
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION

CITY OF LAKE CITY

May 03, 2021 at 6:00 PM

Venue: Columbia County School Board Administrative Complex Auditorium

AGENDA

Due to the COVID-19 social distancing requirements, the City of Lake City will meet at the Columbia County School Board Administrative Complex Auditorium located at 372 West Duval Street, Lake City, FL 32055. The meeting will also be available via communications media technology.

CMT instructions are located at the end of this Agenda.

Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation - Mayor Stephen Witt

Ladies and Gentlemen;

The Lake City Council has opened its public meeting. Since 1968, the City Code has prohibited any person from making personal, impertinent, or slanderous remarks or becoming boisterous while addressing the City Council.

Yelling or making audible comments from the audience constitutes boisterous conduct. Such conduct will not be tolerated. There is only one approved manner of addressing the City Council. That is, to be recognized and then speak from the podium.

Roll Call

Proclamations

- [1.](#) Proclamation - Municipal Clerks Week (May 2 - 8, 2021)

Minutes - none

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Consent Agenda - none

Presentations - none

Persons Wishing to Address Council

Citizens are encouraged to participate in City of Lake City meetings. The City of Lake City encourages civility in public discourse and requests that speakers direct their comments to the Chair. Those attendees wishing to share a document and or comments in writing for inclusion into the public record must email the item to submissions@lcfla.com no later than noon on the day of the meeting. Citizens may also provide input to individual council members via office visits, phone calls, letters and e-mail that will become public record.

Old BusinessOrdinances**Open Public Hearing**

- [2.](#) City Council Ordinance No. 2020-2174 - (final reading) An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida amending Section 102-36 of the City Code to provide for the waiver of impact fees for the development and construction of affordable housing; providing for repeal of ordinances in conflict; providing for severability; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

Passed on first reading 4/19/2021

Close Hearing**Adopt City Council Ordinance No. 2020-2174 (final reading)****Open Public Hearing**

- [3.](#) City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2180 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida amending the City Code to add a new section number 86-110.16 to Article III, Chapter 86, which provides for the permanent closing of all of that portion of NW Ridge Street lying in block 122 of the northern division of the City; finding that the street was abandoned by the City; finding that the closing of the roadway will not adversely affect the public health, safety, or welfare; finding that it is in the best interest of the City and for the general welfare of its citizens to close the roadway; providing for the repeal of conflicting ordinances; providing for severability; providing for inclusion into the City code; and providing an effective date.

Passed on first reading 4/19/2021

Close Hearing**Adopt City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2180 (final reading)****Open Public Hearing**

- [4.](#) City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2186 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida, amending the official zoning atlas of the City of Lake City Land Development Regulations, as amended, relating to the rezoning of less than ten contiguous acres of land, pursuant to an application, Z 21-01, by the property owners of said acreage; providing for rezoning from Commercial General (CG) to Commercial, Intensive (CI) of certain lands within the corporate limits of the City of Lake City, Florida; providing severability; repealing all ordinances in conflict; and providing an effective date. (Camancho De Freitas/Cueller)

Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

Close Hearing

Adopt City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2186 (final reading)

Open Public Hearing

- [5.](#) City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2187 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida, amending the official zoning atlas of the City of Lake City Land Development Regulations, as amended; relating to the rezoning of less than ten contiguous acres of land, pursuant to an application, Z 21-02, by the property owners of said acreage; providing for rezoning from Residential, Single Family-3 (RSF-3) to Residential, Office (RO) of certain lands within the corporate limits of the City of Lake City, Florida; providing severability; repealing all ordinances in conflict; and providing an effective date. (Zecher Construction)

Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

Close Hearing

Adopt City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2187 (final reading)

Open Public Hearing

- [6.](#) City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2189 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, establishing a temporary moratorium for 180 days related to the issuance of new business tax receipts that are related to activities that include electronic simulated gaming promotions or electronic sweepstakes; excepting renewals of existing business tax receipts; providing for penalties; providing for severability; providing for conflicts; and providing an effective date. (Internet Cafe's)

Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

Close Hearing

Adopt City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2189 (final reading)**New Business**Resolutions

7. City Council Resolution No. 2021-064 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, amending Resolution 2021-014 to authorize a Five-Year Lease to Purchase Agreement with Leasing 2, Inc., to lease and purchase one Vac-Con vacuum truck at a maximum five-year lease price of \$437,682.95.
8. City Council Resolution No. 2021-065 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, ratifying the Mayors extension of the State of Emergency arising from the Covid-19 Public Health Emergency.
9. City Council Resolution No. 2021-067 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, authorizing the execution of the agreement titled "Airport Coronavirus Relief Grant Program (ACRGP) Grant Agreement" offered by the United States of America, through the Federal Aviation Administration; awarding a maximum amount of \$23,000.00 to the City; providing an expiration date for the grant; and providing an effective date.
10. City Council Resolution No. 2021-068 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida authorizing the acceptance of a county deed from Columbia County, Florida for the parcel of property known as Olustee Park and located within the municipal limits.
11. City Council Resolution No. 2021-069 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, authorizing the execution of a Memorandum of Understanding with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement for participation in the methamphetamine clandestine drug laboratory hazardous waste authorized central storage container program.

Departmental Administration - none**Comments by Council Members****Adjournment****Zoom CMT Information**

Place: Due to the COVID-19 social distancing requirements, the City of Lake City will also hold this meeting via communications media technology.

Members of the public may attend the meetings **online** at:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85143910809> or

Telephonic by toll number (no cost to the city), audio only at: 1-346-248-7799

Meeting ID: 851 4391 0809#

Then it will ask for Participant id, just press #.

Telephonic by toll-free number (cost per minute, billed to the city, zero cost to the caller), audio only at: 1-888-788-0099

Meeting ID: 851 4391 0809#

Then it will ask for Participant id, just press #.

Public Participation

The public may participate at the appropriate time via: (i) video conference by utilizing the software chat function or raise hand function to request to speak; or (2) telephonically by dialing *9 to raise hand. The Chair will allow for sufficient time for all participants to be heard.

Those attendees wishing to share a document must email the item to **submissions@lcfla.com** no later than noon on the day of the meeting.

Instructions for meeting attendance and participation are also available at www.lcfla.com under the calendar entry for the corresponding City Council Regular Session Meeting.

To receive a copy of the agenda packet with supporting documentation, please contact the City Clerk's Office at **clerk@lcfla.com** or **386-719-5826**.

Contingency Information

Contingency Plan Meeting: This will be activated and held if the City experiences connection or web conferencing failure. Any meeting taking place via the contingency plan will be held and/or reconvened via a conference call utilizing the information provided below.

The public may attend the contingency plan meeting as follows:

1-844-992-4726 (toll free)

Enter access code: 173 541 6832#

Then it will ask for attendee ID number, just press #

The public may participate in the contingency plan meeting at the appropriate time when the chair requests public comment. The Chair will allow for sufficient time for all participants to be heard.

Pursuant to 286.0105, Florida Statutes, *the City hereby advises the public if a person decides to appeal any decision made by the City with respect to any matter considered at its meetings or hearings, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the*

proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Pursuant to 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons needing special accommodations to participate in these meetings should contact the **City Manager's Office at (386) 719-5768.**

File Attachments for Item:

1. Proclamation - Municipal Clerks Week (May 2 - 8, 2021)

Proclamation



MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK

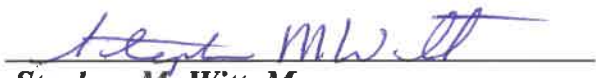
MAY 2ND – 8th 2021

- WHEREAS,** *the Office of the Municipal Clerk, a time honored and vital part of local government exists throughout the world; and*
- WHEREAS,** *the Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants; and*
- WHEREAS,** *the Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal services to all; and*
- WHEREAS,** *the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations; and*
- WHEREAS,** *it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of this Office of the Municipal Clerk.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stephen M. Witt, Mayor of the City of Lake City, Florida, do hereby recognize the week of May 2ND through 8th, 2021, as MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK and further extend appreciation to our Municipal Clerk, Audrey Sikes, and to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.



In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed this 3rd day of May 2021.


Stephen M. Witt, Mayor
City of Lake City

File Attachments for Item:

2. City Council Ordinance No. 2020-2174 - (final reading) An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida amending Section 102-36 of the City Code to provide for the waiver of impact fees for the development and construction of affordable housing; providing for repeal of ordinances in conflict; providing for severability; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

Passed on first reading 4/19/2021

CITY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 2020-2174

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA AMENDING SECTION 102-38 OF THE CITY CODE TO PROVIDE FOR THE WAIVER OF IMPACT FEES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the “City”), in compliance with section 166.0451, Florida Statutes, has identified real property within its jurisdiction owned by the City that is appropriate for use as affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to offer appropriate parcels of real property to the public with the restriction that the properties are developed for use as permanent affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, in order to promote the development and construction of permanent affordable housing within the City, the City Council finds that a waiver of impact fees otherwise charged by the City is necessary; and

WHEREAS, sections 166.04151(4) and 163.31801(9), Florida Statutes, give the City the ability to provide incentives to developers of affordable housing, including the ability to waive impact fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part of this ordinance.

Section 2. That Section 102-38 of the Code of the City of Lake City, Florida is hereby amended to read as follows (additions are underlined and deletions are ~~stricken~~):

Sec. 102-38 Exemptions; creation of impact fee trust fund.

(a) Notwithstanding the schedules of impact fees provided by section 102-36, such fees may be waived by duly adopted resolution of the city council in circumstances substantially satisfying the following criteria:

(1) The proposed connection is for an existing, in place utility system having more than 20 online customers, or customers whose aggregate use exceeds 20 ERUs; or

(2) The value of the facilities to be connected to the city system is equal to or exceeds the value of the applicable impact fee or fees which would otherwise be charged if this subsection were not applied; or

(3) The proposed connection is consistent with prevailing regional utility plans, as set out in the city utility master plans or the 201 facilities plan; or

(4) The proposed connection(s) is for affordable housing that complies with the following requirements:

(i) Such development shall consist of thirty (30) percent affordable housing units for families or individuals and only the individual dwelling units deemed as affordable housing shall have impact fees waived.

As a condition of full or partial impact fee waiver, the developer shall enter into a written agreement with the City, guaranteeing the affordable dwelling units within the development shall remain affordable for a period of ten (10) years upon the date of the Certificate of Occupancy issuance.

Example: 100 dwelling unit apartment complex with 30 percent of dwelling units deemed affordable housing, only 30 dwelling units shall have the impact fees waived.

(ii) If the project is providing affordable rental housing, then such development shall have secured its necessary low-income housing tax credits from Florida Housing Finance Corporation and shall submit proof of such to the city council in connection with the request for waiver; and

(iii) If the project is providing affordable home ownership, then, prior to the issuance of building permits, the applicant shall provide the city with a covenant and deed restrictions, in forms acceptable to the city attorney, which assure that such units remain

affordable for a period of at least ten (10) years and that the home owner(s) are responsible for submitting proof of such to the city manager, or a designee, on an annual basis, and the required covenants shall include enforcement and penalty language to address non-compliance.

(iv) As used in this section, *affordable housing*, shall have the same meaning as set forth in Florida Statute § 420.0004(3) or any successor statute and means the monthly rents or monthly mortgage payments including taxes, insurance and utilities do not exceed thirty (30) percent of that amount which represents the percentage of the median adjusted gross annual income for the households with extremely low, low, moderate or very low income as defined in subsections (9), (11), (12), and (17) respectively of Florida Statute § 420.0004 (2020).

(b) Procedure for Requesting Waiver. Any developer or owner of property qualifying for one of the exemptions set forth in Sec. 102-38(a), may apply in writing to the city for the waiver of the impact fees ordinarily required under Sec. 102-36. All applications for waiver shall set forth the circumstances supporting the request, together with such supporting information. The council may grant a waiver from the fees ordinarily required under Sec. 102-36, following a public hearing, upon finding that the requested waiver meets the criteria set forth in Sec. 102-38(a).

(c) In the event that, at any time during the next ten (10) years following the initial closing for a residential home or the issuance of the certificate of occupancy for a multiple family dwelling development, a residential home is sold or the development becomes unoccupied and then rented to a person who is not a qualified affordable housing candidate or if the home or dwelling unit becomes non-owner or renter-occupied, then a sum equivalent to the waived impact fees is, contemporaneously with the occurrence of such event, due to be paid over to the city by the property owner. The developer at closing or prior to the issuance of the certificate of occupancy shall place a notice approved by the city on the title and cause same to be recorded in the Columbia County property records clearly stating this restrictive covenant in favor of the city for the full amount of the reduction in fees granted. The restriction shall be in effect for ten (10) years from the date of

closing for a residential home or issuance of the certificate of occupancy for a multiple family dwelling development.

(d) There is hereby created in the city accounting system an account to be known as the impact trust fund, into which all impact fees imposed by section 102-36 shall be deposited. The impact fee trust fund, together with any interest earnings thereon, shall be kept separate and distinct from all other funds and shall be expended only for the purpose of making major emergency repairs, extending or oversizing, separating or constructing new additions to the water and sewer systems, or as otherwise provided for in this section.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or the particular application thereof shall be held invalid by any court, administrative agency or other body with appropriate jurisdiction, the remaining section(s), subsection(s), sentence(s), clause(s) or phrase(s) under application shall not be affected hereby.

Section 5. It is the intention of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of the City of Lake City, Florida and that the sections of this ordinance may be numbered appropriately in order to accomplish such intentions.

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Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED upon first reading this ____ day of _____ 2021.

NOTICE PUBLISHED on the _____ day of _____ 2021.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on the _____ day of _____ 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

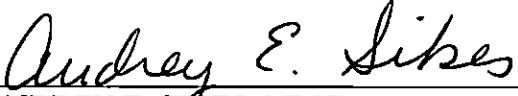
Record of Vote on First Reading

	For	Against	Absent	Abstain
Stephen Witt, Mayor/Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Chris Greene, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____

Please note: This record of vote is recording the votes on a motion to postpone.

Certification

I, Audrey Sikes, City Clerk for the City of Lake City, Florida, hereby certify that the above record vote is an accurate and correct record of the votes taken on the Ordinance by the City Council of the City of Lake City.



AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
City Clerk

Record of Vote

	For	Against	Absent	Abstain
Stephen Witt, Mayor/Council Member	✓	_____	_____	_____
Chris Greene, Council Member	✓	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	✓	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	✓	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	✓	_____	_____	_____

Please note: At the December 21, 2020 City Council meeting Mr. Greene made a motion to refer City Council Ordinance # 2020-2174 to the Utility Advisory Committee for review and recommendation. Mr. Sampson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed.

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Audrey E. Sikes

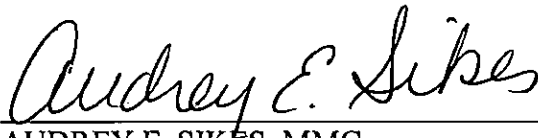
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Chris Greene, Council Member	_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____

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AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
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File Attachments for Item:

3. City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2180 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida amending the City Code to add a new section number 86-110.16 to Article III, Chapter 86, which provides for the permanent closing of all of that portion of NW Ridge Street lying in block 122 of the northern division of the City; finding that the street was abandoned by the City; finding that the closing of the roadway will not adversely affect the public health, safety, or welfare; finding that it is in the best interest of the City and for the general welfare of its citizens to close the roadway; providing for the repeal of conflicting ordinances; providing for severability; providing for inclusion into the City code; and providing an effective date.

Passed on first reading 4/19/2021

CITY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 2021-2180

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CITY CODE TO ADD A NEW SECTION NUMBER 86-110.16 TO ARTICLE III, CHAPTER 86, WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE PERMANENT CLOSING OF ALL OF THAT PORTION OF NW RIDGE STREET LYING IN BLOCK 122 OF THE NORTHERN DIVISION OF THE CITY; FINDING THAT THE STREET WAS ABANDONED BY THE CITY; FINDING THAT THE CLOSING OF THE ROADWAY WILL NOT ADVERSELY AFFECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE; FINDING THAT IT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY AND FOR THE GENERAL WELFARE OF ITS CITIZENS TO CLOSE THE ROADWAY; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION INTO THE CITY CODE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the "City") desires to close, vacate, and abandon all of that portion of NW Ridge Street lying in Block 122 of the Northern Division of the City (hereinafter the "Vacated Street") and further identified in the City's map attached hereto as "Exhibit A"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Vacated Street is not vital to the vehicular traffic in the downtown area of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is proper and in the interest and welfare of the City and its citizens to close the Vacated Street to vehicular traffic to improve the downtown area of the City; and

WHEREAS, notice has been given, prior to adoption, to all utility companies holding franchises from the City for review and comment with respect to the permanent closing of the Vacated Street.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Code of the City of Lake City is hereby amended by adding a section to Chapter 86, Article III, to be numbered Section 86-110.16 which section reads as follows:

Section 86-110.16 All of that portion of NW Ridge Street lying in Block 122 of the Northern Division of the City of Lake City, Florida, the entirety of which lies to the South of Parcel 00 00 00 12160 000 as identified by the Columbia County Property Appraiser.

Section 2. The City finds the Vacated Street to be surplus to its needs and that it is in the public interest to close and vacate the street.

Section 3. The City shall convey by Quit Claim Deed to each abutting record title owner that portion of the Vacated Street to its centerline.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or the particular application thereof shall be held invalid by any court, administrative agency or other body with appropriate jurisdiction, the remaining section(s), subsection(s), sentences(s), clause(s) or phrases(s) under application shall not be affected hereby.

Section 6. It is the intention of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of the City of Lake City, Florida, and that the sections of this ordinance may be numbered appropriately in order to accomplish such intentions.

Section 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED upon first reading this ____ day of April 2021.

