

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-166

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE CLAYTON COUNTY TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF GEORGIA CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL TO PROVIDE HOUSING FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE CLAYTON COUNTY ACCOUNTABILITY COURTS PROGRAMS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND OTHERWISE TO PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO AMEND THE BUDGET TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE, ALL AS MAY BE REQUIRED; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Judicial Circuit is requesting authorization from the Board of Commissioners to apply for and, if awarded, accept ESG Cares grant award number A50-8-015 in the amount of \$10,000 (“Grant”) from the State of Georgia Criminal Justice Coordinating Council (“CJCC”); and

WHEREAS, there is no financial impact to the County as there is no local cash match required for this Grant; and

WHEREAS, the Grant funds will help provide stable housing through hotel/motel vouchers or direct payments for needy participants in the Clayton Judicial Circuit’s Driving Under the Influence, Drug, Veterans Treatment, and Behavior Health Accountability Courts (“Accountability Courts”); and

WHEREAS, the lack of safe and stable housing is a common obstacle for some needy Accountability Court participants successfully completing their respective programs, and this Grant, if awarded, will support the Accountability Courts in reducing barriers to safe, stable housing for program participants in Clayton County dealing with a substance use disorder whether it be drugs or alcohol; and

WHEREAS, the grant period is July 1, 2022, until June 30, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County and the County will best be served by accepting the grant funds, as described above.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF  
CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County (“County”) to apply for and, if awarded, accept grant funds in the amount of \$10,000.00 on behalf of the Clayton County Judicial Circuit, for the purpose of supporting needy participants in the various Clayton County Accountability Courts Programs with their housing needs. Housing needs for eligible participants will be met through hotel/motel vouchers or direct payments. There is no local cash match required from the County.

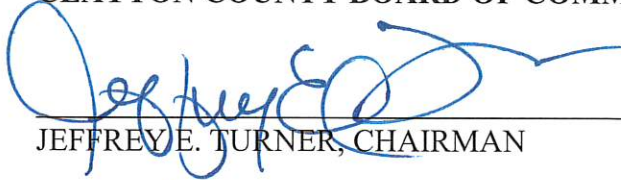
Section 2. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman to execute all necessary documents, and otherwise to perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

Section 3. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to amend the budget to reflect an appropriate revenue source and expense as necessary.

Section 4. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2022.

**CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

  
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