

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF WEST READING, BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA REQUESTING A MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION FUND GRANT FROM DCED; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOROUGH MANAGER TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION FUND GRANT; TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS AND AGREEMENTS RELATED TO THE GRANT; AND TAKE ACTION TO ASSIST IN OBTAINING THE GRANT

WHEREAS, the Borough of West Reading ("Borough") is a municipal corporation organized, operating, and governed by the Borough Code, 8 Pa.C.S. § 101, et seq., as amended and supplemented; and

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to submit an application for a Multimodal Transportation Fund Grant in the amount of \$255,155 from the Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) to be used to upgrade existing curbing, sidewalks, and handicap ramp access along Ann Street in the Borough of West Reading; PA., the monies will assist the Borough in providing safe pedestrian foot traffic and updated ADA compliant ramps.

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to designate Dean Murray, Borough Manager as the Borough official authorized to execute all documents and agreements between the Borough of West Reading and DCED to facilitate and assist in obtaining the requested grant;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of West Reading, Berks County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

1. The Borough authorizes Dean Murray, Borough Manager, and Systems Design Engineering, Inc., Borough Engineer to apply for a Multimodal Transportation Fund grant in the amount of \$255,155 from the Commonwealth Financing Authority to be used for a curbing, sidewalk and ADA handicap ramp access improvement project.
2. The Borough further authorizes Dean Murray, Borough Manager, to execute all documents and agreements between the Borough of West Reading and the DCED, and Commonwealth Financing Authority to facilitate and assist in obtaining the requested grant.
3. This Resolution shall become effective and be in force immediately.

DULY ADOPTED this 20th day of June 2023, by the Borough Council of the Borough of West Reading, Berks County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

BOROUGH OF WEST READING

By: _____

Ryan Lineaweaver, Council President

Attest: _____

Cynthia Madeira, Borough Secretary

Examined and approved this 20th day of June 2023.

Samantha Kaag, Mayor