NOTICE PUBLISHED on the _____ day of _____, 2021.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on second and final reading this _____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

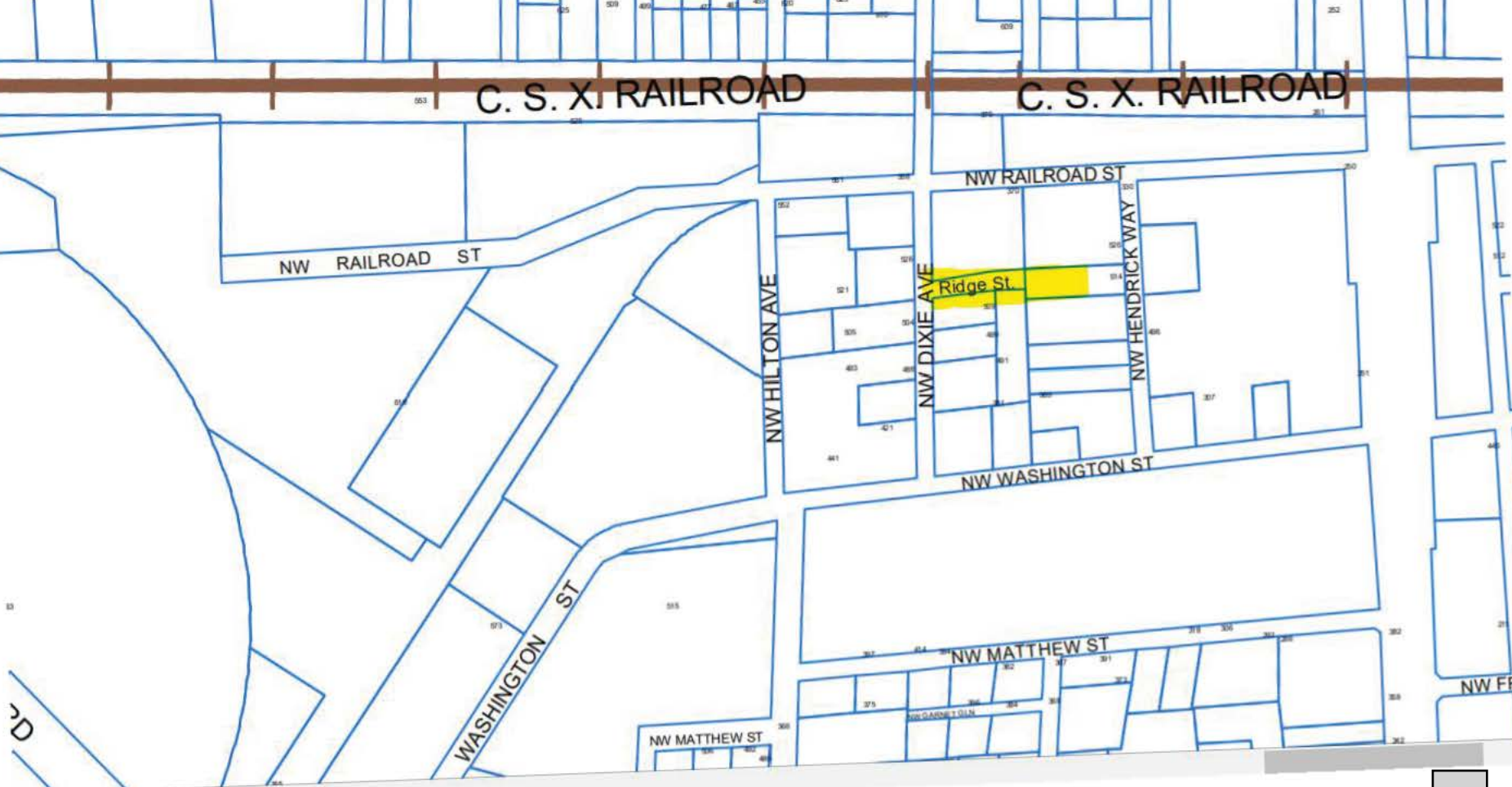
ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
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By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

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Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

EXHIBIT A



C. S. X. RAILROAD

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NW RAILROAD ST

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NW HILTON AVE

NW DIXIE AVE

Ridge St

NW HENDRICK WAY

NW WASHINGTON ST

WASHINGTON ST

NW MATTHEW ST

NW MATTHEW ST

Record of Vote on First Reading

	For	Against	Absent	Abstain
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Chris Greene, Council Member	_____/_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	_____/_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	_____/_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	_____/_____ ✓	_____	_____	_____

Certification

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AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
City Clerk

File Attachments for Item:

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Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-2186

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING ATLAS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, AS AMENDED; RELATING TO THE REZONING OF LESS THAN TEN CONTIGUOUS ACRES OF LAND, PURSUANT TO AN APPLICATION, Z 21-01, BY THE PROPERTY OWNERS OF SAID ACREAGE; PROVIDING FOR REZONING FROM COMMERCIAL, GENERAL (CG) TO COMMERCIAL, INTENSIVE (CI) OF CERTAIN LANDS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 166.021, Florida Statutes, as amended, empowers the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the City Council, to prepare, adopt and enforce land development regulations;

WHEREAS, Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended, the Community Planning Act, requires the City Council to prepare and adopt regulations concerning the use of land and water to implement the comprehensive plan;

WHEREAS, an application for an amendment, as described below, has been filed with the City;

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Board of City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the Planning and Zoning Board, has been designated as the Local Planning Agency of the City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the Local Planning Agency;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 163.3174, Florida Statutes, as amended, and the Land Development Regulations, the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, held the required public hearing, with public notice having been provided, on said application for an amendment, as described below, and at said public hearing, the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, reviewed and considered all comments received during said public hearing and the Concurrency Management Assessment concerning said application for an amendment, as described below, and recommended to the City Council approval of said application for an amendment, as described below;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 166.041, Florida Statutes, as amended, the City Council held the required public hearing, with public notice having been provided, on said application for an amendment, as described below, and at said public hearing, the City Council reviewed and considered all comments received during said public hearing, including the recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, and the Concurrency Management Assessment concerning said application for an amendment, as described below; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined and found that approval of said application for an amendment, as described below, would promote the public health, safety, morals, order, comfort, convenience, appearance, prosperity or general welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to an application, Z 21-01, by Herman Camacho Cuellar, Kalinka Camacho De Freitas and Gabriela Camacho De Freitas, to amend the Official Zoning Atlas of the Land Development Regulations by changing the zoning district of certain lands, the zoning district is hereby changed from COMMERCIAL, GENERAL (CG) to COMMERCIAL, INTENSIVE (CI) on property described, as follows:

Parcel No. 02-4S-16-02714-013

A parcel of land lying within Section 2, Township 4 South, Range 16 East, Columbia County, Florida. Being more particularly described, as follows: Block 10 of the Interstate Commerce Center, as recorded in the Public Records of Columbia County, Florida.

Containing 3.63 acres, more or less.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision or portion of this ordinance is declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be void, unconstitutional or unenforceable, then all remaining provisions and portions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Conflict. All ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

Section 5. Authority. This ordinance is adopted pursuant to the authority granted by Section 166.021, Florida Statutes, as amended, and Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended.

PASSED upon first reading this 5th day of April 2021.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED, upon second and final reading, in regular session with a quorum present and voting, by the City Council this 3rd day of May 2021.

Attest:

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

Audrey Sikes, City Clerk

Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

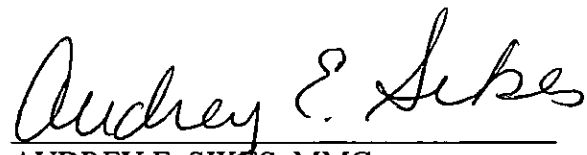
Frederick L. Koberlein Jr., City Attorney

Record of Vote on First Reading

	For	Against	Absent	Abstain
Stephen Witt, Mayor/Council Member	✓ _____	_____	_____	_____
Chris Greene, Council Member	✓ _____	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	✓ _____	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	✓ _____	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	✓ _____	_____	_____	_____

Certification

I, Audrey Sikes, City Clerk for the City of Lake City, Florida, hereby certify that the above record vote is an accurate and correct record of the votes taken on the Ordinance by the City Council of the City of Lake City.



AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
City Clerk

File Attachments for Item:

5. City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2187 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City of Lake City, Florida, amending the official zoning atlas of the City of Lake City Land Development Regulations, as amended; relating to the rezoning of less than ten contiguous acres of land, pursuant to an application, Z 21-02, by the property owners of said acreage; providing for rezoning from Residential, Single Family-3 (RSF-3) to Residential, Office (RO) of certain lands within the corporate limits of the City of Lake City, Florida; providing severability; repealing all ordinances in conflict; and providing an effective date. (Zecher Construction)

Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-2187

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING ATLAS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, AS AMENDED; RELATING TO THE REZONING OF LESS THAN TEN CONTIGUOUS ACRES OF LAND, PURSUANT TO AN APPLICATION, Z 21-02, BY THE PROPERTY OWNER OF SAID ACREAGE; PROVIDING FOR REZONING FROM RESIDENTIAL, SINGLE FAMILY-3 (RSF-3) TO RESIDENTIAL, OFFICE (RO) OF CERTAIN LANDS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 166.021, Florida Statutes, as amended, empowers the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the City Council, to prepare, adopt and enforce land development regulations;

WHEREAS, Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended, the Community Planning Act, requires the City Council to prepare and adopt regulations concerning the use of land and water to implement the comprehensive plan;

WHEREAS, an application for an amendment, as described below, has been filed with the City;

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Board of City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the Planning and Zoning Board, has been designated as the Local Planning Agency of the City of Lake City, Florida, hereinafter referred to as the Local Planning Agency;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 163.3174, Florida Statutes, as amended, and the Land Development Regulations, the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, held the required public hearing, with public notice having been provided, on said application for an amendment, as described below, and at said public hearing, the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, reviewed and considered all comments received during said public hearing and the Concurrency Management Assessment concerning said application for an amendment, as described below, and recommended to the City Council approval of said application for an amendment, as described below;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 166.041, Florida Statutes, as amended, the City Council held the required public hearing, with public notice having been provided, on said application for an amendment, as described below, and at said public hearing, the City Council reviewed and considered all comments received during said public hearing, including the recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Board, serving also as the Local Planning Agency, and the Concurrency Management Assessment concerning said application for an amendment, as described below; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined and found that approval of said application for an amendment, as described below, would promote the public health, safety, morals, order, comfort, convenience, appearance, prosperity or general welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to an application, Z 21-02, by Bryan Zecher Construction Inc., to amend the Official Zoning Atlas of the Land Development Regulations by changing the zoning district of certain lands, the zoning district is hereby changed from RESIDENTIAL, SINGLE FAMILY-3 (RSF-3) to RESIDENTIAL, OFFICE (RO) on property described, as follows:

Parcel No. 00-00-00-12320-001

A parcel of land lying within Section 31 Township 3 South, Range 17 East, Columbia County, Florida. Being more particularly described, as follows: Commence at the Northwest corner of Block G of the Western Division of the City of Lake City, as recorded in the Public Records of Columbia County, Florida; thence South 105.00 feet, along the East right-of-way line of Northwest Hilton Avenue for the Point of Beginning; thence South 105.00 feet, along the East right-of-way line of said Northwest Hilton Avenue; thence East 80.00 feet, along the North right-of-way line of West Orange Street; thence North 105.00 feet; then West 80.00 feet to the East right-of-way line of said Northwest Hilton Avenue and the Point of Beginning.

Containing 0.19 acre, more or less.

Parcel No. 00-00-00-12321-000

A parcel of land lying within Section 31 Township 3 South, Range 17 East, Columbia County, Florida. Being more particularly described, as follows: Commence at the Northwest corner of Block G of the Western Division of the City of Lake City, as recorded in the Public Records of Columbia County, Florida for the Point of Beginning; thence East 160.60 feet, along the South line of West Madison Street; thence South 105.00 feet; thence West 160.60 feet to the East right-of-way line of Northwest Hilton Avenue; thence North 105.00 feet, along the East right-of-way line of said Northwest Hilton Avenue to the Point of Beginning.

Containing 0.38 acre, more or less.

Total acreage 0.57 acre, more or less.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision or portion of this ordinance is declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be void, unconstitutional or unenforceable, then all remaining provisions and portions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Conflict. All ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

Section 5. Authority. This ordinance is adopted pursuant to the authority granted by Section 166.021, Florida Statutes, as amended, and Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended.

PASSED upon first reading this 5th day of April 2021.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED, upon second and final reading, in regular session with a quorum present and voting, by the City Council this 3rd day of May 2021.

Attest:

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CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

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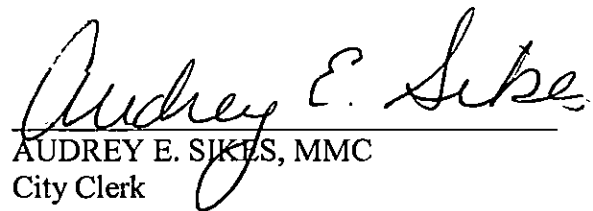
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Record of Vote on First Reading

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Stephen Witt, Mayor/Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Chris Greene, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
Todd Sampson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____

Certification

I, Audrey Sikes, City Clerk for the City of Lake City, Florida, hereby certify that the above record vote is an accurate and correct record of the votes taken on the Ordinance by the City Council of the City of Lake City.



AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
City Clerk

File Attachments for Item:

6. City Council Ordinance No. 2021-2189 - (final reading) - An ordinance of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, establishing a temporary moratorium for 180 days related to the issuance of new business tax receipts that are related to activities that include electronic simulated gaming promotions or electronic sweepstakes; excepting renewals of existing business tax receipts; providing for penalties; providing for severability; providing for conflicts; and providing an effective date. (Internet Cafe's)

Passed on first reading 4/5/2021

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-2189

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING A TEMPORARY MORATORIUM FOR 180 DAYS RELATED TO THE ISSUANCE OF NEW BUSINESS TAX RECEIPTS THAT ARE RELATED TO ACTIVITIES THAT INCLUDE ELECTRONIC SIMULATED GAMING PROMOTIONS OR ELECTRONIC SWEEPSTAKES; EXCEPTING RENEWALS OF EXISTING BUSINESS TAX RECEIPTS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the “City”) provides municipal services to its citizens, including the regulation and issuance of business tax receipts; and

WHEREAS, the appropriate regulation, licensing, and permitting of business tax receipts is vital to the public’s health, safety, morals and welfare as deficient or inadequate regulations can lead to public harm; and

WHEREAS, the City has learned of certain activities related to game rooms, arcades, internet cafes, sweepstakes redemption centers, establishments using slot machines or slot machine-like equipment, and similar indoor entertainment and amusement activities (hereinafter “Sweepstakes Promotions” or “Game Promotions”) within the City being proposed or considered, which activities would harm the City’s economic and redevelopment activities and otherwise significantly and adversely affect the public health, safety, morals and welfare, since said activities may include forms of gaming or gambling that are inconsistent with either state, federal, or local laws; and

WHEREAS, the City Councils finds it necessary to the public’s health, safety, morals and welfare to cause a study to be accomplished relative to the criteria for issuance of business tax receipts related to Sweepstakes Promotions, and to place a temporary moratorium on the issuance of business tax receipts related to Sweepstakes Promotions for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, finds that it is appropriate to impose a temporary moratorium on the issuance of new business tax receipts and permitting of Sweepstakes Promotions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

Section 2. Imposition of Moratorium. Beginning on the effective date of this ordinance, a moratorium is hereby imposed as follows:

- A. The Land Development Regulations and the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lake City, Florida, are hereby amended by placing a moratorium on the issuance of business tax receipts, development orders, building permits and zoning approval related to Sweepstakes Promotions as principal or accessory uses. For purposes herein, the term, "development order," shall have the same meaning as that set forth in F.S. § 163.3164.
- B. To protect the due process and other constitutional rights of applicants and the general public, applications received prior to the effective date of this ordinance and that have been processed to the extent of receiving zoning approval shall be tolled for the term of this moratorium and if this moratorium is lifted then the processing of the application shall resume at no additional costs to the applicant.
- C. The City Council may extend the temporary moratorium established in this ordinance one (1) time for a period not to exceed one hundred and eighty (180) days upon a finding by the City Council set forth in the ordinance that the problems giving rise to the need for the temporary moratorium established herein continue to exist and that reasonable progress is being made in carrying out a specific and prompt plan of corrective legislative action, but that additional time is reasonably needed to adequately address the issues facing the City.

Section 3. Penalties.

- a. Any person, firm, corporation, other business entity, or agent thereof who shall violate any provision of this ordinance or who fails to comply with any provisions herein, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree and subject to a maximum fine in an amount not exceeding five hundred dollars and zero cents (\$ 500.00) and a definite term of imprisonment not exceeding sixty (60) days. Either or both penalties may be imposed. Each day during which any violation occurs constitutes a separate offense.
- b. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the City from taking such other lawful action including, but not limited to, equitable legal action, as it deems necessary to prevent or remedy any violation of this ordinance.

Section 4. Severability. Should any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or other provision of this ordinance be held invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not be so construed as to render invalid or unconstitutional the remaining provisions of this ordinance.

Section 5. Conflict. All ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

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Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED upon first reading this ____ day of April 2021.

NOTICE PUBLISHED on the _____ day of _____ 2021.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on the _____ day of _____ 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

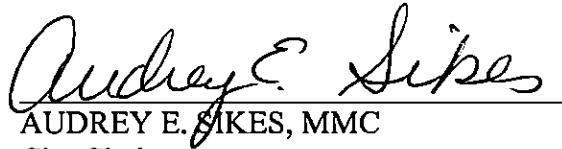
By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

Record of Vote on First Reading

	For	Against	Absent	Abstain
Stephen Witt, Mayor/Council Member	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Chris Greene, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Jake Hill, Jr., Council Member	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Eugene Jefferson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Todd Sampson, Council Member	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Certification

I, Audrey Sikes, City Clerk for the City of Lake City, Florida, hereby certify that the above record vote is an accurate and correct record of the votes taken on the Ordinance by the City Council of the City of Lake City.


AUDREY E. SIKES, MMC
City Clerk

File Attachments for Item:

7. City Council Resolution No. 2021-064 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, amending Resolution 2021-014 to authorize a Five-Year Lease to Purchase Agreement with Leasing 2, Inc., to lease and purchase one Vac-Con vacuum truck at a maximum five-year lease price of \$437,682.95.

