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Tom Scanlon, City Council President
Leighton Rogers, City Clerk

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
Business Meeting Agenda
2nd Floor Atrium, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY 13901
Wednesday, March 18, 2020

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND RECOGNITIONS

V. REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes

Approve the Minutes from March 4, 2020 Business Meeting

City Council Finance Committee: Strawn (Chair), Resciniti, Burns
No items to report.
City Council Planning and Community Development Committee: Strawn (Chair), Scaringi, Friedman
No items to report.
City Council Municipal and Public Affairs Committee: Resciniti (Chair), Strawn, Riley
No items to report.
City Council Public Works/Parks and Recreation Committee: Resciniti (Chair), Scaringi, Riley
No items to report.
City Council Employees Committee: Scaringi (Chair), Resciniti, Burns
No items to report.
City Council Rules and Procedures/Special Studies Committee: Scaringi (Chair), Strawn, Friedman
No items to report.

VI. APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

VII. PUBLIC HEARING

VIII. SET PUBLIC HEARINGS

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT/COMMUNICATION

X. REVIEW OF MAYORAL VETO

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XI. SECOND READING LEGISLATION

XII. FIRST READING LEGISLATION

A. PREFERRED AGENDA

Introductory Ordinance 20-35. Considered in Finance: Strawn
An Ordinance to amend the 2020 Parks Budget to adjust rates for seasonal employees

Introductory Resolution 20-22. Considered in MPA: Resciniti
A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a dispatch agreement with Broome County Office of Emergency Services

Introductory Resolution 20-26. Considered in MPA: Resciniti
A Resolution designating the month of March 2020 as Women's History Month in the City of Binghamton

B. NON-PREFERRED AGENDA

Introductory Ordinance 20-36. Considered in Finance: Strawn
An Ordinance to amend the 2019 Ramps budget to fund for increased management services

Introductory Ordinance 20-37. Considered in Finance: Strawn
An Ordinance to approve a transfer from the "Parking Ramps Reserve Fund" to 7 Hawley St Construction for the cost of a new public ramp

Introductory Ordinance 20-38. Considered in Finance: Strawn
An Ordinance to amend the 2020 Capital Budget to fund COVID-19 Response

Introductory Resolution 20-21. Considered in Finance: Strawn
A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to execute a grant with the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation for the Comprehensive Sanitary Sewer Pump Station Evaluation Project

Introductory Resolution 20-23. Considered in Finance: Strawn
A Resolution to authorize the City to accept payment for the Mayor to execute any agreement with NY DOT for temporary easement PIN 950061

Introductory Resolution 20-24. Considered in Finance: Strawn
A Resolution to identify that the part of the City's portion of the Green Roof Project will be paid in part of the 2016 Bond for various City Hall improvements

Introductory Resolution 20-25. Considered in Finance: Strawn
A Resolution to accept a grant for NYS DCJS 2020 Livescan Equipment Grant Program

XIII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

Legal Counsel Approval _____

RL 20-52

Introductory No. __O20-35__

Permanent No. _____

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STATE OF NEW YORK

Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE
entitled
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2020 PARKS DEPARTMENT BUDGET TO ADJUST PAY RATES FOR SEASONAL EMPLOYEES

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Parks and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2020 Parks Department budget to adjust the pay rates for seasonal employees; and

WHEREAS, there will be no change in the total funds allocated for these seasonal positions; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 18, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2020 Playground and Rec Centers, Beaches and Pools, and Senior Center budgets to adjust the pay rates for seasonal employees as set forth in the attached schedule and there will be no change in the total funds allocated for these seasonal positions.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller

			2020 Parks Department Budget Changes					
	Department Number	Title	New Title	2020 Original Rate	2020 Adjusted Rate	2020 Original Total	2020 Adjusted Rate
1	A7140.51800	Summer Playground Director/Sports Camp Director	Summer Playground Director/Sports League Director	$17.20	$17.25	$7,724.00	$7,724.00
2	A7140.51800	Safety Town Director/ Summer Playground Assistant Director	Safety Town Director/Summer Playground Assistant Director/Pool Operations Manager/Carousel Operations Manager	$13.25	$13.75	$7,251.00	$7,251.00
3	A7140.51800	Summer Playground 2nd Assistant Director	Summer Playground 2nd Assistant Director	$12.25	$13.00	$3,700.00	$3,700.00
4	A7140.51800	Summer Playground Site Supervisor	Summer Playground Site Supervisor	$11.80	$12.50	$11,635.00	$11,635.00
5	A7140.51800	Safety Town Assistant Director/Carousel Manager/Summer Playground Assistant Site Supervisor	Safety Town Assistant Director/Carousel Manager/Summer Playground Assistant Site Supervisor	$11.80	$12.25	$28,388.00	$28,388.00
6	A7140.51800	Summer Playground/Spray Pad/Carousels/Summer Camps/Basket rooms	Summer Playground/Spray Pad/Carousels/Summer Camps/Basket Rooms/Youth Program Attendant	$11.80	$11.80	$155,795.00	$164,821.00
7	A7140.51800	Adult Sports Program Coordinator	Adult Sports Program Coordinator/Youth Sports Program Coordinator	$13.40	$13.50	$5,199.00	$9,919.00
8	A7140.51800	Adult Sports Field Supervisor/Senior Center Adult Activity Supervisor	Adult Sports Field Supervisor/Senior Center Adult Activity Supervisor/Program Coach/Parks Office Assistant/ Youth Program Assistant Coordinator/ Youth Sports Field Supervisor	$11.80	$13.25	$4,083.00	$22,990.00
9	A7140.51800	Youth Program Head Coach/Parks office Assistant	N/A	$13.25	Moved to Line 8	$3,591.00	$0.00
10	A7140.51800	Youth Program Assistant Coordinator/Youth Sports Field Supervisor	N/A	$11.80	Moved to Line 8	$15,316.00	$0.00
11	A7140.51800	Youth Sports Director	N/A	$11.80	Moved to line 7	$4,720.00	$0.00
12	A7140.51800	Youth Program Attendant	N/A	$11.80	Moved to Line 6	$9,026.00	$0.00
		TOTAL				**$256,428.00**	**$256,428.00**
13.1	A7180.51800	Pool Manager Large Pool	Pool Manager Large Pool	$12.35	$12.75	13.1/13.2 Combined	13.1/13.2 Combined
13.2	A7180.51800	Pool Manager Small Pool	Pool Manager Small Pool	$12.10	$12.50	$28,877.00	$28,877.00
14.1	A7180.51800	Assistant Manager Large Pool	Assistant Manager Large Pool	$12.10	$12.50	14.1/14.2 Combined	14.1/14.2 Combined
14.2	A7180.51800	Assistant Manager Small Pool	Assistant Manager Small Pool	$11.85	$12.25	$13,918.00	$13,918.00
15.0	A7180.51800	Lifeguard	Lifeguard	$11.80	$11.80	$103,152.00	$103,152.00
16.0	A7180.51800	Recreation Attendant (Aquatics Director)	Recreation Attendant (Aquatics Assitant Director)	$17.20	$17.25	$6,441.00	$6,441.00
17.0	A7180.51800	Recreation Attendant (Assistant Aquatics Director)	Recreation Attendant (Aquatics Director)	$17.70	$17.75	$4,826.00	$4,826.00
18.0	A7180.51800	Rec Park Pool Manager	Rec Park Pool Manager	$12.35	$13.00	$4,666.00	$4,666.00
19.0	A7180.51800	Rec Park Pool Assistant Manager	Rec Park Pool Assistant Manager	$12.35	$12.75	$4,373.00	$4,373.00
		TOTAL				**$166,253.00**	**$166,253.00**
20.0	A7620.51000	Rec Attendant (Front Desk)	Rec Attendant (Building Set Up)	$11.80	$11.80	$12,272.00	$12,272.00
21.0	A7620.51000	Rec Attendent (Front Desk)	Rec Attendent (Front Desk)	$11.80	$12.50	$6,750.00	$6,750.00
22.0	A7620.51000	Rec Attendent (Building Prep)	Rec Attendent (Front Desk)	$11.80	$12.50	$10,125.00	$10,125.00
		TOTAL				**$29,147.00**	**$29,147.00**

