

BILL NO. _____
ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE MISSOURI STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (SEMA) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$66,935.02 FOR THE HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM (HMGP); AUTHORIZING FUTURE CHANGE ORDERS FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDING OR TIME EXTENSIONS FOR THE SAME PROJECT; MAKING THE NECESSARY APPROPRIATIONS AND AUTHORIZING CERTAIN FUTURE APPROPRIATIONS.

WHEREAS, SEMA, operating as an agency under the Department of Homeland Security, has made funding available to support local initiatives for local Hazard Mitigation programs; and, whereas these monies will be used in an Independence Storm Siren Expansion project; and,

WHEREAS, SEMA has indicated it has \$66,935.02 available for the City of Independence to access and use to support the HMGP; and,

WHEREAS, this program requires local cost sharing from the City of Independence in the amount of \$22,311.67; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council does wish to accept this grant and has concluded the special conditions of this grant award can be met;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to sign any necessary documentation and accept the Sixty-six Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-Five and 2/100 Dollars (\$66,935.02) from the State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) from the 2021 HMGP grant process, a copy of said grant being attached hereto, incorporated by reference thereto, and made a part hereof as though fully set out herein.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is further authorized to approve future change orders, extensions, amendments or addendums to this contract without Council approval for an extension of time for completing the terms of the grant or for the receipt of additional funding for this same project, provided there are no changes in the terms and/or conditions or responsibilities to the City and provided each and every such change order, extension, amendment or addendum is approved by the City Manager, does not add more than 90% to the length of time of the grant or more than 50% to the original funding, is identified as being authorized by this ordinance and a copy is filed with the City Clerk.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to increase appropriations by the amount of any increased grant awards authorized by change order, extension, amendment, or addendum for any increased funding under the terms of the previous section provided a copy of that action is also provided to the Finance Department.

SECTION 4. That appropriations are hereby increased in the Fire Department Grants Fund Operating Budget in the amount of Sixty-six Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-Five and 2/100 Dollars (\$66,935.02) from the State of Missouri's 2021 State Emergency Management Agency Grant for the City's Hazard Mitigation projects.

SEMA Grant
HMPG Program
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PASSED AS AN EMERGENCY THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2022, BY THE CITY
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI.

Presiding Officer of the City Council
of the City of Independence, Missouri

ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

City Counselor

REVIEWED BY:

City Manager