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-064

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION 2021-014 TO AUTHORIZE A FIVE-YEAR LEASE TO PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH LEASING 2, INC., TO LEASE AND PURCHASE ONE VAC-CON VACUUM TRUCK AT A MAXIMUM FIVE-YEAR LEASE PRICE OF \$437,682.95.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the “City”) previously approved City Council Resolution 2021-014, thereby authorizing the purchase and lease of one Vac-Con Sewer Combination Cleaner Body truck (hereinafter “Vac-Con Truck”) for a total amount of \$402,610.00; and

WHEREAS, the city administration was provided only a sample draft of a *Lease-Purchase Agreement* by the vendor at the time the City Council approved City Council Resolution 2021-014; and

WHEREAS, Leasing 2, Inc., is the leasing agent and has provided the City with a *Lease-Purchase Agreement* (hereinafter “Agreement”), a copy of which is attached hereto, and the pricing found within the Agreement reflects the total of all payments made over a five-year period would total \$437,682.95, inclusive of principal and interest; and

WHEREAS, the city administration recommends to the City Council that the Agreement be approved; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the City’s best interest to accept the Agreement for the procurement of the aforementioned Vac-Con Truck pursuant to the terms, provisions, conditions, and requirements found in the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are

incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

Section 2. The City Council hereby authorizes the execution of the *Lease-Purchase Agreement* with Leasing 2, Inc.

Section 3. The City Manager and City Attorney are authorized to make such reasonable changes and modifications to the Agreement as may be deemed necessary to be in the best interest of the City and its citizens. Provided however, that any such changes or modifications shall not cause the payment to exceed the pricing referenced herein. The Mayor is authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Agreement in the name of, and on behalf of, the City with such changes, amendments, modifications, omissions, and additions made by the City Manager and City Attorney. Execution by the Mayor and Leasing 2, Inc., shall be deemed to be conclusive evidence of approval of such changes, amendments, modifications, omissions, and additions.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this ____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By:
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY:

By:
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By:
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

LEASE-PURCHASE AGREEMENT

LESSEE:
City of Lake City
205 N Marion Avenue
Lake City, FL 32055

LESSOR:
Leasing 2, Inc.
1720 West Cass Street
Tampa, FL 33606-1230

Dated as of May 5, 2021

This Lease-Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") dated as of **May 5, 2021** by and between **Leasing 2, Inc.** ("Lessor"), and **City of Lake City** ("Lessee"), a body corporate and politic duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of **Florida** ("State").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Lessor desires to lease the Equipment, as hereinafter defined, to Lessee, and Lessee desires to lease the Equipment from Lessor, subject to the terms and conditions of and for the purposes set forth in this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Lessee is authorized under the Constitution and laws of the State to enter into this Agreement for the purposes set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises hereinafter contained, the parties hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01. The following terms will have the meanings indicated below unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

"Agreement" means this Lease-Purchase Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto, as the same may be supplemented or amended from time to time in accordance with the terms hereof.

"Commencement Date" is the date when the term of this Agreement begins and Lessee's obligation to pay rent accrues, which shall be the commencement date shown on the Exhibit E Payment Schedule.

"Equipment" means the property described in Exhibit D and which is the subject of this Agreement.

"Lease Term" means the Original Term and all Renewal Terms provided for in this Agreement under Section 4.01.

"Lessee" means the entity which is described in the first paragraph of this Agreement and which is leasing the Equipment from Lessor under the provisions of this Agreement.

"Lessor" means (i) **Leasing 2, Inc.**, acting as Lessor hereunder; (ii) any surviving resulting or transferee corporation; and (iii) except where the context requires otherwise, any assignee(s) of Lessor.

"Original Term" means the period from the Commencement Date until the end of the fiscal year of Lessee in effect at the Commencement Date.

"Purchase Price" means the amount indicated with respect to any date after payment of all Rental Payments (defined below) due through such date, all as set forth in Exhibit E hereto, or Supplemental Exhibit E hereto, as the case may be.

"Renewal Terms" means the renewal terms of this Agreement as provided for in Article IV of this Agreement, each having a duration of one year and a term co-extensive with the Lessee's fiscal year, except the last of such automatic renewal terms which shall end on the due date of the last Rental Payment set forth in Exhibit E to this Agreement.

"Rental Payments" means the basic rental payments payable by Lessee pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement during the Lease Term, payable in consideration of the right of Lessee to use the Equipment during the then current portion of the Lease Term. Rental Payments shall be payable by Lessee to the Lessor or its assignee in the amounts and at the times during the Lease Term, as set forth in Exhibit E of this Agreement.

"Vendor" means the manufacturer of the Equipment as well as the agents or dealers of the manufacturer from whom Lessee has purchased or is purchasing the Equipment.

ARTICLE II COVENANTS OF LESSEE

Section 2.01 Lessee represents, covenants and warrants, for the benefit of Lessor and its assignees, as follows:

(a) Lessee is a public body, corporate and politic, duly organized and existing under the Constitution and laws of the State.

(b) Lessee will do or cause to be done all things necessary to preserve and keep in full force and effect its existence as a body, corporate and politic.

(c) Lessee is authorized under the Constitution and laws of the State to enter into this Agreement and the transaction contemplated hereby, and to perform all of its obligations hereunder.

(d) Lessee has been duly authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement under the terms and provisions of the resolution of its governing body, attached hereto as Exhibit A, or by other appropriate official approval, and further represents, covenants and warrants that all requirements have been met, and procedures have occurred in order to ensure the enforceability of this Agreement, and Lessee has complied with such public bidding requirements as may be applicable to this Agreement and the acquisition by Lessee of the Equipment hereunder. Lessee shall cause to be executed and delivered to Lessor an opinion of its counsel substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B.

(e) During the term of this Agreement, the Equipment will be used by Lessee only for the purpose of performing one or more essential governmental or proprietary functions of Lessee consistent with the permissible scope of Lessee's authority and will not be used in a trade or business of any person or entity other than the Lessee.

(f) During the period this Agreement is in force, Lessee will annually provide Lessor with such current financial statements, budgets, proof of appropriation for ensuing fiscal year or such other financial information relating to the decision of Lessee to continue this Agreement as may be reasonably requested by Lessor or its assignee.

(g) The Equipment will have a useful life in the hands of the Lessee that is substantially in excess of the Original Term and all Renewal Terms.

(h) The Equipment is, and during the period this Agreement is in force will remain, personal property and when subjected to use by the Lessee under this Agreement, will not be or become fixtures.

(i) Lessee shall not voluntarily or involuntarily create, incur, assume or suffer to exist any lien, security interest or other encumbrance or attachment of any kind whatsoever on, affecting or with respect to the Equipment.

(j) Lessee shall not give up possession or control of the Equipment.

(k) Lessee shall not change the location of the Equipment without giving prior written notice of the proposed new location to the Lessor and provided that Lessee shall obtain and deliver to Lessor any landlord waivers reasonably requested by Lessor so as to protect Lessor's right, title and interest in and to the Equipment and Lessor's ability to exercise its remedies with regard to the Equipment. The Equipment shall not be used outside of the United States without Lessor's prior written consent.

(l) Lessee shall not alter or modify the Equipment in any manner which would reduce the value or the marketability thereof.

(m) Lessee will take no action that will cause the interest portion of any Rental Payment to become includable in gross income of the recipient for purposes of federal income taxation under the Code, and Lessee will take, and will cause its officers, employees and agents to take, all affirmative action legally within its power to prevent such interest from being includable in gross income for purposes of federal income taxation under Section 103(a) of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended (the "Code"). Lessee represents and warrants that the Lease is to be treated as an obligation of a political subdivision of a state within the meaning of Section 103(c)(1) of the Code.

(n) Lessee is and shall remain in compliance with all laws, rules, regulations and orders applicable to Lessee, including U.S. economic and trade sanctions, and anti-corruption, anti-bribery, anti-money laundering and anti-terrorism laws.

ARTICLE III LEASE OF EQUIPMENT

Section 3.01 Lessor hereby demises, leases and lets to Lessee, and Lessee rents, leases and hires from Lessor, the Equipment, in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, to have and to hold for the Lease Term.

ARTICLE IV LEASE TERM

Section 4.01. Commencement of Lease Term. The Original Term of this Agreement shall commence on the Commencement Date and shall terminate on the last day of Lessee's fiscal year then in effect. Lessee may renew this Agreement beyond the expiration of the Original Term, or beyond the expiration of any Renewal Term then in effect, up to the number of additional fiscal years provided in Exhibit E of this Agreement by appropriating sufficient funds to make scheduled Rental Payments for the ensuing fiscal year (each a "Renewal Term"). Terms and conditions during any Renewal Term shall be the same as the terms and conditions during the Original Term, except that the Rental Payments shall be as provided in Exhibit E of this Agreement.

Section 4.02. Termination of Lease Term. The Lease Term will terminate upon the earliest of any of the following events:

(a) The expiration of the Original Term or any Renewal Term of this Agreement and the non-renewal of this Agreement in the event of non-appropriation of funds pursuant to Section 6.07;

(b) The exercise by Lessee of the option to purchase the Equipment before expiration of this Agreement granted under the provisions of Articles IX or XI of this Agreement;

(c) A default by Lessee and Lessor's election to terminate this Agreement under Article XIII; or

(d) Payment by Lessee of all Rental Payments authorized or required to be paid by Lessee hereunder through the full lease term.

Section 4.03. Return of Equipment on Termination. Upon expiration or earlier termination of the Original Term or any Renewal Term under any provision of this Agreement at a time when Lessee does not exercise its option to purchase the Equipment granted under the provisions of Articles IX or XI of this Agreement, Lessee hereby agrees to deliver the Equipment to Lessor packaged or otherwise prepared in a manner suitable for shipment by truck or rail common carrier to a location specified by Lessor. All expenses resulting from the return of Equipment on termination will be borne by Lessee.

ARTICLE V ENJOYMENT OF EQUIPMENT

Section 5.01. Provided that no default or event of default shall have occurred hereunder, Lessor hereby covenants that during the Lease Term Lessor will not interfere with Lessee's quiet use and enjoyment of the Equipment.

Lessor shall have the right at all reasonable times during business hours to enter into and upon the property of Lessee for the purpose of inspecting the Equipment.

ARTICLE VI RENTAL PAYMENTS

Section 6.01. Rental Payments to Constitute a Current Expense of Lessee. Lessor and Lessee understand and intend that the obligation of Lessee to pay Rental Payments hereunder shall constitute a current expense of Lessee and shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of Lessee in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitations or requirements concerning the creation of indebtedness by Lessee.

Section 6.02. Payment of Rental Payments. During the Original Term and during each Renewal Term elected by Lessee, Lessee shall pay Rental Payments, exclusively from any and all legally available funds, in lawful money of the United States of America, exclusively to Lessor or, in the event of assignment by Lessor, to its assignee, in the amounts and on the dates set forth in Exhibit E hereto. Rental Payments shall be in consideration for Lessee's use of the Equipment during the applicable year in which such payments are due. The Rental Payment amounts set forth in Exhibit E are based on the Equipment Cost to be paid by Lessor being the amount set forth in Exhibit E. Lessor shall have no obligation to pay or disburse any amount greater than the amount set forth as the Equipment Cost. Lessee shall not amend any purchase contract, purchase order, or any other agreement that would have the effect of increasing the cost of the Equipment above set forth in Exhibit E as the Equipment Cost without the prior written consent of Lessor. In the event that the actual cost of the Equipment is greater than the amount set forth in Exhibit E, Lessee shall be solely responsible for and hereby agrees to promptly pay such excess to the vendor (s), provided that Lessee may request that Lessor finance such excess, which Lessor may, in its sole discretion elect to do or decline to do. Lessee shall indemnify and hold Lessor harmless from and against any loss, damages, costs and expenses resulting from or relating to any increase in the Equipment Cost. If Lessor, in its sole discretion, elects to finance such excess the amount of each installment of rent will be increased to provide the same yield to Lessor as would have been obtained if the actual cost had been the same as the stated Equipment Cost. In such event, Lessee shall at the request of Lessor execute and deliver an amendment reflecting the increase in the Equipment Cost and the Rental Payments.

Section 6.03. Interest and Principal Components. A portion of each Rental Payment is paid as, and represents payment of, interest, and the balance of each Rental Payment is paid as, and represents payment of principal. Exhibit E hereto sets forth the interest component and the principal component of each Rental Payment during the Lease Term.

Section 6.04. Additional Interest in the Event the Interest is Taxable. Lessee acknowledges that Lessor's yield with respect to this Agreement is dependent upon the full amount of each Rental Payment being excluded from Lessor's income pursuant to the Code. Accordingly, if at any time, as a result of a determination that Lessee has breached a representation or covenant contained herein, or as a result of any change in the Code, any payment of either the interest component or the principal component of any Rental Payment is, in the opinion of counsel for the Lessor, subject to or affected by any income, preference, excess profits, minimum or other federal tax, Lessee shall pay, as additional interest, an amount which is necessary to provide to Lessor the same net income as Lessor would have received but for such event. Lessor's calculations of such additional interest shall be binding upon Lessee in the absence of manifest error.

Section 6.05. Rental Payments to be Unconditional. During the Original Term and during each Renewal Term elected by Lessee, the obligations of Lessee to make payment of the Rental Payments required under this Article VI and other sections hereof and to perform and observe the covenants and agreements contained herein shall be absolute and unconditional in all events, except as expressly provided under this Agreement. Notwithstanding any dispute between Lessee and Lessor, any Vendor or any other person, Lessee agrees to pay all Rental Payments when due and shall not withhold any Rental Payments pending final resolution of such dispute, nor shall Lessee assert any right of set-off or counterclaim against its obligation to make such payments when required under this Agreement. Lessee's obligation to make Rental Payments during the Original Term or the then current Renewal Term elected by Lessee shall not be abated through accident or unforeseen circumstances.

Section 6.06. Continuation of Lease Term by Lessee. Lessee intends, subject to the provisions of Section 6.07, to continue the Lease Term through the Original Term and all the Renewal Terms hereunder. Lessee reasonably believes that legally available funds in an amount sufficient to make all Rental Payments during the Original Term and each of the Renewal Terms can be obtained. The officer of Lessee responsible for budget preparation shall do all things lawfully within his/her power to obtain and maintain funds from which the Rental Payments may be made, including making provision for such payments to the extent necessary in each annual budget submitted and adopted in accordance with applicable provisions of State law, to have such portion of the budget approved, and to exhaust all available reviews and appeals in the event such portion of the budget is not approved. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the decision whether or not to budget and appropriate funds is within the discretion of Lessee's governing body.

Section 6.07. Termination by Nonappropriation. In the event Lessee does not appropriate sufficient funds for the payment of the Rental Payments scheduled to be paid in the next occurring Renewal Term, then Lessee may terminate this Agreement at the end of the then current Original Term or Renewal Term, and Lessee shall not be obligated to make payment of the Rental Payments provided for in this Agreement beyond the end of the then current Original or Renewal Term. Lessee agrees to deliver notice to Lessor of such termination at least 90 days prior to the end of the then current Original or Renewal Term.

Section 6.08. Late Charges. If any Rental Payment is not paid in full to Lessor within fifteen (15) days after the payment first became due and payable, Lessee shall immediately pay to Lessor an additional one time late charge equal to five (5%) percent or, if less the maximum rate permitted by law, of each such amount past due along with the Rental Payment. If any Rental Payment remains unpaid beyond 45 days after it first became due and payable, or if Lessor has elected to exercise any remedies following an event or default, interest shall accrue on past due amounts at the rate of 1% per month or the highest rate allowed by law, whichever is less. Partial payments by Lessee shall be applied first to the accrued interest component of past due Rental Payments and the balance to the remaining principal component of past due Rental Payments.

Section 6.09. Prepayment. Lessee shall have the right to prepay principal components of Rental Payments in whole on any date set forth in Exhibit E by paying the then applicable Purchase Price set forth in Exhibit E on such date.

ARTICLE VII TITLE TO EQUIPMENT

Section 7.01. Title to the Equipment. During the term of this Agreement, title to the Equipment and any and all additions, repairs, replacements or modifications shall vest in Lessee, subject to the rights of Lessor under this Agreement. In the event of default as set forth in Section 13.01 or nonappropriation as set forth in Section 6.07, Lessee agrees to surrender possession of the Equipment to Lessor. Lessee and Lessor intend for federal income tax purposes under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, that this Agreement constitutes a financing lease or an installment sale contract rather than a true lease.

ARTICLE VIII MAINTENANCE; MODIFICATION; TAXES; INSURANCE AND OTHER CHARGES

Section 8.01. Maintenance of Equipment by Lessee. Lessee agrees that at all times during the Lease Term Lessee will, at Lessee's own cost and expense, maintain, preserve and keep the Equipment in good repair, working order and condition, and that Lessee will from time to time make or cause to be made all necessary and proper repairs, replacements and renewals. Lessor shall have no responsibility in any of these matters, or for the making of improvements or additions to the Equipment.

Section 8.02. Taxes, Other Governmental Charges and Utility Charges. In the event that the use, possession or acquisition of the Equipment is found to be subject to taxation in any form (except for income taxes of Lessor), Lessee will pay during the Lease Term, as the same respectively come due, all taxes and governmental charges of any kind whatsoever that may at any time be lawfully assessed or levied against or with respect to the Equipment and any equipment or other property acquired by Lessee in substitution for, as a renewal or replacement of, or a modification, improvement or addition to the Equipment, as well as all gas, water, steam, electricity, heat, power, telephone, utility and other charges incurred in the operation, maintenance, use, occupancy and upkeep of the Equipment; provided that, with respect to any governmental charges that may lawfully be paid in installments over a period of years, Lessee shall be obligated to pay only such installments as have accrued during the time this Agreement is in effect.

Section 8.03. Provisions Regarding Insurance. At its own expense, Lessee shall cause casualty, public liability and property damage insurance to be carried and maintained, or shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of Lessor that adequate self-insurance is provided with respect to the Equipment, sufficient to protect the Full Insurable Value (as that term is hereinafter defined) of the Equipment, and to protect Lessor from liability in all events. All insurance proceeds from casualty losses shall be payable as hereinafter provided in this Agreement. Lessee shall furnish to Lessor certificates evidencing such coverage throughout the Lease Term. Alternatively, Lessee may insure the Equipment under a blanket insurance policy or policies which cover not only the Equipment but other properties. If Lessee insures similar properties by self-insurance and upon approval by Lessor, Lessee may insure the Equipment by means of an adequate insurance fund.

The term "Full Insurable Value" as used herein shall mean the full replacement value of the Equipment.

Any insurance policy pursuant to this Section 8.03 shall be so written or endorsed as to make losses, if any, payable to Lessee and Lessor as their respective interests may appear. The Net Proceeds (as defined in Section 9.01) of the insurance required in this Section 8.03 shall be applied as provided in Article IX hereof. Each insurance policy provided for in this Section 8.03 shall contain a provision to the effect that the insurance company shall not cancel the policy or modify it materially and adversely to the interest of Lessor without first giving written notice thereof to Lessor at least 30 days in advance of such cancellation.

