

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-189

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ALLOW CLAYTON COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NATIONAL NETWORKS OF LIBRARIES OF MEDICINE FOR AN ALL OF US AMBASSADOR AWARD TO PROMOTE HEALTH LITERACY IN THE COMMUNITY, EDUCATE CITIZENS ON THE BENEFITS OF CLINICAL TRIALS, AND OFFER TRAINING TO FIRST RESPONDERS ON NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE ANY DOCUMENTS RELATING THERETO AND TO OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Clayton County Library Services Department (the "Library") wishes to accept grant funds from the National Networks of Libraries of Medicine ("NNLM") for an ALL OF US Ambassador Award of \$19,000 to promote health literacy in the community, to educate citizens on the benefits of clinical trials, and to offer training to first responders on National Library of Medicine resources available for disaster preparedness; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the All of Us Ambassador Award is to support libraries for projects that improve health information and digital literacy, improve access to, awareness of, and skills to locate high quality biomedical and health information, and improve understanding and importance in participation of clinical trials, including All of Us through a train-the-trainer model; and

WHEREAS, the ambassador award will also support additional outreach to help train and empower NNLM Network Members particularly Public Libraries throughout Georgia; and

WHEREAS, an additional goal of the program is to have one million people participate in the study to learn differences between various members of the community so that researchers may use this information to lead to more precise treatments for disease and improve the health for everyone; and

WHEREAS, projects will provide awareness of All of Us, such as including the use of informational materials about All of Us in programming, events, classes and other activities offered as part of the project or distributing All of Us brochures to patrons; and

WHEREAS, the Library will also partner with local All of Us teams from Emory University School of Medicine, Morehouse School of Medicine and the Hispanic Health Coalition; and

WHEREAS, the grant funds will enable the Library to provide training in and awareness of Health Literacy; and

WHEREAS, the Board deems it in the best interest of the County and the County will best be served by accepting the grant funds for the stated purposes.

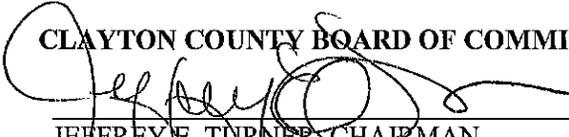
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County, on behalf of Clayton County Library Services Department, to accept grant funds from the National Networks of Libraries of Medicine for an ALL OF US Ambassador Award of \$19,000 to promote health literacy in the community, to educate citizens on the benefits of clinical trials, and to offer training to first responders on National Library of Medicine resources available for disaster preparedness. The Board also authorizes the Chairman to perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. Further, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to amend the budget to reflect appropriations and expenditures all as may be required.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

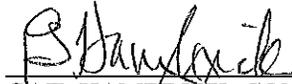
SO RESOLVED, this the 6 day of October, 2020.

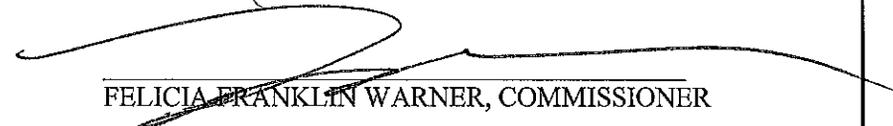
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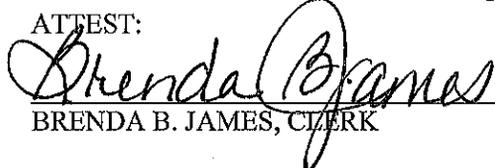
  
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BRENDA B. JAMES, CLERK