CITY OF HILLS AND DALES MUNICIPAL ORDER 2022-1

A MUNICIPAL ORDER APPROVING THE USE OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) FUNDS TO PROVIDE PREMIUM PAY FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION STAFF

WHEREAS the ARPA final rule allows cities with allocations under ten million to elect to use its total allocation as income loss, allowing its allocation to be used for a broad range of general government purposes and the city does elect to have its entire ARPA allocation considered income loss,

WHEREAS the eight KRS Chapter 75 fire protection districts within Jefferson County,

Kentucky did not receive ARPA funding directly, but city depends on fire protection district staff within

Jefferson County, Kentucky for provision of emergency services, especially during the Covid-19 health

emergency when those fire districts continued to provide first responder services for city, and

WHEREAS the city is aware of a certain pooling agreement, through which the entities that did receive ARPA funds can continue a portion of their ARPA allocations to fund premium pay for fire protection district employees under a certain sharing formula and city wishes to contribute to that pooling agreement,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY CITY:

1. The Mayor is authorized to issue American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds in the total amount of \$1,000.00 to fund pandemic premium pay for the KRS Chapter 75 fire protection districts within Jefferson County, Kentucky, pursuant to and conditioned upon full compliance with a certain Agreement dated the 13 day of October, 2022, through which the Jefferson County Suburban Fire Service, Inc. agreed to hold such funds, equitably distribute those funds in accordance with the Sharing Formula and provide to city all the documentation city needs for meeting its reporting requirements for use of ARPA funds. Pursuant to the terms of the referenced Agreement, the contribution of city shall be considered a DIRECTED DISTRIBUTION made to the Anchorage Middletown Fire District.

2. The city hereby authorizes the mayor to execute the necessary agreement(s) to implement the project, which shall be known as the Suburban Fire Districts Covid-19 Premium Pay Project, utilizing ARPA SLFRF income replacement funding. As this project provides premium pay for the fire protection district staff that provide emergency first responder services to city, this project is an allowable general government expenditure under the authority of income replacement under Treasury's Final Rule. The city further authorizes the mayor to execute any documents which are deemed necessary by the US Treasury to participate in the American Rescue Plan State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds and to have full authority to function as authorized correspondent for the proposed project.

This Municipal Order shall take effect upon its passage and approval as required by law. Adopted this 13, day of October, 2022.

Mayor Shuf

ATTEST:

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Those in Favor:

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Those Opposed:

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