

RE: Resolution for Department of Transportation Grants

Background:

Per City policy, the City Council can adopt a resolution allowing for the application and acceptance of non-matching grants from the Missouri Department of Transportation Division of Highway Safety (MoDOT) for the funding of traffic safety programs. On an annual basis, the police department applies for specific DWI, and Hazardous Moving Violations (HMV) grants. These grants are a primary funding source for our DWI and HMV enforcement efforts throughout the fiscal year. For fiscal year 2026-2027, we are seeking \$29,760.00 for HMV enforcement and \$20,880.00 for DWI enforcement.

Analysis:

The above-mentioned grants financially support the police department's efforts to make the roads of the city safer. These grants cover the costs of additional traffic enforcement overtime hours worked by our officers. Without this grant funding, overtime hours worked by officers for these types for traffic enforcement efforts would be limited or eliminated due to department budget constraints.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval of the resolution.

MEMO SUBMITTED BY:

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RESOLUTION NO. 2025-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NIXA AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$50,640.00 TO FUND DWI AND HAZARDOUS MOVING VIOLATIONS ENFORCEMENT BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS the City has an opportunity to apply for grant funding from the Missouri Department of Transportation Division of Highway Safety to fund DWI and Hazardous Moving Violations enforcement safety programs; and

WHEREAS City Council desires to authorize the City Administrator to apply for and accept the grant funding described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NIXA, AS FOLLOWS, THAT:

SECTION 1: The City Administrator, or their authorized designee, is hereby authorized to apply for and accept grant funding from the Missouri Department of Transportation Division of Highway Safety to provide funds for DWI and Hazardous Moving Violations enforcement safety programs in the amount of \$50,640.00.

SECTION 2: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its final passage by the City Council and after its approval by the Mayor, subject to the provisions of section 3.11(g) of the City Charter.

ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL THIS 25th DAY OF February 2025.

ATTEST:

PRESIDING OFFICER

CITY CLERK

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2025.

ATTEST:

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY