



AGENDA ACTION FORM

Consideration of a Resolution to Apply for and Receive Connected Communities and Facilities 2.0 Grant

To: Board of Mayor and Aldermen
From: Chris McCartt, City Manager *CM*

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Staff Work By: Committee
Presentation By: Michael T. Borders

Recommendation:

Approve the Resolution.

Executive Summary:

If approved the City will apply for and be authorized to receive the Connected Communities and Facilities 2.0 Grant (CCF) for up to \$2,000,000.

CCF is an ARPA funded grant administered through the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development (TNECD). The program’s goal is to make digital access easier by building and rehabbing spaces where communities can come together and connect digitally. The goal is to create places where people can access digital resources for work, health, and education in one location.

If the application is successful the funds will be utilized toward the construction costs of the library renovation.

The deadline to apply for the grant is July 12 with award announcements being made in September 2024. Funds must be expended by December 30, 2026.

A 10% grant match, \$200,000, is required. Matching funds are identified in GP2300.

Attachments:

- 1. Resolution
- 2. Grant Overview

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George	—	—	—
Montgomery	—	—	—
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Phillips	—	—	—
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