

RESOLUTION NO. 7, 2020

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THAT THE VILLAGE OF ST BERNARD WILL CONFIRM COMPLIANCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT GUIDELINES FOR HOW THE DISTRIBUTION OF CARE ACT FUNDS WILL BE USED AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, 116 Public Law 136, (the CARES Act) was signed into law by the President of the United States on March 27, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the Ohio General Assembly established a process for distributing funds provided by the "Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act" in H.B. 481 of the 133<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly (H.B. 481); and

**WHEREAS**, H.B. 481 requires subdivisions receiving funds under Section 1 of the act, to pass a resolution affirming that funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund may be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 601(d), and any applicable regulations before receiving said funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of St. Bernard is requesting its share of funds from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the Village Council of St. Bernard that the Village of St. Bernard affirms that all funds received from the County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund pursuant to H.B. 481 be expended only to cover costs of the subdivision consistent with the requirements of section 5001 of the CARES Act as described in 42 U.S.C. 601(d), and any applicable regulations and guidance only to cover expenses that:

- (1) Are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19);
- (2) Were not accounted for in St. Bernard's most recently approved budget as of March 27, 2020; and
- (3) Were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020, and ends on December 30, 2020.

**FURTHERMORE**, in compliance with H.B. 481, be it resolved by the Village Council of St. Bernard that the Village Auditor take all necessary action to:

- (1) On or before October 15, 2020, pay any unencumbered balance of money in the St. Bernard's local coronavirus relief fund to the County Treasurer;
- (2) On or before December 28, 2020, pay the balance of any money in the St. Bernard's local coronavirus relief fund to the state treasury in the manner prescribed by the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management; and
- (3) Provide any information related to any payments received under H.B. 481 to the Director of the Ohio Office of Budget and Management as requested.

Passed this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

Steve Aslakh  
President of Council

ATTEST:

M. Sue Rathman  
Clerk of Council

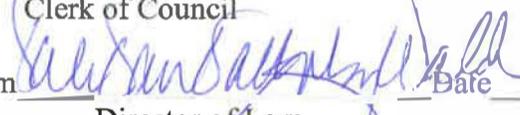
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Approved this 30th day of July, 2020.

  
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Mayor

I, M. SUE KATHMAN, CLERK OF COUNCIL, CITY OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF OHIO: DO HEREBY testify that the publication of Resolution No.7, 2020 was made by posting true copies of the same in the most public places designated by Council: St. Bernard Square Bus Stop; Vine Street and Washington Avenue; Bertus Street Park; Greenlee Avenue and Johnson Alley; Park on Heger Drive; each for a period of fifteen (15) days or more commencing 7.30, 2020.

ATTEST: M. Sue Kathman Date 7.30, 2020  
Clerk of Council

Approved as to form  Date 7.30, 2020  
Director of Law