Section 8.04. Advances. In the event Lessee shall fail to perform any of its obligations hereunder Lessor may (but shall be under no obligation to) take such action as may be necessary to cure such failure, including, without limitation, the advancement of money; and all amounts so advanced by Lessor shall become additional rent for the then current Original Term or Renewal Term, which amounts, together with interest thereon at the rate of 12% per annum, or if less the maximum rate permitted by law, Lessee agrees to pay.

ARTICLE IX DAMAGE, DESTRUCTION AND CONDEMNATION: USE OF NET PROCEEDS

Section 9.01. Damage, Destruction and Condemnation. If prior to the termination of the Lease Term (a) the Equipment or any portion thereof is destroyed (in whole or in part) or is damaged by fire or other casualty or (b) title to, or the temporary use of the Equipment or any part thereof or the estate of Lessee or Lessor in the Equipment or any part thereof shall be taken under the exercise of the power eminent domain by any governmental body or by any person, firm or corporation acting under governmental authority, Lessee and Lessor will cause the Net Proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award to be applied to the prompt replacement, repair, restoration, modification or improvement of the Equipment. Any balance of the Net Proceeds remaining after such work has been completed shall be paid to Lessee.

For purposes of Section 8.03 and this Article IX, the term "Net Proceeds" shall mean the amount remaining from the gross proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award after deducting all expenses (including attorney's fees) incurred in the collection of such claims or award.

Section 9.02. Insufficiency of Net Proceeds. If the Net Proceeds are insufficient to pay in full the cost of any repair, restoration, modification or improvement referred to in Section 9.01 hereof, Lessee shall either (a) complete the work and pay any cost in excess of the amount of Net Proceeds, and Lessee agrees that if by reason of any such insufficiency of the Net Proceeds, Lessee shall make any payments pursuant to the provisions of this Section 9.02, Lessee shall not be entitled to any reimbursement therefore from Lessor nor shall Lessee be entitled to any diminution of the amounts payable under Article VI hereof or (b) if Lessee is not in default hereunder, Lessee shall pay to Lessor the amount of the then applicable Purchase Price, and, upon such payment, the Lease Term shall terminate and Lessor's interest in the Equipment shall terminate as provided in Article XI of this Agreement. The amount of the Net Proceeds in excess of the then applicable Purchase Price, if any, may be retained by Lessee.

ARTICLE X DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES; VENDOR'S WARRANTIES; USE OF EQUIPMENT

Section 10.01. Disclaimer of Warranties. LESSOR MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE VALUE, DESIGN, CONDITION, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR FITNESS FOR USE OF THE EQUIPMENT, OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT THERETO. In no event shall Lessor be liable for any incidental, indirect, special or consequential damage in connection with or arising out of this Agreement or the existence, furnishing, functioning or Lessee's use of any item of Equipment.

Section 10.02. Vendor's Warranties. Lessor hereby irrevocably appoints Lessee its agent and attorney-in-fact during the Lease Term, so long as Lessee shall not be in default hereunder, to assert from time to time whatever claims and rights, including warranties of the Equipment, if any which Lessor may have against the Vendor of the Equipment. Lessee's sole remedy for the breach of such warranty, indemnification or representation shall be against the Vendor of the Equipment, and not against the Lessor, nor shall such matter have any effect whatsoever on the rights of Lessor with respect to this Agreement, including the right to receive full and timely payments hereunder. Lessee expressly acknowledges that Lessor makes, and has made, no representation or warranties whatsoever as to the existence or availability of such warranties of the Vendor of the Equipment.

Section 10.03. Use of the Equipment. Lessee will not install, use, operate or maintain the Equipment improperly, carelessly, in violation of any applicable law or in a manner contrary to that contemplated by this Agreement. Lessee shall provide all permits and licenses, if any, necessary for the installation and operation of the Equipment. In addition, Lessee agrees to comply in all respects (including, without limitation, with respect to the use, maintenance and operation of each item of the Equipment) with all laws of the jurisdictions in which its operations involving any item of Equipment may extend and any legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the items of the Equipment; provided, however, that Lessee may contest in good faith the validity or application of any such law or rule in any reasonable manner which does not, in the reasonable opinion of the Lessor, adversely affect the estate of Lessor in and to any of the items of the Equipment or its interest or rights under this Agreement.

ARTICLE XI OPTION TO PURCHASE

Section 11.01. At the request of Lessee, Lessor's interest in the Equipment and additional Rental Payments will be terminated and this Agreement shall terminate:

- At the end of the final Renewal Term, upon payment by Lessee of all Rental Payments scheduled as set forth in Exhibit E to this Agreement; or
- if the Lease Term is terminated pursuant to Article IX of this Agreement, in the event of total damage, destruction or condemnation of the Equipment; or
- any time when Lessee is not on such date in default under this Agreement, upon payment by Lessee of the then applicable Purchase Price to Lessor.

Upon the occurrence of any of such events, Lessor shall, if requested by Lessee, deliver a Bill of Sale of its remaining interest in the Equipment to Lessee "AS IS - WHERE IS" without additional cost or payment by Lessee.

ARTICLE XII ASSIGNMENT, SUBLEASING, INDEMNIFICATION MORTGAGING AND SELLING

Section 12.01. Assignment by Lessor. This Agreement, and the rights of Lessor hereunder, may be assigned and reassigned in whole or in part to one or more assignees and subassignees by Lessor at any time subsequent to its execution, without the necessity of obtaining the consent of Lessee; provided, however, that no such assignment or reassignment shall be effective unless and until (i) Lessee shall have received notice of the assignment or reassignment disclosing the name and address of the assignee or subassignee, and (ii) in the event that such assignment is made to a bank or trust company as trustee for holders of certificates representing interests in this Agreement, such bank or trust company agrees to maintain, or cause to be maintained, a book-entry system by which a record of names and addresses of such holders as of any particular time is kept and agrees, upon request of the Lessee, to furnish such information to Lessee. Upon receipt of notice of assignment, Lessee agrees to keep a written record thereof, and to make all payments to the assignee designated in the notice of assignment, notwithstanding any claim, defense, setoff or counterclaim whatsoever (whether arising from a breach of this Agreement or otherwise) that Lessee may from time to time have against Lessor, or the assignee. Lessee agrees to execute all documents which may be reasonably requested by Lessor or its assignee to protect their interests in this Agreement.

Section 12.02. No Sale, Assignment or Subleasing by Lessee. This Agreement and the interest of Lessee in the Equipment may not be sold, assigned or encumbered by Lessee without the prior written consent of Lessor.

Section 12.03. Lessee Negligence. To the extent permitted by the laws and Constitution of the State, Lessee shall protect and hold harmless Lessor from and against any and all liability, obligations, losses, claims and damages whatsoever, regardless of cause thereof, and expenses in connection therewith, including, without limitation, counsel fees and expenses, penalties and interest arising out of or as the result of the entering into this Agreement, the ownership of any item of the Equipment, the ordering, acquisition, use, operation, condition, purchase, delivery, rejection, storage or return of any item of the Equipment or any accident in connection with the operation, use, condition, possession, storage or return of any item of the Equipment resulting in damage to property or injury to or death of any person, to the extent that such liability, obligation, loss, claim or damage arises out of or is proximately caused by the negligent conduct of Lessee, its officers, employees or agents. The obligation of Lessee arising under this paragraph shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of all other obligations under this Agreement or the termination of the Lease Term for any reason.

ARTICLE XIII EVENTS OF DEFAULT AND REMEDIES

Section 13.01. Events of Default Defined. The following shall be "events of default" under this Agreement and the terms "event of default" and "default" shall mean, whenever they are used in this Agreement, any one or more of the following events:

- Failure by Lessee to pay any Rental Payment or other payment required to be paid hereunder at the time specified herein; and
- Failure by Lessee to observe and perform any covenant, condition or agreement on its part to be observed or performed, other than as referred to in Section 13.01 (a), for a period of 30 days after written notice, specifying such failure and requesting that it be remedied as given to Lessee by Lessor, unless Lessor shall agree in writing to an extension of such time prior to the expiration, provided, however, if the failure stated in the notice cannot be corrected within the applicable period, Lessor will not unreasonably withhold its consent to an extension of such time if corrective action is instituted by Lessee within the applicable period and diligently pursued until the default is corrected.
- The filing by Lessee of a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, or failure by Lessee promptly to lift any execution, garnishment, or attachment of such consequence as would impair the ability of Lessee to carry on its governmental function or adjudication of Lessee as a bankrupt or assignment by Lessee for the benefit of creditors, or the entry by Lessee into an agreement of composition with creditors, or the approval by a court of competent jurisdiction of a petition applicable to Lessee in any proceedings instituted under the provisions of the Federal Bankruptcy Statute, as amended, or under any similar acts which may hereafter be enacted.

The foregoing provisions of this Section 13.01 are subject to (i) the provisions of Section 6.07 hereof with respect to nonappropriation; and (ii) if by reason of force majeure Lessee is unable in whole or in part to carry out its agreement on its part herein contained, other than the obligations on the part of Lessee contained in Article VI hereof, Lessee shall not be deemed in default during the continuance of such inability. The term "force majeure" as used herein shall mean, without limitation, the following: acts of God; strikes, lockouts or other employee relations disturbances; acts of public enemies; orders or restraints of any kind of the government of the United States of America or the state wherein Lessee is located or any of their departments, agencies or officials, or any civil or military authority, insurrections; riots; landslides; earthquakes; fires; storms; droughts; floods; or explosions.

Section 13.02. Remedies on Default. Whenever any event of default referred to in Section 13.01 hereof shall have happened and be continuing, Lessee agrees to return the equipment to Lessor and Lessor shall have the right at its sole option without any further demand or notice, to take either one or both of the following remedial steps:

- Accept surrender from Lessee of the equipment for sale or release by Lessor in a commercially reasonable manner. All proceeds of such sale or re-letting shall inure to Lessor, provided, however, if such proceeds after deduction of Lessor's reasonable costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees, incurred to recover possession, restore or clean-up and sell or release the equipment, exceed an amount equal to the sum of the past due but unpaid Rental Payments and an amount equal to the then applicable purchase price, Lessor shall remit the amount of such excess to Lessee; or
- Institute an action in a court of competent jurisdiction to recover Lessor's compensatory damages resulting from Lessee's default.

Lessor agrees that it shall not have a right to seek any remedy of specific performance nor shall Lessor have any "self-help" right to take possession of the equipment absent Lessee's voluntary surrender thereof.

Section 13.03. No Remedy Exclusive. No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to Lessor is intended to be exclusive and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy give under this Agreement or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default

shall impair any such right or power or shall be construed to be a waiver hereof, but any such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient.

ARTICLE XIV MISCELLANEOUS

Section 14.01. Notices. All notices, certificates or other communications hereunder shall be sufficiently given and shall be deemed given when delivered or mailed by registered mail, postage prepaid, to the parties at their respective places of business.

Section 14.02. Binding Effect. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon Lessor and Lessee and their respective successors and assigns.

Section 14.03. Severability. In the event any provision of this Agreement shall be held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision hereof.

Section 14.04. Amendments. The terms of the Agreement shall not be waived, altered, modified, supplemented or amended in any manner whatsoever except by written instrument signed by the Lessor and the Lessee.

Section 14.05. Execution in Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

Section 14.06. Delayed Closing. In the event of a delayed closing, Lessor shall receive as additional compensation any amount that accrues between the Commencement Date and the Closing Date.

Section 14.07. Applicable Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

Section 14.08. Captions. The captions or headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and do not define, limit or describe the scope or intent of any provisions of sections of this Agreement.

Section 14.09. Entire Agreement. This Agreement and the executed Exhibits attached hereto constitute the entire agreement between Lessor and Lessee. No waiver, consent, modification or change of terms of this Agreement shall bind either party unless in writing signed by both parties, and then such waiver, consent, modification or change shall be effective only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose given. There are no understandings, agreements, representations or warranties, express or implied, not specified herein, regarding this Agreement or the equipment leased hereunder.

Section 14.10. Execution of Facsimile. In the interest of time, each party agrees that execution of signature pages of this Agreement by such party followed by transmission of such pages by facsimile/Telecopier will be legally binding upon such party. After each party has executed and transmitted such signature pages, each party agrees to execute hard copies of this Agreement and to promptly forward originals to the other party hereto.

Section 14.11. Correction of Documents. Lessee agrees to execute and deliver, or provide, as required by Lessor, any documents and information, from time to time, that may be necessary for the purpose of correcting any errors or omissions in this Lease or to reflect the true intent of Lessor in this transaction. All such documents and information must be satisfactory to Lessor.

Section 14.12 WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. Lessee and Lessor hereby irrevocably waive any right to a jury trial with respect to any matter arising under or in connection with this Lease and agree that any dispute shall be determined by a court sitting without a jury.

Section 14.13. Performance Bonds. If requested by Lessor to facilitate payments to vendors in advance of delivery and acceptance, Lessee agrees to require the Equipment manufacturer, and all other contractors and/or subcontractors (collectively, "Contractors") with whom Lessee has contracted for the acquisition of the Equipment, to provide performance bond satisfactory to Lessor conditioned upon the construction of the Equipment as expeditiously as reasonably possible from the date of execution of such Lease and also conditioned upon delivery of possession of the Equipment to the Lessee free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, except the security interest granted to Lessor under the Lease-Purchase Agreement. Each such bond shall be in a form and with a surety acceptable to Lessor and shall name Lessor as a dual obligee. The Lessee shall proceed promptly to pursue diligently any remedies available against a Contractor that is in default under any agreement relating to the acquisition and construction of the Equipment and/or against each surety on any bond securing the performance of such Contractor's obligations with respect to the acquisition and construction of the Equipment. The Lessee and Lessor shall cause the net proceeds recovered by way of the foregoing to be applied, at Lessor's option, to (i) the completion of the Equipment, or (ii) the payment of all rent payments then due plus the then applicable Termination Balance. Any balance of net proceeds remaining after completion of Equipment construction or payment of the outstanding balance owed under the applicable Lease shall be paid promptly to Lessee.

Section 14.14. Time is of the Essence. Lessor and Lessee agree that time is of the essence of all provisions of each Lease entered into under this Agreement.

Any terms and conditions of any purchase order or other document submitted by Lessee in connection with this Agreement which are in addition to or inconsistent with the terms and conditions of this Agreement will not be binding on Lessor and will not apply to this Agreement. Lessee by the signature below of its authorized representative acknowledges that it has read this Agreement, understands it, and agrees to be bound by its terms and conditions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor has executed this Agreement in its corporate name and by its duly authorized officer, and Lessee has caused this Agreement to be executed in its corporate name and by its duly authorized officer. All of the above occurred as of the date first written below; this Agreement shall be binding on Lessee beginning on the date it is accepted and executed by Lessor.

LESSOR: Leasing 2, Inc.

Execute:

By: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

LESSEE: City of Lake City

Execute:

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

EXHIBIT A

**RESOLUTION OF GOVERNING BODY
EXTRACT OF MINUTES**

LESSEE: City of Lake City

At a duly called meeting of the governing body of Lessee held on the _____ day of _____, 20_____, the following resolution was introduced and adopted.

WHEREAS, the governing body of Lessee has determined that a true and very real need exists for the acquisition of the Equipment described in the Lease-Purchase Agreement by and between Lessee and **Leasing 2, Inc.**; and has further determined that the Equipment will be used solely for essential governmental functions and not for private business use.

WHEREAS, Lessee has taken the necessary steps, including, without limitation to compliance with legal bidding requirements, under applicable law to arrange for the acquisition of such Equipment.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of Lessee that the terms of said Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement are in the best interest of Lessee for the acquisition of such Equipment, and the governing body of Lessee designates and confirms the following person to execute and deliver, the Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement and any related documents necessary to the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement.

(Signature of Party to Execute
Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement)

Stephen W. Witt, Mayor
(Print Name and Title)

The undersigned further certifies that the above resolution has not been repealed or amended and remains in full force and effect and further certifies that the above and foregoing Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement is the same as presented at said meeting of the governing body of Lessee.

Secretary/Clerk

Date

{LETTERHEAD OF LESSEE'S COUNSEL}

EXHIBIT B

OPINION OF LESSEE'S COUNSEL

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

DATE OF AGREEMENT: **May 5, 2021**

**Leasing 2, Inc.
1720 West Cass Street
Tampa, FL 33606-1230**

[Ladies and]Gentlemen:

As counsel for **City of Lake City** ("Lessee"), I have examined duly executed originals of the Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement, if applicable (the "Agreement"), between Lessee and Leasing 2, Inc. ("Lessor"), dated as of **May 5, 2021** and the proceedings taken by Lessee to authorize and execute the Agreement. Based upon such examination and upon such other examination as I have deemed necessary or appropriate, I am of the opinion that:

1. Lessee is a public body corporate and politic, legally existing under the laws of the State of **Florida**.
2. The Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by Lessee, pursuant to Constitutional, statutory and/or home rule provisions which authorize this transaction and Resolution No. _____, attached as Exhibit A to the Agreement.
3. The Agreement is a legal, valid and binding obligation of Lessee, enforceable in accordance with its terms. In the event the Lessor obtains a judgment against Lessee in money damages, as a result of an event of default under the Agreement, Lessee will be obligated to pay such judgment.
4. Applicable public bidding requirements have been complied with.
5. To the best of my knowledge, no litigation is pending or threatened in any court or other tribunal, state or federal, which questions or affects the validity of the Agreement.
6. The signature of the officer of Lessee which appears on the Agreement is true and genuine; I know said officer and know him/her to hold the office set forth below his/her names.
7. The Equipment leased pursuant to the Agreement constitutes personal property and when subjected to use by Lessee will not be or become fixtures under applicable law.
8. The leasing of the Equipment pursuant to the Agreement is exempt from all sales and use taxes against either the Lessor or the Lessee during the term of the Lease and the Equipment will be exempt from any state and local personal property or other ad valorem taxes during the term of the Lease.

This opinion may be relied upon by the addressee hereof and its successors and assignees of interests in the Lease, but only with regard to matters specifically set forth herein.

