File #: 230380

ORDINANCE NO. 230380

Estimating revenues and appropriating funds in the amount of $1,494,887.87 in the General Grants Fund for the Emergency Rental Assistance Program from the U.S. Department of the Treasury to assist households that are unable to pay rent and utilities due to the COVID-19 pandemic; and authorizing the Director of Housing and Community Development to execute a contract for Emergency Rental Assistance and requiring quarterly status reports.

WHEREAS, the Emergency Rental Assistance (ERA) program was established by Section 501 of Division N of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021, PUB. L. No 116-260 (Dec, 27, 2020) to be used to provide emergency rental and utility assistance; and

WHEREAS, execution of a contract will provide rental and utility assistance; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

Section 1. That revenue is estimated in the following account of the General Grants Fund in the following amount:

24-2580-550001-479979-G55ERAP22	COVID Emergency Rental Assistance	$1,494,887.87

Section 2. That the sum $1,494,887.87 is hereby appropriated from the Unappropriated Fund Balance of the General Grants Fund in the following accounts:

24-2580-555501-B-G55ERAP22	COVID Emergency Rental Assistance	$1,494,887.87

Section 3. That the Director of Housing and Community Development Department is hereby designated the requisitioning authority for Account No. 24-2580-555501-G55ERAP22.

I hereby certify that there is a balance, otherwise unencumbered, to the credit of the appropriation to which the foregoing expenditure is to be charged, and a cash balance, otherwise unencumbered, in the treasury, to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made, each sufficient to meet the obligation hereby incurred.

Tammy L. Queen
Director of Finance

Approved as to form:

Joseph A. Guarino
Senior Associate City Attorney

Authenticated as Passed

Quinton Lucas, Mayor

Marilyn Sanders, City Clerk

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Date Passed