

Resolution No. _____

Resolution Authorizing the Filing of a Project Scoping Application to the Iowa Homeland Security and
Emergency Management for the FEMA Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities Grant Program
For Stormwater Capital Projects

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in the U. S. Department of Homeland Security is offering a program known as Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)Program; and

WHEREAS, the BRIC Program aims to shift the federal focus away from reactive disaster spending and toward research-supported, proactive investment in community resilience; and

WHEREAS, FEMA anticipates BRIC funding projects that demonstrate innovative approaches to partnerships, such as shared funding mechanisms, and/or project design; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein carefully considers grant programs that assist the City in achieving projects and programs that are priorities for the community; and

WHEREAS, actions taken through this program may lower the impact of flooding in the downtown and improve stormwater management; and

WHEREAS, this grant program requires a 15 percent local match from the City of Oelwein which would be \$15,000 of other non-federal funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is committing to \$15,000 to support the FEMA Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities Grant, specifically, Project Scoping

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA:

1. That the City Administrator is authorized to execute and file applications on behalf of the City of Oelwein with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to aid in the financing of planning and design of a potential stormwater management program for Dry Run Creek
2. That the City Administrator is authorized to execute and file the Assurances and other documents the Federal Emergency Management Agency requires before awarding a Federal assistance grant or cooperative agreement.
3. That the City Administrator is authorized to submit additional information as the Federal Emergency Management Agency, or the Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management may require in connection with the application or project.
4. That the City Administrator is authorized to set forth and execute affirmative minority business policies in connection with the project.
5. That after certification of funds by the City Clerk, the City Administrator is hereby authorized to execute the grant agreement on behalf of the City of Oelwein and that their signature constitutes acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement.

Passed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Mayor Brett DeVore

Attest:

It was moved by _____ and seconded by _____ that the Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were:

Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator

Recorded _____, 2021.

Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator

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