

# **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 2024, we are seeking \$8,350.00 for HMV enforcement and \$8,500.00 for DWI enforcement.

Additionally, the police department also applies for various smaller program specific non-matching traffic grants offered by MoDOT often referred to as "mini" grants. These include the following:

- 1. Youth Seatbelt Enforcement
- 2. Youth DWI Enforcement
- 3. Click It or Ticket
- 4. July 4th DWI Enforcement
- 5. Holiday Enforcement
- 6. Youth Alcohol Enforcement
- 7. Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over

### 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:**

Nixa Police Department staff approval of the resolution.

#### **MEMO SUBMITTED BY:**

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1 2 3 4	A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NIXA AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING PROVIDED BY THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR CERTAIN TRAFFIC SAFETY PROGRAMS.			
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7 8 9	<b>WHEREAS</b> periodically the City has an opportunity to apply for non-matching grants provided by the Missouri Department of Transportation; and			
10 11	<b>WHEREAS</b> the funding provided by these grants are generally related to traffic safety operations.			
12 13 14	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NIXA, AS FOLLOWS, THAT:			
15 16 17 18 19	<b>SECTION 1:</b> The City Administrator, or designee, is hereby authorized to apply for and accept grants provided by the Missouri Department of Transportation and which are related to the following programs, for the current fiscal year:			
19 20	1. Youth Seatbelt Enforcement;			
21	2. Youth DWI Enforcement;			
22	3. Click It or Ticket;			
23	4. July 4 <sup>th</sup> DWI Enforcement;			
24	5. Holiday Enforcement;			
25	6. Youth Alcohol Enforcement; and			
26	7. Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over;			
27	8. Hazardous Moving Violation grant program;			
28	9. DWI Saturation enforcement; and			
29	10. Any other grant opportunities which may become available through the			
30	Missouri Department of Transportation and which relate to traffic safety and			
31	enforcement and do not require a matching contribution by the City.			
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33	The City Administrator, or designee, is authorized to do all things necessary or convenient			
34	to apply for and accept said funding and to carry out the terms of this Resolution, including			
35	the execution of documents required to obtain said funding,			
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37	<b>SECTION 2:</b> This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its final			
38	passage by the City Council and after its approval by the Mayor, subject to the provisions			
39 40	of section 3.11(g) of the City Charter.			
40 41	ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL THIS 13 <sup>th</sup> DAY OF February 2023.			
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43	ATTEST:			
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45 46	PRESIDING OFFICER CITY CLERK			

47	APPROVED BY THE MAYOR	THIS DAY OF	<u>,</u> 2023.
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58	CITY ATTORNEY		