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Introductory No. R20-22

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Municipal and Public Affairs

RESOLUTION
entitled
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A DISPATCH AGREEMENT WITH BROOME COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Broome County Office of Emergency Services is in the process of updating its Dispatch Agreement with all agencies in which it holds primary dispatch authority; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Chief recommends that the City of Binghamton Fire Department enter into the Dispatch Agreement with the Broome County Office of Emergency Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or the Fire Chief, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with the Broome County Office of Emergency Services for dispatch services.

Legal Counsel Approval

RL 20-66

Introductory No. R20-26

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Municipal and Public Affairs

RESOLUTION
entitled
A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF MARCH 2020 AS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IN THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON

WHEREAS, American women have played and continue to play a critical economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of the life of the Nation by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home; and

WHEREAS, American women have played a unique role throughout the history of the Nation by providing the majority of the volunteer labor force of the Nation; and

WHEREAS, American women were particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic, and cultural institutions in our Nation; and

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background served as early leaders in the forefront of every major progressive social change and have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our Nation in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

WHEREAS, American women have been leaders, not only in securing their own rights of suffrage and equal opportunity, but also in the abolitionist movement, the emancipation movement, the industrial labor movement, the civil rights movement, and other movements, especially the peace movement, which create a more fair and just society for all; and

WHEREAS, many courageous women have served as elected officials in the City of Binghamton; including the first acting female Mayor, Elayne Keane (also the first female City Councilmember) who served as Acting Mayor in September of 1966, and our first elected female Mayor, Juanita Crabb, served from 1982 to 1993, in addition to the numerous women who have served as Council representatives since the City's incorporation, with 3 strong women serving today-Sophia Resciniti, District 2, Angela Riley, District 3 and Aviva Friedman, District 4; and

WHEREAS, despite these contributions, the role of American women in history has been consistently overlooked and undervalued, in the literature, teaching, and study of American history; and

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WHEREAS, this year's Women's History theme is 'Valiant Women of the Vote'; a theme that celebrates women who have fought for women's' right to vote in the United States and recognizes the centennial of the 19th Amendment, and further recognizes that we honor women from the original suffrage movement as well as 20th and 21st-century women who have continued the struggle fighting against poll taxes, literacy tests, voter roll purges, and other more contemporary forms of voter suppression, in order to ensure voting rights for all.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Council of the City of Binghamton does hereby proclaim and recognize that the month of March 2020 is designated as "Women's History Month" in the City of Binghamton and that the Council encourages all residents of the City to observe and celebrate the women in our lives and throughout the month of March with appropriate programs, celebrations, and activities.

Legal Counsel Approval

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Introductory No. O20-36

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE
entitled
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2019 PARKING RAMPS BUDGET TO INCREASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES EXPENSES

WHEREAS, the Comptroller of the City of Binghamton finds it proper and necessary to amend the 2019 Parking Ramps budget to increase Management Services expenses; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 18, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2019 Parking Ramps budget to increase Management Services expenses as follows:

Transfer From (defund/decrease):	Transfer To (fund/increase):
$9,899 CP5650.54202 (Electricity)	$11,999 CP5650.54427 (Management Services)
2,100 CP5650.54300 (Insurance)	
$11,999	$11,999

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legal Counsel Approval

RL 20-60

Introductory No. O20-37

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Resciniti, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE
entitled
AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A TRANSFER FROM "PARKING RAMPS RESERVE FUND" TO 7 HAWLEY STREET CONSTRUCTION FOR THE COSTS OF A NEW PUBLIC PARKING GARAGE AT 7 HAWLEY

