

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 212

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT WITH THE COBB COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM OFFICE TO PARTICIPATE IN JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE RECEIPT AND ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR USE IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A CAMERA INTEGRATION SYSTEM TO ASSIST EMERGENCY RESPONSE; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Powder Springs originally applied for funding assistance from the Justice Assistance Grant program to offset costs of its bond step program to streamline the bonding process and reduce processing times experienced by defendants by hiring temporary part-time personnel to replace bond processing previously completed by the City of Smyrna; and

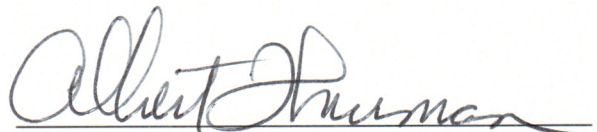
WHEREAS the Chief of Police and Court Administrator subsequently determined that the bonding process was more appropriately completed by existing city court and public safety personnel; and

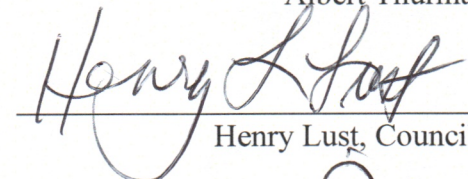
WHEREAS after collaborating with and evaluating the Cobb County Real-Time Crime Center (“Center”) operations and the opportunity by the City to coordinate its investigative efforts with the Center, the Police Department found that a comprehensive integrated camera system offered by the FUSUS platform would significantly enhance its operations by coordinating law enforcement response with real time notification of events and threats to provide a greater measure of public safety; and

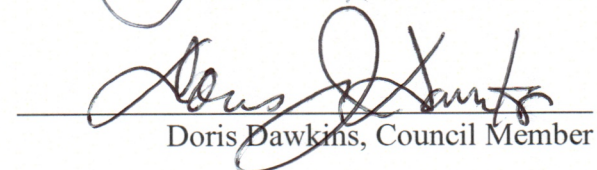
WHEREAS the City requested that the JAG funding be redirected to the acquisition of the state of the art integrated camera system offered by the FUSUS platform, which was approved,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Powder Springs that it approves and authorizes the Mayor to execute the Program Year 2023 Justice Assistance Grant program Subrecipient Agreement to offset the costs of the FUSUS platform, after review and approval by the City Attorney. This Resolution shall be effective upon adoption.

SO RESOLVED this 20th day of November 2023.

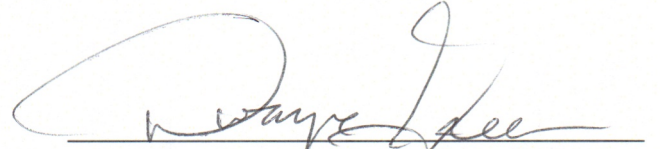

Albert Thurman, Mayor

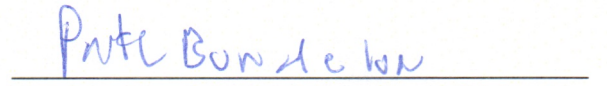

Henry Lust, Council Member

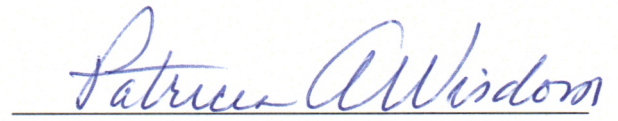

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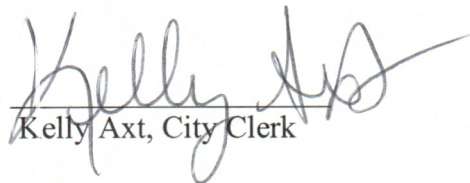
[additional signatures follow]

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Patricia Wisdom, Council Member

ATTEST: 
Kelly Axt, City Clerk