applicants are requested to submit a letter of intent by July 14, 2023 and there is an application deadline of September 15, 2023; and

NOW, THEREFORE:

Section One. The Director of Public Service and Safety is hereby authorized to apply to the ODNR for the AMLER grant.

Section Two. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency Resolution, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety of the City of Jackson, and for the reason set forth above. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

Section Three. 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.

Section Four. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberations of this Council that resulted in such formal actions were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.23 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 26th day of June, 2023.

David J. Fuler
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST:

Cindi Kuhn
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 26th day of June, 2023.

BRADYMAN
Mayor