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Binghamton adopted Permanent Ordinance 018-37, dated March 21, 2018, entitled "An Ordinance to Establish a Parking Ramps and Lots Reserve Fund in the Amount of $1,000,000" and Permanent Ordinance 018-133, dated December 19, 2018, entitled "An Ordinance to Amend the 2018 General Fund to Transfer $1,500,000 to the Parking Ramp Reserve Fund"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Permanent Ordinance 018-133, the amount of $1,500,000 was specifially allocated for a public parking garage at 7 Hawley Street; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has requested a transfer of $1,500,000 from the Parking Ramp Reserve Fund to a new budget line to be created for construction of a public parking garage at 7 Hawley Street; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Permanent Ordinance 018-37, the Corporation Counsel and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton have verified that this tansfer is a purpose authorized by the Parking Ramp Reserve Fund and General Municipal Law §6-c, or any other law; and

WHEREAS, City Council must approve any transfer from the Parking Ramp Reserve Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2020 Capital budget to create new budget line H5650.525271 (7 Hawley Parking Garage) for construction and related costs for a parking garage at 7 Hawley Street.

Section 2. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2020 Capital budget to fund construction and related

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costs for a parking garage at 7 Hawley Street as follows:

(i) $1,500,000 decrease to budget line A.878B (Parking Ramp Reserve Fund)
(ii) $1,500,000 increase to budget line A9950.59000 (Transfer to Capital)
(iii) $1,500,000 increase to budget line H.45031 (Interfund Transfer)
(iv) $1,500,000 increase to budget line H5650.525271 (7 Hawley Parking Garage)

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legal Counsel Approval _____

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Introductory No. __O20-38__

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE
entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2020 CAPITAL BUDGET TO FUND COVID-19 MITIGATION

WHEREAS, the Comptroller of the City of Binghamton finds it proper and necessary to amend the 2020 Capital budget to create a new expense line in the Capital Fund and to transfer funds thereto for COVID-19 mitigation; and

WHEREAS, the amount of $50,000 is to be used for expenses to control the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 18, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2020 Capital Budget to create a new budget line H1210.xxxxx (CoronaVirus Expenses) as follows:

(i) $50,000 decrease to budget line A599 (Appropriated Fund Balance)
(ii) $50,000 increase to budget line A9950.59000 (Transfer to Capital)
(iii) $50,000 increase to budget line H.45031 (Interfund Transfer)
(iv) $50,000 increase to budget line H1210.xxxxx (CoronaVirus Expenses)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legal Counsel Approval

RL 20-50

Introductory No. R20-21

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION
entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES CORPORATION FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE SANITARY SEWER PUMP STATION EVALUATION

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton (City) is progressing the Comprehensive Sanitary Sewer Pump Station Evaluation Project (Project); and

WHEREAS, Barton and Loguidice, D.P.C. (B&L), on behalf of the City, applied for an Engineering Planning Grant as part of the 2019 NYS Consolidated Funding Application process to have a comprehensive study of the existing sanitary sewer pump stations that are within the City of Binghamton; and

WHEREAS, the City was awarded a $50,000 Engineering Planning Grant (EPG) by the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation; and

WHEREAS, Title 6 of the New York Code of Rules and Regulations (6 NYCRR) Section 617.5 under the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQR) provides that certain actions identified in subdivision (c) of that section are not subject to environmental review under the Environmental Conservation Law; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that engineering services relative to the study and preparation of a Preliminary Engineering Report for the Project will be necessary; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to engage engineering services from professionals with experience in such matters.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE, that the City of Binghamton City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute a Grant Agreement with the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation and any and all other contracts, documents, and instruments necessary to bring about the project and to fulfill the City of Binghamton obligations under the Grant Agreement.

RESOLVE, that the City of Binghamton City Council hereby authorizes and appropriates a minimum 20% local match as required by the Engineering Planning Grant Program for the

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Comprehensive Sanitary Sewer Pump Station Study Project. Under the EPG program, this local match must be at least 20% of the EPG grant award of $50,000, provided as cash or in-kind services. The source of the local match, and any amount in excess of the required match, shall be from the City general fund. The local match shall be a minimum of $10,000 in the form of cash or in-kind services, as required by the grant and based upon a total estimated project cost of $60,000. The Mayor may increase this local match through the use of in-kind services without further approval from the City Council.

