STATE OF LOUISIANA

CITY OF WEST MONROE

RESOLUTION NO	MOTION BY:	
	SECONDED BY:	

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO CERTIFY THE AVAILABILITY OF LOCAL FUNDING FOR THE CYPRESS DETENTION - SOUTH PROJECT, AND TO AFFIRM THE COMMITMENT OF THE REQUIRED LOCAL FUNDS FOR THE PROJECT BY THE CITY.

WHEREAS, the City of West Monroe secured grant funding for the Cypress Detention - South project under the Louisiana Watershed Initiative Grant Program. Local and Regional Round 1 (Grant B-18-DP-22-001 / PO#2000766243 totaling \$1,084,578; and

WHEREAS, the original estimated project cost is \$1,237,219.89, and accordingly the difference in funding needed for the project is \$152,641.89; and

WHEREAS, although Ordinance #4873, which provided the authority for originally applying for the grant funding also authorized the Mayor to certify to all funding and funding information requests, and to sign and deliver any requested or required letter of funds commitment in the form required by the Louisiana Office of Community Development, more specific authority for the commitment of necessary local funding for the awarded project has been requested; and

WHEREAS, the City has adequate available and uncommitted funds to make the requested commitment of \$152,641.89 for the Cypress Detention - South project.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that funds in the amount of \$152, 641.89 are hereby allocated and here committed to the funding of the local portion of funding required for the Cypress Detention - South project, and that Staci Albritton Mitchell, as Mayor of the City of West Monroe, is hereby authorized to certify to the availability and commitment of that funding for the Cypress Detention - South project to the office of Community Development, State of Louisiana, and to such other agencies or entities as are necessary or appropriate.

The above resolution was read and considered by sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened on the 19th day of

December, 2023, voted on by yea and nay vote, passed and adopted, the final vote being as follows:		
NAY:		
NOT VOTING:		
ABSENT:		
ATTEST:	APPROVED THIS 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2023	
CINDY EMORY, CITY CLERK CITY OF WEST MONROE STATE OF LOUISIANA	STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR CITY OF WEST MONROE STATE OF LOUISIANA	