

RESOLUTION NO. 25-30

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF CHIPLEY CITY COUNCIL, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN APPLICATION FOR A STATE OF FLORIDA, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK PROGRAM NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION (CDBG-NR PROGRAM) FOR CONSTRUCTION OF INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE CITY OF CHIPLEY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The State of Florida has established the Community Development Block Grant Program, and it has been determined the City of Chipley is eligible to make application for certain funds under this program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Chipley is eligible to apply to the Florida Department of Commerce for a Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) under the FY 2024–2025 program year; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Chipley recognizes the need for infrastructure improvements within the community, including drainage and street improvements on Orange Street and milling and resurfacing on 6th Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the estimated total project cost is **\$1,784,192.02**, which the City intends to fund through a CDBG grant application; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the City to pursue said grant funding to improve public infrastructure and enhance the quality of life for its residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHIPLEY, FLORIDA, THAT:

- 1. SECTION 1.** The City Commission hereby authorizes the submission of an application to the Florida Department of Commerce for Community Development Block Grant funding under the FY 2023–2024 program year in an amount not to exceed **\$1,784,192.02** for drainage and street improvements on Orange Street and milling and resurfacing on 6th Avenue.
- 2. SECTION 2.** The City Commission hereby designates and authorizes the **Mayor** or the **City Administrator** to execute any and all documents, forms, and certifications required for the preparation, submission, and administration of the grant application and any resulting grant agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City of Chipley City Council, that submission of the CDBG-NR application for certain improvements and associated signature authority is hereby approved.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Chipley, Florida, this 13th day of May 2025.

CITY OF CHIPLEY

Tracy L. Andrews, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sherry Snell, City Clerk