

Section 2. That the City Manager is hereby directed to secure all necessary permits to reuse the property at the chosen site for a modular jail facility.

Section. 3. That the City Manager is hereby directed to present a plan for operations of the facility to the City Council within 30 days.

Section 4. That the City Council expresses its desire to utilize up to \$14,000,000.00 of funds previously appropriated in Ordinance No. 240807, As Amended, for the construction of a modular jail facility.



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Quinton Lucas, Mayor


Marilyn Sanders, City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. TMP-5762

Directing the City Manager to issue a Request for Qualifications/Proposals for the construction of a modular jail facility with a capacity of up to 130 beds, at City-owned or City-controlled parcels; directing the City Manager to secure all necessary permits to reuse the chosen site for a modular jail facility; directing the City Manager to present a plan for operations of the facility to the City Council within 30 days; and expressing the City Council's desire to utilize up to \$14,000,000.00 of funds previously appropriated in Ordinance 240807, As Amended, for the construction of the facility.

WHEREAS, the City has contracts with Johnson County, Missouri and Vernon County, Missouri to provide detention services; and

WHEREAS, the City has outstanding detention and rehabilitation needs; and

WHEREAS, the expected surge of visitors to the City for the upcoming 2026 World Cup may further strain the City's limited rehabilitation and detention resources; and

WHEREAS, Committee Substitute for Resolution No. 250393 directed the City Manager to research and evaluate the feasibility of establishing a temporary modular jail facility, including central booking capabilities, to meet the City's current rehabilitation and detention needs; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to provide additional rehabilitation and detention facilities in the form of a modular jail facility; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 240807, As Amended, appropriated the amount of \$16,000,000.00 from the Unappropriated Fund Balance of the Public Safety Sales Tax fund for the purpose of constructing a Kansas City Police Department Downtown Booking facility; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to utilize up to \$14,000,000.00 of funds previously appropriated in Ordinance No. 240807, As Amended, for the construction of a modular jail facility; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

Section 1. That the City Manager is hereby directed to promptly issue a Request for Qualifications/Proposals for the construction of a modular jail facility with a capacity of up to 130 beds, on City-owned or City-controlled parcels.