Sincerely,

EXHIBIT C

CERTIFICATE AS TO ARBITRAGE

I, **Stephen W. Witt**, hereby certify that I am duly qualified and acting **Mayor**, of **City of Lake City** (the "Lessee"), and that in my official capacity as such officer, I am responsible for executing and delivering, on behalf of the Lessee, the Lease-Purchase Agreement dated **May 5, 2021** (the "Agreement"), by and between Leasing 2, Inc. ("Lessor") and the Lessee. This Certificate is being issued pursuant to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and the Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder (the "Regulations"). The following facts, estimates and circumstances are in existence on the date of this Certificate or are reasonably expected to occur hereafter.

1. The Agreement provides for the acquisition and financing of certain equipment described therein (the "Equipment") Pursuant to the Agreement, the Lessor is required to lease the Equipment to the Lessee and the Lessee is required to make rental payments with respect thereto, comprising principal and interest, on the dates and in the amounts set forth therein (the "Rental Payments").

2. On the date hereof, Lessor will deposit into escrow to be held for the benefit of Lessee the amount of **\$402,610.00**, which, together with interest earned thereon until disbursed if necessary, will be used to pay the costs of the Equipment in the amount of **\$402,610.00**. In the event any interest income remains in escrow after payment of such Equipment cost, such amount shall be retained by Lessor as additional fee income.

3. The Lessee has entered into or will within six (6) months of the date hereof enter into contracts for the acquisition of the Equipment, which contracts will obligate the payment of all amounts held in escrow.

4. The Equipment will be acquired with due diligence and will be fully acquired on or before _____.

5. In any event, all of the spendable proceeds of the Agreement, including amounts held in escrow, will be expended on the Equipment within three (3) years from the date of execution of the Agreement. No proceeds of the Agreement will be used to reimburse the Lessee for expenditures made prior to the date of the issuance of the Agreement, unless Lessee shall have complied with the requirements of Section 1.150-2 of the Regulations. If applicable, a copy of Lessee's official intent with respect to such reimbursement is attached hereto as attachment 1.

6. The original proceeds of the Agreement, and the interest to be earned thereon, do not exceed the amount necessary for the governmental purpose for which the Agreement is issued.

7. The interest of the Lessee in the Equipment has not been, and is not expected during the term of the Agreement, to be sold or otherwise disposed of by the Lessee.

8. No sinking fund will be maintained by the Lessee with respect to the Rental Payments.

9. The Agreement is not a "hedge bond" within the meaning of Section 149(g) of the Code. The Lessee expects to spend not less than 85% of the spendable proceeds of the Agreement within three years after the date hereof and less than 50% of the proceeds of the Agreement is invested in Nonpurpose investments having a substantially guaranteed yield for four years or more.

10. In the Agreement the Lessee has covenanted to take all actions necessary to ensure that the interest paid under the Agreement remains excludable from gross income under the Code. Such covenant includes, without limitation, the requirement to comply with the requirements of the Code relating to the rebate of arbitrage profit to the United States Government.

11. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the expectations of the Lessee as set forth above, are reasonable; and there are no present facts, estimates and circumstances which would damage the foregoing expectations.

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

EXHIBIT D
DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT

The Equipment which is the subject of the attached Lease-Purchase Agreement is as follows:

Vac-Con Vacuum Truck with Freightliner Chassis, VIN: _____

together with all additions, accessions and replacements thereto.

Lessee hereby certifies that the description of the personal property set forth above constitutes an accurate description of the "Equipment", as defined in the attached Lease-Purchase Agreement.

LOCATION OF THE EQUIPMENT:

_____ 692 SW Saint Margaret Street

_____ Lake City, FL 32055

After Lessee signs this Agreement, Lessee authorizes Lessor to insert any missing information or change any inaccurate information (such as the model year of the Equipment or its serial number or VIN) into the Description of Equipment.

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

EXHIBIT E
PAYMENT SCHEDULE

LESSEE: City of Lake City
 LEASE AMOUNT: \$402,610.00
 COMMENCEMENT DATE: 5/5/2021
 INTEREST RATE: 2.85%

<u>PAYMENT</u>					<u>PURCHASE</u>
<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PAYMENT</u>	<u>INTEREST</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u>	<u>PRICE*</u>
1	5/5/2022	\$87,536.59	\$11,476.03	\$76,060.56	\$335,589.39
2	5/5/2023	\$87,536.59	\$9,307.99	\$78,228.60	\$254,325.48
3	5/5/2024	\$87,536.59	\$7,078.16	\$80,458.43	\$171,330.66
4	5/5/2025	\$87,536.59	\$4,784.76	\$82,751.83	\$86,568.05
5	5/5/2026	\$87,536.59	\$2,426.01	\$85,110.58	\$0.00
Grand Totals		\$437,682.95	\$35,072.95	\$402,610.00	

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
 Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
 Mayor

Date: _____

* After payment of Rental Payment due on such date.

EXHIBIT F

ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, as Lessee under the Lease-Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") dated **May 5, 2021**, with **Leasing 2, Inc.** ("Lessor"), hereby acknowledges:

1. _____ **Equipment delivered and accepted:** Lessee has received in good condition all of the Equipment described in the Agreement and in Exhibit D thereto and accepts the Equipment for all purposes this _____ day of _____, 20_____,

2. _____ **Equipment delivery has not yet taken place:** The Equipment described in the Agreement and in Exhibit D thereto, has not been delivered, but is scheduled to be delivered within 18 months. Lessor has agreed to deposit into an escrow account an amount sufficient to pay the total cost of the Equipment identified in Exhibit D of the Agreement. Exhibit E accurately reflects the Lease Amount. Lessee agrees to execute an Acceptance Certificate and Payment Request Form authorizing payment of the cost of the Equipment, or a portion thereof, for each withdrawal of funds from the Escrow Account. Lessee's obligation to commence Rental Payments as set forth in Exhibit E-Payment Schedule is absolute and unconditional as of the Commencement Date, subject to the terms and conditions of the Agreement. Lessee further acknowledges that the Agreement is not subject to the successful delivery of the Equipment, and that in the event of non-performance by the Vendor, Lessee will retain all responsibility for performance under the Agreement.

3. _____ **Vendor will be paid in full prior to delivery of equipment:** A 100% pre-funding will be made by Lessor to Vendor of the lease amount identified as "Equipment Cost" on the Exhibit E – Payment Schedule of the Agreement. Lessee agrees to indemnify and hold Lessor harmless from and against any and all claims, costs and expenses incurred (including Lessor's attorneys' fees). Lessee further acknowledges that the Agreement is not subject to the successful delivery of the Equipment, and that in the event of non-performance by the Vendor, Lessee will retain all responsibility for performance under the Agreement.

Lessee certifies that Lessee has fully and satisfactorily performed all of its covenants and obligations required under the Agreement, and confirms that the Agreement will commence as defined by "Commencement Date" in the attached Agreement, and it will commence payments in accordance with Article VI of the Agreement.

The undersigned officer of the Lessee hereby reaffirms on behalf of the Lessee in all respects the covenants of the Lessee set forth in Article II of the Agreement and represents that, to the best of his or her knowledge, information and belief, the expectations therein expressed were reasonable as of the Commencement Date, and that there were, and are as of the date on which they were made, and are reasonable as of the Commencement Date, no facts, estimates or circumstances other than those expressed therein that would materially affect the expectations expressed therein.

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

EXHIBIT G

ESSENTIAL USE/SOURCE OF FUNDS LETTER

TO: **Leasing 2, Inc.**

RE: Lease-Purchase Agreement Dated **May 5, 2021**.

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to certain Lease-Purchase Agreement dated **May 5, 2021**, between **Leasing 2, Inc.** and **City of Lake City**, leasing the personal property described in Exhibit D to such Agreement. This confirms and affirms that such Equipment is essential to the functions of the undersigned or to the service we provide to our citizens.

Further, we have an immediate need for, and expect to make immediate use of, substantially all the Equipment, which need is not temporary or expected to diminish in the foreseeable future. The Equipment will be used by us only for the purpose of performing one or more of our governmental or proprietary functions consistent with the permissible scope of our authority. **Specifically, the Equipment was selected by us to be used as follows:**

Please describe USE of equipment:

Sincerely,

Stephen W. Witt, Mayor

Date

EXHIBIT H

DESIGNATION OF BANK QUALIFICATION

In consideration of the mutual covenants of the Lessor and Lessee pursuant to the Lease-Purchase Agreement dated **May 5, 2021**, (the "Agreement") between **Leasing 2, Inc.** ("Lessor") and **City of Lake City** ("Lessee"), such Agreement is modified as follows:

Lessee certifies that it reasonably anticipates that it and all of its subordinate entities will not issue more than \$10,000,000 of "qualified tax-exempt obligations" (as that term is defined in Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 ("the Code") during the current calendar year .

Further, lessee hereby designates the Agreement as a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" in accordance with Section 265 (b)(3)(B) of the Code so that it is eligible for the exception contained in Section 265 (b)(3) of the Code and further certifies for the purpose of the overall limitation of Section 265 (b)(3)(D) of the Code that it and its subordinate entities have not as of this calendar year issued more than \$10,000,000 of obligations which it has designated for these purposes.

All terms contained herein not otherwise defined shall have the same meaning as such terms are used and defined in the Lease.

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

EXHIBIT I

NOTICE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ASSIGNMENT

Leasing 2, Inc. ("Lessor") hereby gives notice to the **City of Lake City** ("Lessee") that Lessor has assigned all rights to payments under the Lease-Purchase Agreement and Escrow Agreement dated as of **May 5, 2021**, between **Leasing 2, Inc.** ("Lessor") and **City of Lake City** ("Lessee"). **Leasing 2, Inc.** ("Lessor") hereby requests, gives notice and instructs **City of Lake City** ("Lessee") that payments that hereafter come due pursuant to the Lease-Purchase Agreement be paid to **Santander Bank, N.A.** or its Assignee.

Santander Bank, N.A.
P.O. Box 847387
Boston, MA 02284-7387

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIREMENT

TO: **Leasing 2, Inc. and/or its Assigns**
1720 West Cass Street
Tampa, FL 33606-1230

FROM: **City of Lake City**
205 N Marion Avenue
Lake City, FL 32055

RE: INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS (Check one):

_____ 1. In accordance with Section 8.03 of the Agreement, we have instructed the insurance agent named below (please fill in name, address and telephone number)

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY/ ST/ ZIP: _____
TELEPHONE: _____

to issue:

a. All Risk Physical Damage Insurance on the leased equipment evidenced by a Certificate of Insurance and Long Form Loss Payable Clause naming **Leasing 2, Inc. and/or its Assigns** as Loss Payee.

Coverage Required: Full Replacement Value

b. Public Liability Insurance evidenced by a Certificate of Insurance naming **Leasing 2, Inc. and/or its Assigns** as an Additional Insured.

Minimum Coverage Required:
\$500,000.00 per person
\$1,000,000.00 aggregate bodily injury liability
\$1,000,000.00 property damage liability

_____ 2. Pursuant to Section 8.03 of the Agreement, we are self-insured for all risk, physical damage, and public liability and will provide proof of such self-insurance in letterform together with a copy of the statute authorizing this form of insurance.

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

BILLING INFORMATION

Please indicate below how you would like us to bill you for the lease payments due under this Agreement, including a contact name, if applicable:

Contact Name: _____

Company: _____

Street Address or Box #: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

County: _____

Telephone: _____ () _____

Fax: _____ () _____

Email Address: _____

Invoice Reference: _____ Vac-Con Vacuum Truck with Freightliner Chassis _____

**CUSTOMER IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM
ORGANIZED ENTITY**

Notice: To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, U.S. Federal law requires financial institutions to obtain, verify and record information that identifies each person (individuals or businesses) who opens an account.

What this means for you: When you open an account or add any additional service, we will ask you for your name, address, federal employer identification number and other information that will allow us to identify you. We may also ask to see other identifying documents.

CUSTOMER NAME: **City of Lake City**

CUSTOMER IDENTIFICATION

Taxpayer ID Number: 59-6000352

Business Structure (check one): City Government: _____ County Government: _____ Tax District: _____ Corporation: _____

Other, description: _____

We may request certified copies of your organizational documents as part of the identification procedure.

PRIMARY ADDRESS AND REGISTRATION

Address: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

State of Registration/Organization: _____

MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above)

Address: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Acknowledgment: The information contained herein is true and correct.

City of Lake City

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Its: _____
Mayor

Internal Escrow Letter

May 5, 2021

Santander Bank, N.A.
P.O. Box 847387
Boston, MA 02284-7387

Re: Lease Purchase Agreement dated **May 5, 2021** (the "Lease") by and between: **City of Lake City** ("Lessee") and Leasing 2, Inc. ("Lessor"), concurrently assigned to Santander Bank, N.A. ("Assignee").

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have entered into the above referenced Lease for the purpose of financing a **Vac-Con Vacuum Truck with Freightliner Chassis** (the "Equipment") in the amount of **\$402,610.00** (the "Financed Amount"). Lessee hereby requests that Assignee retain **\$402,610.00** (the "Retained Amount"). Lessee further requests that Assignee hold the Retained Amount in an internal escrow pending Assignee's receipt of confirmation from Lessee that the Equipment has been delivered, inspected and accepted for all purposes by the Lessee and that payment can be remitted to the vendor of such Equipment. There will be no separate escrow fee charged Lessee for internally escrowing the Retained Amount.

Lessee understands and agrees that interest shall accrue on the entire Financed Amount as of the date hereof, and further understands and agrees that any interest earned on the Retained Amount shall be paid to Assignee in consideration of managing the internal escrow account.

Lessee acknowledges that Assignee may commingle the Retained Amount held by Assignee for the benefit of Lessee with other funds held by Assignee for its own account, so long as Assignee maintains segregation of such amounts on the books and records of Assignee.

Sincerely,

LESSEE: **City of Lake City**

By: _____
Stephen W. Witt

Title: _____
Mayor

Date: _____

File Attachments for Item:

8. City Council Resolution No. 2021-065 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, ratifying the Mayors extension of the State of Emergency arising from the Covid-19 Public Health Emergency.

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CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-065

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE MAYOR'S EXTENSION OF THE STATE OF EMERGENCY ARISING FROM THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission and presents with symptoms similar to those of influenza; and

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order number 20-51 directing the Florida Department of Health to issue a Public Health Emergency; and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-91 and Executive Order 20-92 directing all persons in Florida to limit their movements and personal interactions outside of their home only to those necessary to obtain or provide essential services or conduct essential activities; and

WHEREAS, on April 29, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-112 initiating "Phase 1: Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan for Florida's Recovery"; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-114 extending the statewide state of emergency until July 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2020, the Governor's Executive Order 20-139 initiated "Phase 2: Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan for Florida's Recovery" and extended the exceptions provided for in Executive Order 20-69, relating to local government meetings, until June 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on July 7, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-166 extending the statewide state of emergency, as well as those exceptions provided for in Executive Order 20-69, until September 5, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on July 29, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-179 amending order 20-69 creating statutory exceptions related to budget hearings and extending the statewide state of emergency until September 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on August 7, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-193 extending the statewide state of emergency, as well as those exceptions provided for in Executive Order 20-69, until October 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-213 extending the statewide state of emergency, as well as those exceptions provided for in Executive Order 20-52; and

WHEREAS, on September 30, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-246 extending the statewide state of emergency, as well as those exceptions provided for in Executive Order 20-69; and

WHEREAS, on November 3, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-276 extending the statewide state of emergency until January 2, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on December 29, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 20-316 extending the statewide state of emergency until February 27, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2021, the Governor issued Executive Order 21-45 extending the statewide state of emergency until April 27, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on April 27, 2021, the Governor issued Executive Order 21-94 extending the statewide state of emergency until 12:01 a.m. on June 26, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the CDC continues to recommend community preparedness and everyday prevention measures be taken by all individuals and families in the United States; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Council Resolution 2020-45 the Mayor is authorized to extend the City's state of emergency related to COVID-19, and the Mayor has issued his Proclamation extending the current state of emergency, a copies of which are attached hereto as "Exhibit A, and B"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, in order to protect the welfare and safety of the citizens of the City and their property, finds it necessary to ratify the Mayor's extension of the state of emergency proclaimed by the Mayor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

Section 2. The City Council ratifies and extends the state of emergency declared pursuant to the Mayor's Proclamations as well the provisions included in City Council Resolution 2020-033.

Section 3. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this ____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

Proclamation

STATE OF EMERGENCY EXTENSION COVID-19

- WHEREAS,** *COVID-19 continues to pose an imminent health hazard and an increased risk of infection to residents of the County and healthcare, first responders, and emergency medical service workers caring for patients with COVID-19; and*
- WHEREAS,** *COVID-19 is spread amongst the population by various means of exposure, including the propensity to spread person to person and the propensity to attach to surfaces for prolonged periods of time, thereby spreading from surface to person and causing increased infections to persons; and*
- WHEREAS,** *public health experts have consistently recommended avoiding close physical interaction between person in order to slow the spread of COVID-19, and the CDC has updated and further restricted its distancing guidelines; and*
- WHEREAS,** *on April 16, 2020, the White House and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") released Guidelines for Opening Up America Again, a three-phased approach based on the advice of public health experts; and*
- WHEREAS,** *data collected by the State Department of Health indicates a flattening of the curve of COVID-19 reported cases, including a downward trajectory of hospital visits for influenza like illnesses and COVID-19 like syndromic cases, a decrease in percent-positive test results, and an increase in hospital capacity since March 1, 2020; and*
- WHEREAS,** *City Council Resolution 2020-045 extended the state of emergency and vested the authority to extend the state of emergency in the Mayor; and*
- WHEREAS,** *this Proclamation is issued to extend the state of emergency for seven (7) days effective April 20, 2021.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stephen M. Witt, Mayor of the City of Lake City, Florida, do hereby extend the State of Emergency due to the COVID-19 health concerns for an additional seven (7) days effective April 20, 2021.



Seal of the City of Lake City
State of Florida

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed this 20th day of April 2021.

