RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, MISSOURI, EXPRESSING SUPPORT OF A TRAFFIC ENGINEERING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM APPLICATION TO THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE MAIN STREET CORRIDOR PEDESTRIAN SAFETY STUDY.

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson, Missouri constructs, operates, and maintains an extensive network of public streets, sidewalks, and recreation trails for the benefit of their citizens, school students, and the public at large, and;

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen of the City has adopted a Comprehensive Plan, a City Wide Transportation Plan, an ADA Transition Framework Plan, and has appointed a Planning and Zoning Commission, and said Commission has adopted a Major Street Plan, and;

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Southeast Metropolitan Planning Organization has adopted a Metropolitan Transportation Plan establishing goals and objectives for transportation plans, projects, and programs within the metropolitan area, and said Organization has adopted the Regional Bicycle & Pedestrian Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City has the responsibility to provide for the general health, safety, and welfare of citizens within their jurisdiction and that the provision of safe and effective vehicular and pedestrian transportation systems is part of that responsibility, and;

WHEREAS, the City desires to apply for Traffic Engineering Assistance Program funds for the Main Street Corridor Pedestrian Safety Study; and;

WHEREAS, the Pedestrian Safety Study is consistent with the goals and objectives of the ADA Transition Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen finds the Pedestrian Safety Study will provide analyses and recommendations for improving pedestrian safety on Main Street between West Jackson Boulevard and Hope Street.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the City, through its Board of Aldermen, does hereby express and confirms its support for the submittal of a Traffic Engineering Assistance Program application to the Missouri Department of Transportation for the funding of the Main Street Corridor Pedestrian Safety Study.

2. That this Resolution shall be submitted as soon as practical upon its passage to the Missouri Department of Transportation in Sikeston, Missouri, as an attachment to the program application.

3. That the City hereby commits to any and all follow-up actions that may be necessary to secure funding of said project in the most timely and economical manner possible.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 6th day of September, 2022, by a vote of _____

ayes, _____ abstentions and _____ absent.

(SEAL)

CITY OF JACKSON, MISSOURI

ATTEST

BY: _____ Mayor

City Clerk