



STAFF ACTION ITEM

MEETING DATE: 03/04/2024

TITLE: RES-2024-01 Resolution of Support for a DCA Historic Preservation Matching Grant for a Historic Resources Survey

PRESENTED BY: Ronald Johnson, AICP, Community Development Director

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION (Agenda Content):

Consideration of RES-2024-01 for a DCA Historic Preservation Grant

HISTORY/PAST ACTION:

The city has a need to survey our historic resources downtown to identify building features, plan types, architectural style and other elements. All cities with Historic Preservation Commissions are required to have a survey.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

None

INFORMATION:

The city has applied for a matching grant (60/40 split) in the amount of approximately \$4,400 in order to conduct a Historic Resources Survey of the downtown. The grant would fund services through the University of West Georgia Center for Public History to identify historic buildings, structures and monuments downtown, their build dates, architectural style and plan types. The resulting survey document will help the Historic Preservation Commission make decisions on Certificate of Appropriateness applications and deciding the most appropriate improvements to buildings based off of their architecture type. The survey will also support a future National Historic District nomination.