

TIPPECANOE COUNTY COUNCIL
RESOLUTION 2021-31-CL
RESOLUTION DISTRIBUTING COUNTY
SHARE INNKEEPERS TAX FUNDS

WHEREAS, the Indiana General Assembly amended IC 6-9-7-7(b)(6) to provide that twenty percent (20%) of innkeeper's tax revenues "shall be distributed as determined by the county fiscal body;" and

WHEREAS, the Tippecanoe County Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution 2021-21-CM establishing the County Share Innkeeper's Tax Fund ("Fund") for deposit of said revenues; and

WHEREAS, the Tippecanoe County Treasurer has, for each of the years 2021 and 2022, requested \$10,000 for use in implementing its audit and other enforcement authority relative to collection of the Innkeeper's Tax and an additional \$2,500 for transfer to the General Fund to offset expenses of the Office of the Treasurer in administering the Innkeeper's Tax; and

WHEREAS, the County Council wishes to distribute a portion of said funds to Greater Lafayette Commerce ("GLC"), the entity referenced in IC 6-9-7-7(b)(2), for the purpose of funding a project known as the Greater Lafayette Marketing Coalition administered by GLC to promote the community marketing of Tippecanoe County to enhance the economic development of the County ("Project");

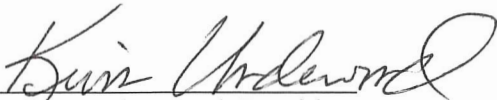
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Tippecanoe County Council that, for each of the years 2021 and 2022, the sum of \$10,000 should be distributed from the County Share Innkeeper's Tax Fund for use by the Treasurer in conducting audits and otherwise exercising the Treasurer's enforcement authority relative to collection of the Innkeeper's Tax and an additional \$2,500 should be distributed to the General Fund to offset expenses of the Treasurer in administering the Innkeeper's Tax; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, each year after distributing the amounts (if any) to the Treasurer and General Fund, for the year 2021 the remainder of the money in said Fund should be distributed to GLC to promote the community marketing of Tippecanoe County to enhance the economic development of the County, and for the years 2022 and 2023, the remainder of the money in said Fund in an amount not to exceed \$437,000 in each year should be distributed to GLC for that purpose.

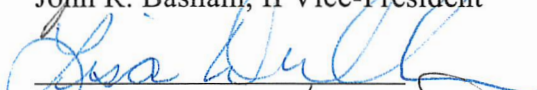
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Tippecanoe County Auditor and the Tippecanoe County Treasurer are hereby authorized to distribute the funds from the County Share Innkeeper's Tax Fund to the Treasurer, to the General Fund, and to GLC as directed herein.

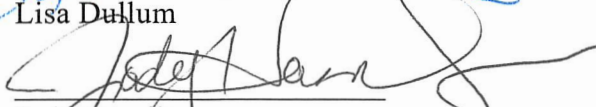
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tippecanoe County Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with GLC concerning the scope of the Project and the appropriate monitoring thereof.

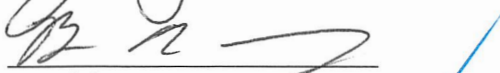
Adopted by the County Council of Tippecanoe County this 10th day of August, 2021.


Kevin Underwood, President



John R. Basham, II Vice-President


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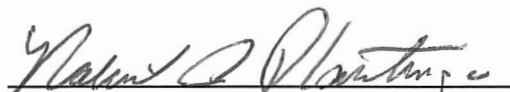

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Attest:


Robert Plantenga,
Tippecanoe County Auditor