Stephen M. Witt
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor
City of Lake City

Proclamation

STATE OF EMERGENCY EXTENSION COVID-19

WHEREAS, *COVID-19 continues to pose an imminent health hazard and an increased risk of infection to residents of the County and healthcare, first responders, and emergency medical service workers caring for patients with COVID-19; and*

WHEREAS, *COVID-19 is spread amongst the population by various means of exposure, including the propensity to spread person to person and the propensity to attach to surfaces for prolonged periods of time, thereby spreading from surface to person and causing increased infections to persons; and*

WHEREAS, *public health experts have consistently recommended avoiding close physical interaction between person in order to slow the spread of COVID-19, and the CDC has updated and further restricted its distancing guidelines; and*

WHEREAS, *on April 16, 2020, the White House and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") released Guidelines for Opening Up America Again, a three-phased approach based on the advice of public health experts; and*

WHEREAS, *data collected by the State Department of Health indicates a flattening of the curve of COVID-19 reported cases, including a downward trajectory of hospital visits for influenza like illnesses and COVID-19 like syndromic cases, a decrease in percent-positive test results, and an increase in hospital capacity since March 1, 2020; and*

WHEREAS, *City Council Resolution 2020-045 extended the state of emergency and vested the authority to extend the state of emergency in the Mayor; and*

WHEREAS, *this Proclamation is issued to extend the state of emergency for seven (7) days effective April 27, 2021.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stephen M. Witt, Mayor of the City of Lake City, Florida, do hereby extend the State of Emergency due to the COVID-19 health concerns for an additional seven (7) days effective April 27, 2021.



In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed this 27th day of April 2021.

Stephen M. Witt
 Stephen M. Witt, Mayor
 City of Lake City

File Attachments for Item:

9. City Council Resolution No. 2021-067 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, authorizing the execution of the agreement titled "Airport Coronavirus Relief Grant Program (ACRGP) Grant Agreement" offered by the United States of America, through the Federal Aviation Administration; awarding a maximum amount of \$23,000.00 to the City; providing an expiration date for the grant; and providing an effective date.

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-067

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT TITLED “AIRPORT CORONAVIRUS RELIEF GRANT PROGRAM (ACRGP) GRANT AGREEMENT” OFFERED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THROUGH THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION; AWARDING A MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$23,000.00 TO THE CITY; PROVIDING AN EXPIRATION DATE FOR THE GRANT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the “City”) submitted to the Federal Aviation Administration (hereinafter the “FAA”) an Airports Coronavirus Response Grant Program (hereinafter the “ACRGP”) Application for a grant of federal funds for use at or associated with the Lake City Gateway Airport; and

WHEREAS, in consideration of the promises, representations and assurances provided by the City, the FAA has approved the ACRGP application for the Lake City Gateway Airport; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that accepting the terms and conditions of the ACRGP Grant Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto as “Exhibit A”, is in the best interests of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

Section 2. The city administration is hereby authorized to accept the grant award from the United States of America acting through the Federal Aviation Administration to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the Coronavirus associated

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with the Lake City Gateway Airport.

Section 3. The Mayor, or city administration, is authorized to execute any and all documentation relating to the ACRGP Grant Agreement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council on the ____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt,
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney



U.S. Department
of Transportation
Federal Aviation
Administration

AIRPORT CORONAVIRUS RELIEF GRANT PROGRAM (ACRGP)

GRANT AGREEMENT

Part I - Offer

Federal Award Offer Date April 15, 2021 _____

Airport/Planning Area Lake City Gateway Airport

ACRGP Grant Number 3-12-0039-026-2021

Unique Entity Identifier 020983110

TO: City of Lake City
(herein called the "Sponsor")

FROM: **The United States of America** (acting through the Federal Aviation Administration, herein called the "FAA")

WHEREAS, the Sponsor has submitted to the FAA an Airports Coronavirus Response Grant Program (herein called "ACRGP") Application dated February 19, 2021, for a grant of Federal funds at or associated with the Lake City Gateway Airport, which is included as part of this ACRGP Grant Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Sponsor has accepted the terms of FAA's ACRGP Grant offer;

WHEREAS, in consideration of the promises, representations and assurances provided by the Sponsor, the FAA has approved the ACRGP Application for the Lake City Gateway Airport, (herein called the "Grant" or "ACRGP Grant") consisting of the following:

This ACRGP Grant is provided in accordance with the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSA Act or "the Act"), Division M of Public Law 116-260, as described below, to provide eligible Sponsors with funding for costs related to operations, personnel, cleaning, sanitization, janitorial services, combating the spread of pathogens at the airport, and debt service payments. ACRGP Grant amounts to specific airports are derived by legislative formula (See Division M, Title IV of the Act).

The purpose of this ACRGP Grant is to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus. Funds provided under this ACRGP Grant Agreement must only be used for purposes directly related to the airport. Such purposes can include the reimbursement of an airport's operational and maintenance expenses or debt service payments in accordance with the limitations prescribed in the Act. ACRGP Grants may be used to reimburse airport operational and maintenance expenses directly related to Lake City Gateway incurred

no earlier than January 20, 2020. ACRGP Grants also may be used to reimburse a Sponsor's payment of debt service where such payments occur on or after December 27, 2020. Funds provided under this ACRGP Grant Agreement will be governed by the same principles that govern "airport revenue." New airport development projects not directly related to combating the spread of pathogens and approved by the FAA for such purposes, may not be funded with this Grant.

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the CRRSA Act, Public Law 116-260, the representations contained in the Grant Application, and in consideration of (a) the Sponsor's acceptance of this Offer; and, (b) the benefits to accrue to the United States and the public from the accomplishment of the Grant and in compliance with the conditions as herein provided,

THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES, HEREBY OFFERS AND AGREES to pay 100% percent of the allowable costs incurred as a result of and in accordance with this Grant Agreement.

Assistance Listings Number (Formerly CFDA Number): 20.106

This Offer is made on and **SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

CONDITIONS

1. **Maximum Obligation.** The maximum obligation of the United States payable under this Offer is \$23,000, allocated as follows:
 - \$23,000 Non Primary KU2021
2. **Grant Performance.** This ACRGP Grant Agreement is subject to the following federal award requirements:
 - a. The Period of Performance:
 1. Shall start on the date the Sponsor formally accepts this agreement, and is the date signed by the last Sponsor signatory to the agreement. The end date of the period of performance is 4 years (1,460 calendar days) from the date of acceptance. The period of performance end date shall not affect, relieve or reduce Sponsor obligations and assurances that extend beyond the closeout of this Grant Agreement.
 2. Means the total estimated time interval between the start of an initial Federal award and the planned end date, which may include one or more funded portions, or budget periods. (2 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 200.1)
 - b. The Budget Period:
 1. The budget period for this ACRGP Grant is 4 years (1,460 calendar days). Pursuant to 2 CFR § 200.403(h), the Sponsor may charge to the Grant only allowable costs incurred during the budget period.
 2. Means the time interval from the start date of a funded portion of an award to the end date of that funded portion during which the Sponsor is authorized to expend the funds awarded, including any funds carried forward or other revisions pursuant to §200.308.
 - c. Close out and Termination.
 1. Unless the FAA authorizes a written extension, the Sponsor must submit all Grant closeout documentation and liquidate (pay-off) all obligations incurred under this award no later than 120 calendar days after the end date of the period of performance. If the Sponsor

does not submit all required closeout documentation within this time period, the FAA will proceed to close out the grant within one year of the period of performance end date with the information available at the end of 120 days. (2 CFR § 200.344)

2. The FAA may terminate this ACRGP Grant, in whole or in part, in accordance with the conditions set forth in 2 CFR § 200.340, or other Federal regulatory or statutory authorities as applicable.
3. **Unallowable Costs.** The Sponsor shall not seek reimbursement for any costs that the FAA has determined to be unallowable under the CRRSA Act.
4. **Indirect Costs - Sponsor.** The Sponsor may charge indirect costs under this award by applying the indirect cost rate identified in the Grant Application as accepted by the FAA, to allowable costs for Sponsor direct salaries and wages only.
5. **Final Federal Share of Costs.** The United States' share of allowable Grant costs is 100%.
6. **Completing the Grant without Delay and in Conformance with Requirements.** The Sponsor must carry out and complete the Grant without undue delays and in accordance with this ACRGP Grant Agreement, the CRRSA Act, and the regulations, policies, standards, and procedures of the Secretary of Transportation ("Secretary"). Pursuant to 2 CFR § 200.308, the Sponsor agrees to report to the FAA any disengagement from funding eligible expenses under the Grant that exceeds three months or a 25 percent reduction in time devoted to the Grant, and request prior approval from FAA. The report must include a reason for the stoppage. The Sponsor agrees to comply with the attached assurances, which are part of this agreement and any addendum that may be attached hereto at a later date by mutual consent.
7. **Amendments or Withdrawals before Grant Acceptance.** The FAA reserves the right to amend or withdraw this offer at any time prior to its acceptance by the Sponsor.
8. **Offer Expiration Date.** This offer will expire and the United States will not be obligated to pay any part of the costs unless this offer has been accepted by the Sponsor on or before May 14, 2021, or such subsequent date as may be prescribed in writing by the FAA.
9. **Improper Use of Federal Funds.** The Sponsor must take all steps, including litigation if necessary, to recover Federal funds spent fraudulently, wastefully, or in violation of Federal antitrust statutes, or misused in any other manner, including uses that violate this ACRGP Grant Agreement, the CRRSA Act or other provision of applicable law. For the purposes of this ACRGP Grant Agreement, the term "Federal funds" means funds however used or dispersed by the Sponsor, that were originally paid pursuant to this or any other Federal grant agreement(s). The Sponsor must return the recovered Federal share, including funds recovered by settlement, order, or judgment, to the Secretary. The Sponsor must furnish to the Secretary, upon request, all documents and records pertaining to the determination of the amount of the Federal share or to any settlement, litigation, negotiation, or other efforts taken to recover such funds. All settlements or other final positions of the Sponsor, in court or otherwise, involving the recovery of such Federal share require advance approval by the Secretary.
10. **United States Not Liable for Damage or Injury.** The United States is not responsible or liable for damage to property or injury to persons which may arise from, or relate to this ACRGP Grant Agreement, including, but not limited to, any action taken by a Sponsor related to or arising from, directly or indirectly, this ACRGP Grant Agreement.

11. **System for Award Management (SAM) Registration and Unique Entity Identifier (UEI).**
- a. Requirement for System for Award Management (SAM): Unless the Sponsor is exempted from this requirement under 2 CFR 25.110, the Sponsor must maintain the currency of its information in the SAM until the Sponsor submits the final financial report required under this grant, or receives the final payment, whichever is later. This requires that the Sponsor review and update the information at least annually after the initial registration and more frequently if required by changes in information or another award term. Additional information about registration procedures may be found at the SAM website (currently at <http://www.sam.gov>).
 - b. Unique entity identifier (UEI) means a 12-character alpha-numeric value used to identify a specific commercial, nonprofit or governmental entity. A UEI may be obtained from SAM.gov at <https://sam.gov/SAM/pages/public/index.jsf>.
12. **Electronic Grant Payment(s).** Unless otherwise directed by the FAA, the Sponsor must make each payment request under this agreement electronically via the Delphi eInvoicing System for Department of Transportation (DOT) Financial Assistance Awardees.
13. **Air and Water Quality.** The Sponsor is required to comply with all applicable air and water quality standards for all projects in this grant. If the Sponsor fails to comply with this requirement, the FAA may suspend, cancel, or terminate this agreement.
14. **Financial Reporting and Payment Requirements.** The Sponsor will comply with all Federal financial reporting requirements and payment requirements, including submittal of timely and accurate reports.
15. **Buy American.** Unless otherwise approved in advance by the FAA, in accordance with 49 United States Code (U.S.C.) § 50101 the Sponsor will not acquire or permit any contractor or subcontractor to acquire any steel or manufactured goods produced outside the United States to be used for any project for which funds are provided under this grant. The Sponsor will include a provision implementing Buy American in every contract.
16. **Audits for Sponsors.**
- PUBLIC SPONSORS. The Sponsor must provide for a Single Audit or program-specific audit in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200. The Sponsor must submit the audit reporting package to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse on the Federal Audit Clearinghouse's Internet Data Entry System at <http://harvester.census.gov/facweb/>. Upon request of the FAA, the Sponsor shall provide one copy of the completed audit to the FAA.
17. **Suspension or Debarment.** When entering into a "covered transaction" as defined by 2 CFR § 180.200, the Sponsor must:
- a. Verify the non-Federal entity is eligible to participate in this Federal program by:
 1. Checking the excluded parties list system (EPLS) as maintained within the System for Award Management (SAM) to determine if the non-Federal entity is excluded or disqualified; or
 2. Collecting a certification statement from the non-Federal entity attesting the entity is not excluded or disqualified from participating; or
 3. Adding a clause or condition to covered transactions attesting the individual or firm is not excluded or disqualified from participating.

- b. Require prime contractors to comply with 2 CFR § 180.330 when entering into lower-tier transactions (e.g. sub-contracts).
- c. Immediately disclose to the FAA whenever the Sponsor (1) learns the Sponsor has entered into a covered transaction with an ineligible entity, or (2) suspends or debar a contractor, person, or entity.

18. Ban on Texting While Driving.

- a. In accordance with Executive Order 13513, Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving, October 1, 2009, and DOT Order 3902.10, Text Messaging While Driving, December 30, 2009, the Sponsor is encouraged to:
 - 1. Adopt and enforce workplace safety policies to decrease crashes caused by distracted drivers including policies to ban text messaging while driving when performing any work for, or on behalf of, the Federal government, including work relating to this ACRGP Grant or subgrant funded by this Grant.
 - 2. Conduct workplace safety initiatives in a manner commensurate with the size of the business, such as:
 - A. Establishment of new rules and programs or re-evaluation of existing programs to prohibit text messaging while driving; and
 - B. Education, awareness, and other outreach to employees about the safety risks associated with texting while driving.
- b. The Sponsor must insert the substance of this clause on banning texting while driving in all subgrants, contracts, and subcontracts funded by this ACRGP Grant.

19. Trafficking in Persons.

- a. You as the recipient, your employees, subrecipients under this ACRGP Grant, and subrecipients' employees may not –
 - 1. Engage in severe forms of trafficking in persons during the period of time that the award is in effect;
 - 2. Procure a commercial sex act during the period of time that the award is in effect; or
 - 3. Use forced labor in the performance of the award or subawards under the ACRGP Grant.
- b. The FAA as the Federal awarding agency may unilaterally terminate this award, without penalty, if you or a subrecipient that is a private entity –
 - 1. Is determined to have violated a prohibition in paragraph A of this ACRGP Grant Agreement term; or
 - 2. Has an employee who is determined by the agency official authorized to terminate the ACRGP Grant Agreement to have violated a prohibition in paragraph A.1 of this ACRGP Grant term through conduct that is either –
 - A. Associated with performance under this ACRGP grant; or
 - B. Imputed to the subrecipient using the standards and due process for imputing the conduct of an individual to an organization that are provided in 2 CFR Part 180, "OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Government-wide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement)," as implemented by the FAA at 2 CFR Part 1200.

- c. You must inform us immediately of any information you receive from any source alleging a violation of a prohibition in paragraph A during this ACRGP Grant Agreement.
- d. Our right to terminate unilaterally that is described in paragraph A of this section:
 - 1. Implements section 106(g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (TVPA), as amended (22 U.S.C. § 7104(g)), and
 - 2. Is in addition to all other remedies for noncompliance that are available to the FAA under this ACRGP Grant.

20. Employee Protection from Reprisal.

a. Prohibition of Reprisals —

- 1. In accordance with 41 U.S.C. § 4712, an employee of a grantee or subgrantee may not be discharged, demoted, or otherwise discriminated against as a reprisal for disclosing to a person or body described in sub-paragraph (A)(2), information that the employee reasonably believes is evidence of:
 - a. Gross mismanagement of a Federal grant;
 - b. Gross waste of Federal funds;
 - c. An abuse of authority relating to implementation or use of Federal funds;
 - d. A substantial and specific danger to public health or safety; or
 - e. A violation of law, rule, or regulation related to a Federal grant.
- 2. Persons and bodies covered: The persons and bodies to which a disclosure by an employee is covered are as follows:
 - a. A member of Congress or a representative of a committee of Congress;
 - b. An Inspector General;
 - c. The Government Accountability Office;
 - d. A Federal office or employee responsible for oversight of a grant program;
 - e. A court or grand jury;
 - f. A management office of the grantee or subgrantee; or
 - g. A Federal or State regulatory enforcement agency.
- 3. Submission of Complaint — A person who believes that they have been subjected to a reprisal prohibited by paragraph A of this ACRGP Grant Agreement may submit a complaint regarding the reprisal to the Office of Inspector General (OIG) for the U.S. Department of Transportation.
- 4. Time Limitation for Submittal of a Complaint — A complaint may not be brought under this subsection more than three years after the date on which the alleged reprisal took place.
- 5. Required Actions of the Inspector General — Actions, limitations, and exceptions of the Inspector General's office are established under 41 U.S.C. § 4712(b).
- 6. Assumption of Rights to Civil Remedy — Upon receipt of an explanation of a decision not to conduct or continue an investigation by the Office of Inspector General, the person submitting a complaint assumes the right to a civil remedy under 41 U.S.C. § 4712(c).

21. **Limitations.** Nothing provided herein shall be construed to limit, cancel, annul, or modify the terms of any Federal grant agreement(s), including all terms and assurances related thereto, that have been entered into by the Sponsor and the FAA prior to the date of this ACRGP Grant Agreement.

22. **Face Coverings Policy.** The sponsor agrees to implement a face-covering (mask) policy to combat the spread of pathogens. This policy must include a requirement that all persons wear a mask, in accordance with Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and Transportation Security Administration (TSA) requirements, as applicable, at all times while in all public areas of the airport property, except to the extent exempted under those requirements. This special condition requires the airport sponsor continue to require masks until [Executive Order 13998, Promoting COVID-19 Safety in Domestic and International Travel](#), is no longer effective.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR USE OF ACRGP FUNDS

CONDITIONS FOR ROLLING STOCK/EQUIPMENT -

1. **Equipment or Vehicle Replacement.** The Sponsor agrees that when using funds provided by this grant to replace equipment, the proceeds from the trade-in or sale of such replaced equipment shall be classified and used as airport revenue.
2. **Equipment Acquisition.** The Sponsor agrees that for any equipment acquired with funds provided by this grant, such equipment shall be used solely for purposes directly related to the airport.
3. **Low Emission Systems.** The Sponsor agrees that vehicles and equipment acquired with funds provided in this grant:
 - a. Will be maintained and used at the airport for which they were purchased; and
 - b. Will not be transferred, relocated, or used at another airport without the advance consent of the FAA.

The Sponsor further agrees that it will maintain annual records on individual vehicles and equipment, project expenditures, cost effectiveness, and emission reductions.

