Resolution 39-25

A Resolution authorizing the Finance Director to enter into any agreements with the State of Ohio (the "State"), through the Ohio Office of Budget and Management ("OBM"), necessary to participate in the Ohio Ambulance Impacted Industry Transportation Program and to ratify any prior action or agreements entered into herein and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") (Pub. L. No. 117-2), signed into law March 11, 2021, established the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds ("SLFRF"), and appropriated $350 billion to state, local, and Tribal governments across the country to support their response to and recovery from the COVID-19 public health emergency; and

WHEREAS, the State, through OBM, was directly allocated and accepted $5.3 billion in SLFRF relief as federal award identification number SLFRP0130 from the United States Department of the Treasury ("Treasury"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 280.10 of Amended Substitute House Bill 45 ("H.B. 45"), the 134th General Assembly of the State of Ohio appropriated $20 million in SLFRF funds to OBM in appropriation item 042627, Ohio Ambulance Transportation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 280.10 of H.B. 45, appropriation item 042627, Ohio Ambulance Transportation, shall be used by OBM to administer grants to any public, not-for-profit, or private ground ambulance transport provider, who submitted claims to the Ohio Department of Medicaid during the state fiscal year 2023;

WHEREAS, the City of Orrville shall use the funds to support workforce relief costs incurred during the pandemic.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Orrville, Ohio:

Section 1: That the Finance Director is hereby authorized to enter into any agreements with the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Office of Budget and Management, necessary to participate in the Ambulance Impacted Industry Transportation Program.

Section 2: That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure for the reason that the grant application, which includes this agreement is due by July 31, 2023; therefore, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed this 3rd day of November 2025.

President of Council

Attest:

Clerk of Council

Approved:

Mayor

11-03-2025

Date

I, Jeanne Gault, Clerk of Council of the City of Orrville do hereby certify this legislation _____ adopted on_____was duly posted on_____ within 10 days as required by the Charter of said City.