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## RESOLUTION NO. 2020-29

A RESOLUTION OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF WELLSTON AFFIRMING THAT FUNDS FROM THE COUNTY CORONAVIRUS RELIEF DISTRIBUTION FUND MAY BE EXPENDED ONLY TO COVER COSTS OF THE SUBDIVISION CONSISTENT WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 5001 OF THE CARES ACT AS DESCRIBED IN 42 U.S.C. 601(D), AND ANY APPLICABLE REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, 116 Public Law 136, (the CARES Act) was signed into law by the President of the United States on March 27, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio General Assembly established a process for distributing funds provided by the "Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act" in Senate Bill 481 of the 133rd General Assembly (S.B. 481); and

WHEREAS, S.B. 481 requires subdivisions receiving funds under Section 1 of the act, to pass a resolution affirming that funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund may be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 601(d), and any applicable regulations before receiving said funds; and

WHEREAS, The City of Wellston is requesting its share of funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of The City of Wellston that City Counsel affirms that all funds received from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund pursuant to S.B. 481 be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 601(d), and any applicable regulations and guidance only to cover expenses that:

- (1) Are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19);
- (2) Were not accounted for in the City of Wellston's most recently approved budget as of March 27, 2020; and
- (3) Were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020, and ends on December 30, 2020.

FURTHERMORE, in compliance with S.B. 481, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Wellston that the City Auditor take all necessary action to:

- (1) On or before October 15, 2020, pay any unencumbered balance of money in the City's local coronavirus relief fund to the County Treasurer;
- (2) On or before December 28, 2020, pay the balance of any money in the City's local coronavirus relief fund to the state treasury in the manner prescribed by the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management; and

(3) Provide any information related to any payments received under S.B. 481 to the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management as requested.

**FURTHERMORE**, this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety of the City of Wellston, in that it is necessary to approve this additional appropriation in order that expenses can be timely paid as incurred and in accordance with the city's obligations. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in the Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

**FURTHERMORE**, in the event this Resolution receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, this Resolution shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

**FURTHERMORE**, it is hereby found and determined that all formal acts of this council concerning and relating to adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this council and the deliberations of the council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the legislative authorized, 2020.	council President
ATTEST:  Clerk of Council	
Approved this 18th day of June	, 2020. Mayor

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