CONDITIONS FOR UTILITIES AND LAND -

4. **Utilities Proration.** For purposes of computing the United States' share of the allowable airport operations and maintenance costs, the allowable cost of utilities incurred by the Sponsor to operate and maintain airport(s) included in the Grant must not exceed the percent attributable to the capital or operating costs of the airport.
5. **Utility Relocation in Grant.** The Sponsor understands and agrees that:
 - a. The United States will not participate in the cost of any utility relocation unless and until the Sponsor has submitted evidence satisfactory to the FAA that the Sponsor is legally responsible for payment of such costs;
 - b. FAA participation is limited to those utilities located on-airport or off-airport only where the Sponsor has an easement for the utility; and
 - c. The utilities must serve a purpose directly related to the Airport.

The Sponsor's acceptance of this Offer and ratification and adoption of the ACRGP Grant Application incorporated herein shall be evidenced by execution of this instrument by the Sponsor. The Offer and Acceptance shall comprise an ACRGP Grant Agreement, as provided by the CRRSA Act, constituting the contractual obligations and rights of the United States and the Sponsor with respect to this Grant. The effective date of this ACRGP Grant Agreement is the date of the Sponsor's acceptance of this Offer.

Please read the following information: By signing this document, you are agreeing that you have reviewed the following consumer disclosure information and consent to transact business using electronic communications, to receive notices and disclosures electronically, and to utilize electronic signatures in lieu of using paper documents. You are not required to receive notices and disclosures or sign documents electronically. If you prefer not to do so, you may request to receive paper copies and withdraw your consent at any time.

Dated April 15, 2021

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION**



(Signature)

Bart Vernace

(Typed Name)

Manager

(Title of FAA Official)

Part II - Acceptance

The Sponsor does hereby ratify and adopt all assurances, statements, representations, warranties, covenants, and agreements contained in the ACRGP Grant Application and incorporated materials referred to in the foregoing Offer under Part I of this ACRGP Grant Agreement, and does hereby accept this Offer and by such acceptance agrees to comply with all of the terms and conditions in this Offer and in the ACRGP Grant Application and all applicable terms and conditions provided for in the CRRSA Act and other applicable provisions of Federal law.

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. ¹

Dated

City of Lake City

(Name of Sponsor)

(Signature of Sponsor's Designative Official/Representative)

By:

(Type Name of Sponsor's Designative Official/Representative)

Title:

(Title of Sponsor's Designative Official/Representative)

¹ Knowingly and willfully providing false information to the Federal government is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 (False Statements) and could subject you to fines, imprisonment, or both.

CERTIFICATE OF SPONSOR'S ATTORNEY

I, Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr. , acting as Attorney for the Sponsor do hereby certify:

That in my opinion the Sponsor is empowered to enter into the foregoing Grant Agreement under the laws of the State of Florida. Further, I have examined the foregoing Grant Agreement and the actions taken by said Sponsor and Sponsor's official representative has been duly authorized and that the execution thereof is in all respects due and proper and in accordance with the laws of the said State and the CRRSA Act. The Sponsor understands funding made available under this Grant Agreement may only be used to reimburse for airport operational and maintenance expenses, and debt service payments. The Sponsor further understands it may submit a separate request to use funds for new airport/project development purposes, subject to additional terms, conditions, and assurances. Further, it is my opinion that the said Grant Agreement constitutes a legal and binding obligation of the Sponsor in accordance with the terms thereof.

Please read the following information: By signing this document, you are agreeing that you have reviewed the following consumer disclosure information and consent to transact business using electronic communications, to receive notices and disclosures electronically, and to utilize electronic signatures in lieu of using paper documents. You are not required to receive notices and disclosures or sign documents electronically. If you prefer not to do so, you may request to receive paper copies and withdraw your consent at any time.

Dated at April 27, 2021

By:



(Signature of Sponsor's Attorney)

AIRPORT CORONAVIRUS RELIEF GRANT PROGRAM (ACRGP) ASSURANCES

AIRPORT SPONSORS

A. General.

1. These Airport Coronavirus Relief Grant Program (ACRGP) Assurances are required to be submitted as part of the application by sponsors requesting funds under the provisions of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2020 (CRRSA Act or "the Act"), Public Law 116-260. As used herein, the term "public agency sponsor" means a public agency with control of a public-use airport; the term "private sponsor" means a private owner of a public-use airport; and the term "sponsor" includes both public agency sponsors and private sponsors.
2. Upon acceptance of this ACRGP Grant offer by the sponsor, these assurances are incorporated into and become part of this ACRGP Grant Agreement.

B. Sponsor Certification.

The sponsor hereby assures and certifies, with respect to this ACRGP Grant that:

It will comply with all applicable Federal laws, regulations, executive orders, policies, guidelines, and requirements as they relate to the application, acceptance, and use of Federal funds for this ACRGP Grant including but not limited to the following:

FEDERAL LEGISLATION

- a. 49 U.S.C. Chapter 471, as applicable
- b. Davis-Bacon Act — 40 U.S.C. 276(a), et. seq.
- c. Federal Fair Labor Standards Act — 29 U.S.C. 201, et. seq.
- d. Hatch Act — 5 U.S.C. 1501, et. seq.²
- e. Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 Title 42 U.S.C. 4601, et. seq.
- f. National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 — Section 106 — 16 U.S.C. 470(f).
- g. Archeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 — 16 U.S.C. 469 through 469c.
- h. Native Americans Grave Repatriation Act — 25 U.S.C. Section 3001, et. seq.
- i. Clean Air Act, P.L. 90-148, as amended.
- j. Coastal Zone Management Act, P.L. 93-205, as amended.
- k. Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 — Section 102(a) — 42 U.S.C. 4012a.
- l. Title 49, U.S.C., Section 303, (formerly known as Section 4(f)).
- m. Rehabilitation Act of 1973 — 29 U.S.C. 794.
- n. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin).
- o. Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 12101 et seq.), prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability).

- p. Age Discrimination Act of 1975 — 42 U.S.C. 6101, et. seq.
- q. American Indian Religious Freedom Act, P.L. 95-341, as amended.
- r. Architectural Barriers Act of 1968 — 42 U.S.C. 4151, et. seq.
- s. Power plant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978 — Section 403- 2 U.S.C. 8373.
- t. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act — 40 U.S.C. 327, et. seq.
- u. Copeland Anti-kickback Act — 18 U.S.C. 874.1.
- v. National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 — 42 U.S.C. 4321, et. seq.
- w. Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, P.L. 90-542, as amended.
- x. Single Audit Act of 1984 — 31 U.S.C. 7501, et. seq. ²
- y. Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 — 41 U.S.C. 702 through 706.
- z. The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, as amended (Pub. L. 109-282, as amended by section 6202 of Pub. L. 110-252).

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

- a. Executive Order 11246 – Equal Employment Opportunity
- b. Executive Order 11990 – Protection of Wetlands
- c. Executive Order 11998 – Flood Plain Management
- d. Executive Order 12372 – Intergovernmental Review of Federal Programs
- e. Executive Order 12699 – Seismic Safety of Federal and Federally Assisted New Building Construction
- f. Executive Order 12898 – Environmental Justice
- g. Executive Order 14005 – Ensuring the Future Is Made in All of America by All of America's Workers.

FEDERAL REGULATIONS

- a. 2 CFR Part 180 – OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement).
- b. 2 CFR Part 200 – Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards. ^{3,4}
- c. 2 CFR Part 1200 – Nonprocurement Suspension and Debarment.
- d. 28 CFR Part 35 – Discrimination on the Basis of Disability in State and Local Government Services.
- e. 28 CFR § 50.3 – U.S. Department of Justice Guidelines for Enforcement of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- f. 29 CFR Part 1 – Procedures for predetermination of wage rates. ¹
- g. 29 CFR Part 3 – Contractors and subcontractors on public building or public work financed in whole or part by loans or grants from the United States. ¹

- h. 29 CFR Part 5 – Labor standards provisions applicable to contracts covering Federally financed and assisted construction (also labor standards provisions applicable to non-construction contracts subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act).¹
- i. 41 CFR Part 60 – Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor (Federal and Federally assisted contracting requirements).¹
- j. 49 CFR Part 20 – New restrictions on lobbying.
- k. 49 CFR Part 21 – Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation - effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- l. 49 CFR Part 23 – Participation by Disadvantage Business Enterprise in Airport Concessions.
- m. 49 CFR Part 26 – Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in Department of Transportation Program.
- n. 49 CFR Part 27 – Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs and Activities Receiving or Benefiting from Federal Financial Assistance.¹
- o. 49 CFR Part 28 – Enforcement of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs or Activities conducted by the Department of Transportation.
- p. 49 CFR Part 30 – Denial of public works contracts to suppliers of goods and services of countries that deny procurement market access to U.S. contractors.
- q. 49 CFR Part 32 – Government-wide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Financial Assistance).
- r. 49 CFR Part 37 – Transportation Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ADA).
- s. 49 CFR Part 41 – Seismic safety of Federal and Federally assisted or regulated new building construction.

FOOTNOTES TO ASSURANCE ACRGP ASSURANCE B.1.

- ¹ These laws do not apply to airport planning sponsors.
- ² These laws do not apply to private sponsors.
- ³ Cost principles established in 2 CFR Part 200 subpart E must be used as guidelines for determining the eligibility of specific types of expenses
- ⁴ Audit requirements established in 2 CFR Part 200 subpart F are the guidelines for audits.

SPECIFIC ASSURANCES

Specific assurances required to be included in grant agreements by any of the above laws, regulations, or circulars are incorporated by reference in this Grant Agreement.

1. Purpose Directly Related to the Airport

It certifies that the reimbursement sought is for a purpose directly related to the airport.

2. Responsibility and Authority of the Sponsor.

a. Public Agency Sponsor:

It has legal authority to apply for this Grant, and to finance and carry out the proposed grant; that an official decision has been made by the applicant's governing body authorizing the filing of the application, including all understandings and assurances contained therein, and directing

and authorizing the person identified as the official representative of the applicant to act in connection with the application and to provide such additional information as may be required.

b. **Private Sponsor:**

It has legal authority to apply for this Grant and to finance and carry out the proposed Grant and comply with all terms, conditions, and assurances of this Grant Agreement. It shall designate an official representative and shall in writing direct and authorize that person to file this application, including all understandings and assurances contained therein; to act in connection with this application; and to provide such additional information as may be required.

3. Good Title.

It, a public agency or the Federal government, holds good title, satisfactory to the Secretary, to the landing area of the airport or site thereof, or will give assurance satisfactory to the Secretary that good title will be acquired.

4. Preserving Rights and Powers.

- a. It will not take or permit any action which would operate to deprive it of any of the rights and powers necessary to perform any or all of the terms, conditions, and assurances in this Grant Agreement without the written approval of the Secretary, and will act promptly to acquire, extinguish, or modify any outstanding rights or claims of right of others which would interfere with such performance by the sponsor. This shall be done in a manner acceptable to the Secretary.
- b. If the sponsor is a private sponsor, it will take steps satisfactory to the Secretary to ensure that the airport will continue to function as a public-use airport in accordance with this Grant Agreement.
- c. If an arrangement is made for management and operation of the airport by any agency or person other than the sponsor or an employee of the sponsor, the sponsor will reserve sufficient rights and authority to insure that the airport will be operated and maintained in accordance Title 49, United States Code, the regulations, and the terms and conditions of this Grant Agreement.

5. Consistency with Local Plans.

Any project undertaken by this Grant Agreement is reasonably consistent with plans (existing at the time of submission of the ACGRP application) of public agencies that are authorized by the State in which the project is located to plan for the development of the area surrounding the airport.

6. Consideration of Local Interest.

It has given fair consideration to the interest of communities in or near where any project undertaken by this Grant Agreement may be located.

7. Consultation with Users.

In making a decision to undertake any airport development project undertaken by this Grant Agreement, it has undertaken reasonable consultations with affected parties using the airport at which project is proposed.

8. Pavement Preventative Maintenance.

With respect to a project undertaken by this Grant Agreement for the replacement or reconstruction of pavement at the airport, it assures or certifies that it has implemented an effective airport pavement maintenance-management program and it assures that it will use such program for the useful life of any pavement constructed, reconstructed, or repaired with Federal financial assistance at the airport, including ACRGP funds provided under this Grant Agreement. It will provide such reports on pavement condition and pavement management programs as the Secretary determines may be useful.

9. Accounting System, Audit, and Record Keeping Requirements.

- a. It shall keep all Grant accounts and records which fully disclose the amount and disposition by the recipient of the proceeds of this Grant, the total cost of the Grant in connection with which this Grant is given or used, and the amount or nature of that portion of the cost of the Grant supplied by other sources, and such other financial records pertinent to the Grant. The accounts and records shall be kept in accordance with an accounting system that will facilitate an effective audit in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984.
- b. It shall make available to the Secretary and the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives, for the purpose of audit and examination, any books, documents, papers, and records of the recipient that are pertinent to this Grant. The Secretary may require that an appropriate audit be conducted by a recipient. In any case in which an independent audit is made of the accounts of a sponsor relating to the disposition of the proceeds of a Grant or relating to the Grant in connection with which this Grant was given or used, it shall file a certified copy of such audit with the Comptroller General of the United States not later than six (6) months following the close of the fiscal year for which the audit was made.

10. Minimum Wage Rates.

It shall include, in all contracts in excess of \$2,000 for work on any projects funded under this grant agreement which involve labor, provisions establishing minimum rates of wages, to be predetermined by the Secretary of Labor, in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 276a-276a-5), which contractors shall pay to skilled and unskilled labor, and such minimum rates shall be stated in the invitation for bids and shall be included in proposals or bids for the work.

11. Veteran's Preference.

It shall include in all contracts for work on any project funded under this grant agreement which involve labor, such provisions as are necessary to insure that, in the employment of labor (except in executive, administrative, and supervisory positions), preference shall be given to Vietnam era veterans, Persian Gulf veterans, Afghanistan-Iraq war veterans, disabled veterans, and small business concerns owned and controlled by disabled veterans as defined in Section 47112 of Title 49, United States Code. However, this preference shall apply only where the individuals are available and qualified to perform the work to which the employment relates.

12. Operation and Maintenance.

- a. The airport and all facilities which are necessary to serve the aeronautical users of the airport, other than facilities owned or controlled by the United States, shall be operated at all times in a safe and serviceable condition and in accordance with the minimum standards as may be required or prescribed by applicable Federal, state and local agencies for maintenance and

operation. It will not cause or permit any activity or action thereon which would interfere with its use for airport purposes. It will suitably operate and maintain the airport and all facilities thereon or connected therewith, with due regard to climatic and flood conditions. Any proposal to temporarily close the airport for non-aeronautical purposes must first be approved by the Secretary. In furtherance of this assurance, the sponsor will have in effect arrangements for-

1. Operating the airport's aeronautical facilities whenever required;
 2. Promptly marking and lighting hazards resulting from airport conditions, including temporary conditions; and
 3. Promptly notifying airmen of any condition affecting aeronautical use of the airport. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to require that the airport be operated for aeronautical use during temporary periods when snow, flood or other climatic conditions interfere with such operation and maintenance. Further, nothing herein shall be construed as requiring the maintenance, repair, restoration, or replacement of any structure or facility which is substantially damaged or destroyed due to an act of God or other condition or circumstance beyond the control of the sponsor.
- b. It will suitably operate and maintain noise compatibility program items that it owns or controls upon which Federal funds have been expended.

13. Hazard Removal and Mitigation.

It will take appropriate action to assure that such terminal airspace as is required to protect instrument and visual operations to the airport (including established minimum flight altitudes) will be adequately cleared and protected by removing, lowering, relocating, marking, or lighting or otherwise mitigating existing airport hazards and by preventing the establishment or creation of future airport hazards.

14. Compatible Land Use.

It will take appropriate action, to the extent reasonable, including the adoption of zoning laws, to restrict the use of land adjacent to or in the immediate vicinity of the airport to activities and purposes compatible with normal airport operations, including landing and takeoff of aircraft.

15. Exclusive Rights.

The sponsor shall not grant an exclusive right to use an air navigation facility on which this Grant has been expended. However, providing services at an airport by only one fixed-based operator is not an exclusive right if—

- a. it is unreasonably costly, burdensome, or impractical for more than one fixed-based operator to provide the services; and
- b. allowing more than one fixed-based operator to provide the services requires a reduction in space leased under an agreement existing on September 3, 1982, between the operator and the airport.

16. Airport Revenues.

- a. This Grant shall be available for any purpose for which airport revenues may lawfully be used to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus. Funds provided under this ACRGP Grant Agreement will only be expended for the capital or operating costs of the airport; the local airport system; or other local facilities which are owned or operated by the owner or operator of the airport(s) subject to this agreement and all applicable addendums for costs related to

operations, personnel, cleaning, sanitization, janitorial services, combating the spread of pathogens at the airport, and debt service payments as prescribed in the Act

- b. For airport development, 49 U.S.C. § 47133 applies.

17. Reports and Inspections.

It will:

- a. submit to the Secretary such annual or special financial and operations reports as the Secretary may reasonably request and make such reports available to the public; make available to the public at reasonable times and places a report of the airport budget in a format prescribed by the Secretary;
- b. in a format and time prescribed by the Secretary, provide to the Secretary and make available to the public following each of its fiscal years, an annual report listing in detail:
 - 1. all amounts paid by the airport to any other unit of government and the purposes for which each such payment was made; and
 - 2. all services and property provided by the airport to other units of government and the amount of compensation received for provision of each such service and property.

18. Land for Federal Facilities.

It will furnish without cost to the Federal Government for use in connection with any air traffic control or air navigation activities, or weather-reporting and communication activities related to air traffic control, any areas of land or water, or estate therein, or rights in buildings of the sponsor as the Secretary considers necessary or desirable for construction, operation, and maintenance at Federal expense of space or facilities for such purposes. Such areas or any portion thereof will be made available as provided herein within four months after receipt of a written request from the Secretary.

19. Airport Layout Plan.

- a. Subject to the FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018, Public Law 115-254, Section 163, it will keep up to date at all times an airport layout plan of the airport showing:
 - 1. boundaries of the airport and all proposed additions thereto, together with the boundaries of all offsite areas owned or controlled by the sponsor for airport purposes and proposed additions thereto;
 - 2. the location and nature of all existing and proposed airport facilities and structures (such as runways, taxiways, aprons, terminal buildings, hangars and roads), including all proposed extensions and reductions of existing airport facilities;
 - 3. the location of all existing and proposed non-aviation areas and of all existing improvements thereon; and
 - 4. all proposed and existing access points used to taxi aircraft across the airport's property boundary. Such airport layout plans and each amendment, revision, or modification thereof, shall be subject to the approval of the Secretary which approval shall be evidenced by the signature of a duly authorized representative of the Secretary on the face of the airport layout plan. The sponsor will not make or permit any changes or alterations in the airport or any of its facilities which are not in conformity with the airport layout plan

as approved by the Secretary and which might, in the opinion of the Secretary, adversely affect the safety, utility or efficiency of the airport.

