TOWN of BOWLING GREEN RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT

Application to Virginia Department of Health Planning & Design Fund

WHEREAS, the Town of Bowling Green recognizes the importance of maintaining and improving its public utility infrastructure to ensure the delivery of reliable and high-quality services to its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Town currently faces challenges in managing its public utility systems due to a lack of a comprehensive asset management plan and limited budget, which has resulted in deferred maintenance and unanticipated system failures; and

WHEREAS, the development of a Geographic Information System (GIS) map for public utility infrastructure will provide accurate and detailed information regarding the location and condition of critical assets, thereby enabling the Town to implement an effective asset management plan; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of the Asset Management Plan will allow the Town to proactively make improvements to public utility infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the GIS mapping project is expected to be completed within 12 months and will include phases for record research, system development, field verification, staff training, and implementation; and

WHEREAS, the Town Manager and staff were successful in obtaining \$45,000 from this program for the Town of Bowling Green Hydrogeologic Source Evaluation Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOWLING GREEN TOWN COUNCIL: That the Bowling Green Town Council fully supports the Town's application to the Virginia Department of Health Planning & Design Fund to secure the resources necessary to develop a GIS map for public utility infrastructure, to achieve the project's goals of improving service reliability, water quality, and infrastructure management.

This Resolution was approved this 2nd day of January 2025, by the Town Council of the Town of Bowling Green, Virginia.

By: _____ Hon. Tina Gambill, Mayor

Attest:

India Adams-Jacobs, Clerk of the Council