RESOLVE, that the City of Binghamton City Council hereby determines that the proposed Comprehensive Sanitary Sewer Pump Station Evaluation Project is a Type II action in accordance with 6 NYCRR Section 617.5(c) (24) and (27) which constitute information collection including basic data collection and research, water quality, and engineering studies that do not commit the City to undertake, fund or approve any Type I or Unlisted action and is therefore not subject to further review under 6 NYCRR Part 617.

Legal Counsel Approval

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Introductory No. R20-23

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT AND FOR THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE ANY AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS DOT FOR A TEMPORARY EASEMENT, PIN 950061

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton is owner of certain real property located at 42 Bevier Street, Binghamton, New York, Tax Parcel No. 144.51-3-1 (the "Premises"); and

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton granted a temporary easement over the Premises to the New York State Department of Transportation (NYS DOT), PIN 950061, by Permanent Resolution R17-83, dated ; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved and recommended the easement on July 5, 2017; and

WHEREAS, in order to receive payment, the NYS DOT has requested the City to update its approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that City Council of the City of Binghamton hereby accepts $500 in adjustment of the claim for a temporary easement on 42 Bevier Street, Binghamton, New York, and that the Mayor of the City of City of Binghamton be empowered to execute the Agreement and any subsequent papers which may be required to secure such payment.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legal Counsel Approval _____

RL 20-64

Introductory No. R20-24

Permanent No. _____

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK

Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION
entitled

A RESOLUTION IDENTIFYING THAT A PORTION OF THE CITY'S GREEN ROOF PROJECT WILL BE PAID FROM THE 2016 BOND FOR VARIOUS CITY HALL IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Binghamton adopted Permanent Ordinance 16-13 dated February 17, 2016, entitled "A Bond Ordinance of the City of Binghamton New York, Adopted February 17, 2016, Authorizing Various Capital Improvements in and for the City, Stating the Estimated Maximum Cost for Such is $14,335,000, Appropriating Said Amount for Such Purpose and Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds of the City in the Principal Amount of Not to Exceed $14,335,000 to Finance Said Appropriation" and Permanent Resoultion 18-50, dated May 9, 2018, entitled "A Resolution Authorizing the City to Accept a $1,600,000 Grant From the Environmental Facilities Corporations Green Innovation Grant Program for the City Hall Green Roof Project" (the "Grant"); and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the Green Roof Project is $1,775,000, which exceeds the Grant amount by $175,000; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 Bond Ordinance provides for "K. Various City Hall Improvements," with an Estimated Maximum Cost of $750,000; and

WHEREAS, the amount of $175,000 is available from the 2016 Bond for Various City Hall Improvements to fund the balalnce of the costs for the Green Roof Project; and

WHEREAS, the Green Roof Project is a necessary improvement to City Hall and it is in the best interest of the City to use an exising bond to avoid additional costs and expenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Council of the City of Binghamton identifies that the costs of the Green Roof Project in excess of the Grant, $175,000, will be paid from the 2016 Bond for Various City Hall Improvements and that same is in the best interest of the City.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legal Counsel Approval _____

RL 20-65

Introductory No. __R20-25___

Permanent No. _____

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Date: March 18, 2020

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION
entitled
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT A NYS DCJS 2020 LIVESCAN GRANT PROGRAM LS20-1014-E00

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton is eligible for a NYS DCJS 2020 Livescan Equipment Grant Program LS20-1014-E00 in the amount of $7,800 for purchasing new Livescan equipment at a total cost of $15,600; and

WHEREAS, the Livescan Equipment Grant requires a local match of 50% of the total cost, the grant funds will be administered by the Chief of Police or his designee, the estimated start date is April 1, 2020, and the estimated date of completion is June 30, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE , the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, as may be necessary to accept a NYS DCJS 2020 Livescan Equipment Grant Program LS20-1014-E00 in the amount of $7,800 for purchasing new Livescan equipment, and be it further

RESOLVED that the local match in the amount of $7,800 shall be deducted from budget line A1680.52300 (Hardware Software), the Chief of Police, or his designee, shall be the grant project administrator, and the estimated date of completion is June 30, 2021.