- b. Subject to the FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018, Public Law 115-254, Section 163, if a change or alteration in the airport or the facilities is made which the Secretary determines adversely affects the safety, utility, or efficiency of any federally owned, leased, or funded property on or off the airport and which is not in conformity with the airport layout plan as approved by the Secretary, the owner or operator will, if requested, by the Secretary (1) eliminate such adverse effect in a manner approved by the Secretary; or (2) bear all costs of relocating such property (or replacement thereof) to a site acceptable to the Secretary and all costs of restoring such property (or replacement thereof) to the level of safety, utility, efficiency, and cost of operation existing before the unapproved change in the airport or its facilities except in the case of a relocation or replacement of an existing airport facility due to a change in the Secretary's design standards beyond the control of the airport sponsor.

20. Civil Rights.

It will promptly take any measures necessary to ensure that no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in any activity conducted with, or benefiting from, funds received from this Grant.

- a. Using the definitions of activity, facility, and program as found and defined in §§ 21.23 (b) and 21.23 (e) of 49 CFR Part 21, the sponsor will facilitate all programs, operate all facilities, or conduct all programs in compliance with all non-discrimination requirements imposed by or pursuant to these assurances.
- b. Applicability
 - 1. Programs and Activities. If the sponsor has received a grant (or other Federal assistance) for any of the sponsor's program or activities, these requirements extend to all of the sponsor's programs and activities
 - 2. Facilities. Where it receives a grant or other Federal financial assistance to construct, expand, renovate, remodel, alter, or acquire a facility, or part of a facility, the assurance extends to the entire facility and facilities operated in connection therewith.
 - 3. Real Property. Where the sponsor receives a grant or other Federal financial assistance in the form of, or for the acquisition of, real property or an interest in real property, the assurance will extend to rights to space on, over, or under such property.
- c. Duration

The sponsor agrees that it is obligated to this assurance for the period during which Federal financial assistance is extended to the program, except where the Federal financial assistance is to provide, or is in the form of, personal property, or real property, or interest therein, or structures or improvements thereon, in which case the assurance obligates the sponsor, or any transferee for the longer of the following periods:

 - 1. So long as the airport is used as an airport, or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits; or
 - 2. So long as the sponsor retains ownership or possession of the property.
- d. Required Solicitation Language

It will include the following notification in all solicitations for bids, Requests for Proposals for work, or material under this Grant and in all proposals for agreements, including airport concessions, regardless of funding source:

“The City of Lake City, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that for any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises and airport concession disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.”

e. **Required Contract Provisions.**

1. It will insert the non-discrimination contract clauses requiring compliance with the acts and regulations relative to non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the DOT, and incorporating the acts and regulations into the contracts by reference in every contract or agreement subject to the non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the DOT Acts and regulations.
2. It will include a list of the pertinent non-discrimination authorities in every contract that is subject to the non-discrimination acts and regulations.
3. It will insert non-discrimination contract clauses as a covenant running with the land, in any deed from the United States effecting or recording a transfer of real property, structures, use, or improvements thereon or interest therein to a sponsor.
4. It will insert non-discrimination contract clauses prohibiting discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, creed, sex, age, or handicap as a covenant running with the land, in any future deeds, leases, license, permits, or similar instruments entered into by the sponsor with other parties:
 - A. For the subsequent transfer of real property acquired or improved under the applicable activity, grant, or program; and
 - B. For the construction or use of, or access to, space on, over, or under real property acquired or improved under the applicable activity, grant, or program.
 - C. It will provide for such methods of administration for the program as are found by the Secretary to give reasonable guarantee that it, other recipients, sub-recipients, sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, consultants, transferees, successors in interest, and other participants of Federal financial assistance under such program will comply with all requirements imposed or pursuant to the acts, the regulations, and this assurance.
 - D. It agrees that the United States has a right to seek judicial enforcement with regard to any matter arising under the acts, the regulations, and this assurance.

21. Foreign Market Restrictions.

It will not allow funds provided under this Grant to be used to fund any activity that uses any product or service of a foreign country during the period in which such foreign country is listed by the United States Trade Representative as denying fair and equitable market opportunities for products and suppliers of the United States in procurement and construction.

22. Policies, Standards and Specifications.

It will carry out any project funded under an Airport Coronavirus Relief Program Grant in accordance with policies, standards, and specifications approved by the Secretary including, but not limited to, current FAA Advisory Circulars for AIP projects, as of February 19, 2021, included in this grant, and in accordance with applicable state policies, standards, and specifications approved by the Secretary.

23. Access By Intercity Buses.

The airport owner or operator will permit, to the maximum extent practicable, intercity buses or other modes of transportation to have access to the airport; however, it has no obligation to fund special facilities for intercity buses or for other modes of transportation.

24. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises.

The sponsor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the award and performance of any DOT-assisted contract covered by 49 CFR Part 26, or in the award and performance of any concession activity contract covered by 49 CFR Part 23. In addition, the sponsor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the administration of its Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) and Airport Concessions Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (ACDBE) programs or the requirements of 49 CFR Parts 23 and 26. The sponsor shall take all necessary and reasonable steps under 49 CFR Parts 23 and 26 to ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts, and/or concession contracts. The sponsor's DBE and ACDBE programs, as required by 49 CFR Parts 26 and 23, and as approved by DOT, are incorporated by reference in this agreement. Implementation of these programs is a legal obligation and failure to carry out its terms shall be treated as a violation of this agreement. Upon notification to the sponsor of its failure to carry out its approved program, the Department may impose sanctions as provided for under Parts 26 and 23 and may, in appropriate cases, refer the matter for enforcement under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and/or the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act of 1936 (31 U.S.C. 3801).

25. Acquisition Thresholds.

The FAA deems equipment to mean tangible personal property having a useful life greater than one year and a per-unit acquisition cost equal to or greater than \$5,000. Procurements by micro-purchase means the acquisition of goods or services for which the aggregate dollar amount does not exceed \$10,000, unless authorized in accordance with 2 CFR § 200.320. Procurement by small purchase procedures means those relatively simple and informal procurement methods for securing goods or services that do not exceed the \$250,000 threshold for simplified acquisitions.

Current FAA Advisory Circulars Required for Use in AIP Funded and PFC Approved Projects

View the most current Series 150 Advisory Circulars (ACs) for Airport Projects at
http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/advisory_circulars and
http://www.faa.gov/regulations_policies/advisory_circulars

File Attachments for Item:

10. City Council Resolution No. 2021-068 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida authorizing the acceptance of a county deed from Columbia County, Florida for the parcel of property known as Olustee Park and located within the municipal limits.

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-068

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A COUNTY DEED FROM COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA FOR THE PARCEL OF PROPERTY KNOWN AS OLUSTEE PARK AND LOCATED WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS.

WHEREAS, Columbia County, Florida (hereinafter the "County") has executed a County Deed thereby conveying to the City of Lake City, Florida, (hereinafter the "City"), a piece of real property identified by the Columbia County Property Appraiser as parcel number 12690-000 and commonly known as Olustee Park (hereinafter the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, the County is the owner of the aforementioned Property as described in the County Deed attached hereto as "Exhibit A"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the best interests of the City to accept the Property from the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

[Remainder of this page left blank intentionally.]

Section 2. The City is hereby authorized to accept the County Deed from the County for the aforementioned Property.

PASSED AND ADOPTED a meeting of the City Council this ____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

PREPARED BY AND RETURN TO:
JOEL F. FOREMAN
P.O. BOX 550
Lake City, Florida 32056

Inst: 202112007831 Date: 04/22/2021 Time: 11:16AM
Page 1 of 1 B: 1435 P: 1899, James M Swisher Jr, Clerk of Court
Columbia, County, By: VC
Deputy Clerk

Parcel ID No. 00-00-00-12690-000

COUNTY DEED

THIS DEED is made and given this 22nd day of April 2021 by **COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose mailing address is P.O. Box 1529, Lake City, FL 32056, hereinafter referred to as "Grantor", to **THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA**, a Florida municipality, whose mailing address is 205 N. Marion Ave. Lake City, FL 32055, hereinafter called "Grantee".

WITNESSETH, that the said Grantor pursuant to the County's powers under sections 125.35 and 125.411, Florida Statutes; the Home Rule Charter for Columbia County, Florida; and the vote of the Board of County Commissioners in regular session on April 15, 2021, hereby grants to the said Grantee, forever, the described land and improvements, lying and being in Columbia County, Florida, described as:

All of Columbia County's interest in that public park in downtown Lake City, Columbia County, Florida known as "Olustee Park", the same being located South of NE Madison Street, East of N Marion Avenue, West of NE Hernando Avenue, and North of West Duval Street, **less and except** such rights of way dedicated to and in public use and **less and except** such portions granted to the City of Lake City by Warranty Deed dated February 18, 1997 and recorded at Book 835, Page 218 of the Official Records for Columbia County, Florida.

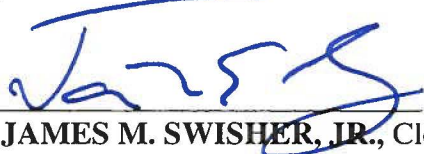
REVERTER: All right, title, claim, and interest of Grantee arising hereunder shall revert, *ipso facto*, to Grantor in the event the granite obelisk monument known as the "Olustee Battle Monument" now located on the real property conveyed by this deed should be destroyed by the willful or negligent acts or omissions of Grantee. This provision and its restrictions shall not be construed as to prevent Grantee's relocation or other conveyance or disposition of said monument. Fla. Stat. section 689.18(5)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said Grantor has caused these presents to be executed in its name by its Board of County Commissioners acting by the Chair or Vice Chair of said board, the day and year aforesaid.

COLUMBIA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

BY:  (SEAL)
ROBBY HOLLINGSWORTH, Vice Chair

ATTEST:

BY: 
JAMES M. SWISHER, JR., Clerk

File Attachments for Item:

11. City Council Resolution No. 2021-069 - A resolution of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, authorizing the execution of a Memorandum of Understanding with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement for participation in the methamphetamine clandestine drug laboratory hazardous waste authorized central storage container program.

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-069

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE METHAMPHETAMINE CLANDESTINE DRUG LABORATORY HAZARDOUS WASTE AUTHORIZED CENTRAL STORAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake City, Florida (hereinafter the “City”), by and through its Lake City Police Department (hereinafter the “LCPD”), previously entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter “MOU”) with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (hereinafter the “FDLE”), to participate in the methamphetamine clandestine drug laboratory hazardous waste authorized central storage container program; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it to be in the City’s best interests to renew its MOU with the FDLE, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part of this resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.

Section 2. The City, by and through the LCPD, is hereby authorized to renew the MOU with the FDLE.

Section 3. The Mayor and Chief of Police are authorized to execute the MOU for and on behalf of the City.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this ____ day of May 2021.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
FOR PARTICIPATION IN
THE METHAMPHETAMINE CLANDESTINE DRUG LABORATORY
HAZARDOUS WASTE
AUTHORIZED CENTRAL STORAGE (ACS) CONTAINER PROGRAM**

I. PREFACE

A. Background

In April of 2021, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) renewed the Authorized Central Storage Program Letter of Agreement (LOA) with the United States Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). The LOA provided, as a condition of FDLE's participation in the DEA Central Storage Program, that FDLE may "enter into separate Agreements with its local law enforcement agencies in order for such agencies to participate in this Authorized Central Storage Program."

B. Purpose

The purpose of this MOU is to establish the terms and conditions under which the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and the undersigned, as a participating local law enforcement agency, will agree to jointly assume with FDLE, the obligations set forth herein in order to participate in the DEA Central Storage Program (hereinafter "Program").

II. TERM OF MOU

This MOU is effective upon the date last signed and executed by the duly authorized representatives of the parties to this MOU and shall remain in full force and effect until April 21, 2024.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES

A. The undersigned agency agrees that law enforcement officers employed and assigned by the undersigned agency, acting jointly with FDLE in the Program, will:

1. Perform the activities and duties of a "generator" of all hazardous waste that is transported, stored, or disposed off-site from a clandestine drug laboratory, as defined in 40 C.F.R. Parts 260, et seq.;
2. Assure that law enforcement officers employed by the undersigned agency and assigned to the Program have received 40 hours of Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA) training and a minimum of eight (8) hours of RCRA/ United States Department of Transportation (DOT) function-specific training related to packaging, labeling, transporting and storing hazardous waste;
3. Seize, characterize, package, manage, and remove all hazardous waste discovered at or associated with clandestine laboratories (except for evidence or samples that are collected and maintained for investigation purposes and the remediation of residual contamination from a clandestine drug laboratory);
4. Transport such waste to designated collection stations that have been approved by the state for temporary storage prior to disposal;
5. Store, maintain, and secure only clandestine laboratory-related hazardous waste in approved collection stations;
6. Inventory and label all hazardous waste stored in the collection stations in proper containers according to the clandestine laboratory or location from which the

hazardous waste was generated (inventories must include date, time, and location of seizure);

7. Designate properly trained and equipped law enforcement officers to serve as collection station Operators for the purpose of accepting or declining hazardous waste delivered to collection stations;
8. If providing law enforcement officers to serve as collection station Operators, only accept clandestine drug laboratory-related waste when such waste has been identified, packaged, characterized and transported to the collection station by an individual or individuals possessing the required training;
9. Immediately report to the appropriate state or federal agency for appropriate action, instances in which clandestine laboratory-related hazardous waste has been packaged, transported, or stored in violation of applicable Federal, State, or local environmental requirements;
10. Complete an EPIC Form 143, upon seizure of a clandestine laboratory, and submit the information to the El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) for entry into the National Seizure System (NSS);
11. Send for pick-up and disposal services by DEA-designated hazardous waste contractors, by contacting the respective DEA POC and indicating which of the containers contain waste;
12. Immediately notify a FDLE POC or personnel of the local DEA office to request the cleanup services of a DEA hazardous waste contractor whenever hazardous waste is discovered at the site of a clandestine laboratory in excess of the CESQG exemption levels, including waste which qualifies as "acutely hazardous waste" under RCRA;
13. Carry out the tasks set out in paragraphs 1-12 above in compliance with all applicable Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), OSHA, and DOT authorizing statutes and regulations, as well as State of Florida and local restrictions;
14. Assign personnel to the tasks set out in 1-12 above who have received all necessary training and equipment under applicable Federal, state and local requirements, including, but not limited to, the training specified in paragraph 2 above, solely at the responsibility of their personnel to the extent possible;
15. Carry out the tasks set out in paragraphs 1-12 above in compliance, where applicable, with requirements and storage quantity and time limits for a hazardous waste Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator (CESQG), as defined in EPA's regulations at 40 CFR Part 261.5;
16. Carry out the tasks set out in paragraphs 1-12 above in a way that protects human health and the environment and prevents a public nuisance;
17. Permit DEA, upon reasonable notice, to inspect container storage locations and have available for examination by DEA or any of its duly authorized agents and representatives, any and all investigative reports, records, inventories, and documents required to be maintained by the LOA; and
18. Maintain all such foregoing reports and records until all examinations are completed and resolved, or for a period of three (3) years after termination of the LOA, whichever is sooner.

B. FDLE agrees to perform the following actions:

1. Assume the responsibility of coordinating the administration of the Program in Florida with DEA;

2. Assume the responsibility of coordinating the participation of Florida local law enforcement agencies in the Program;
3. Facilitate delivery of the approved OSHA training and RCRA/DOT function-specific training related to packaging, labeling, transporting and storing hazardous waste;
4. Ensure compliance with the terms of the LOA with DEA;
5. Assist with coordinating response and assistance by DEA-designated hazardous waste contractors in instances in which hazardous waste is discovered at a clandestine laboratory site in excess of the CESQG exemption; and
6. Request pick-up and disposal services, when needed, with DEA-designated hazardous waste contractors.

VI. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Amendments:

Either party may request changes to this MOU. Any changes, modifications, revisions or amendments to this MOU which are mutually agreed upon by and between the parties to this MOU shall be incorporated by written instrument, and shall be effective when executed and signed by all parties to this MOU.

B. Costs and Liability-Related Issues

1. To the extent the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. §§ 2671-2680 may not be applicable, each party to this MOU agrees to assume its own liability and responsibility for the acts, omission, or conduct of such Party's own employee while such employees are engaged in Program activities/initiatives, and shall remain responsible for the compensation, retirement, workers compensation and other benefits accruing to the benefit of said participating employees.
2. Each party to this MOU agrees to furnish necessary personnel, property (including personal protective equipment), police equipment, vehicles, and resources in order to effect the purposes of the MOU, and agrees to bear the cost of loss or damage to its equipment, vehicles or property so provided and must pay any expense incurred in the operation and maintenance of that equipment.
3. The Parties understand and agree that they will be responsible for their own liability and bear their own costs with regard to their property and resources, or personnel expenses incurred by reason of death, injury or incidents giving rise to potential liability.

C. Sovereign Immunity

This MOU shall not be construed as a waiver of sovereign immunity by the undersigned agency, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, or the State of Florida, and each fully retains all immunities and defenses provided by law with respect to any action based on or occurring as a result of this MOU.

D. Entirety of Agreement

This MOU, consisting of five (4) pages plus attachments, represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations and agreements, whether written or oral.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the authorized representatives of the Parties hereto sign on the date specified.

**Party's Acceptance of Memorandum of Understanding
for Participation In the Methamphetamine Clandestine Drug Laboratory
Hazardous Waste Authorized (ACS) Central Storage Container Program**

For the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE):

*J. Mont
09/06*



**Richard L. Swearingen, Commissioner
Executive Director, Florida Department of Law Enforcement**

4/20/21

Date

**Party's Acceptance of Memorandum of Understanding
for Participation in the Methamphetamine Clandestine Drug Laboratory
Hazardous Waste Authorized (ACS) Central Storage Container Program**

(Agency)

(Signature)

(Printed Name)

(Title)

(Date)