

*Village of Crooksville, Ohio*

**RESOLUTION NO. 34-2023**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURE FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN LOCAL FUND, FOR FOOD PANTRY**

**WHEREAS**, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 ("ARP"), a \$1.9 trillion economic COVID-19 stimulus package, was signed into law on March 11, 2021, to provide monetary relief to address the continued impact of COVID-19 on the economy, public health, state and local governments, individuals, and businesses; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Crooksville is a recipient of ARP funding as a non-entitlement unit of local government; and

**WHEREAS**, the Final Rule issued by the U.S. Department of the Treasury on January 7, 2022, provides that recipients including the Village of Crooksville can elect to use a Standard Allowance for revenue loss of up to ten million dollars, allowing the funds to be used for the provision of government services; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Resolution 29-22, the Village Council previously established the ARP Local Fund, to account for revenues and expenditures related to the funds received by the Village of Crooksville through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, in said Resolution 29-22 and subsequent Resolutions, the Village Council provided further for allocation of all funds received pursuant to the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 which were not previously allocated by the Village Council to revenue loss and elected the Standard Allowance as defined by the Final Rule, and provided further that all ARP funds received not previously allocated by the Village Council are to be expended for the provision of government services consistent with the requirements of the ARP and other applicable laws, regulations, and guidance; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village Council believes it will serve the welfare of the community to provide support in the form of a donation to the local food pantry.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Village Council of the Village of Crooksville, Perry County, State of Ohio, that:

**SECTION 1.** The Village of Crooksville, pursuant to the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 ("ARP"), shall expend the amount of \$2,500.00 of allocated ARP Funds to Love Thy Neighbor Food Pantry.

**SECTION 2.** The Village of Crooksville Fiscal Officer is hereby instructed and authorized to take the actions necessary to implement this Resolution and file the required reports of the ARP Funds received and expended.

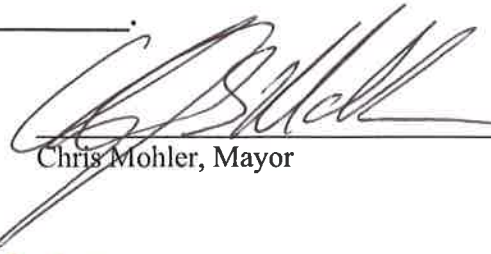
**SECTION 3.** This Resolution is effective at the earliest date allowed by law.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** April 3, 2023

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** April 17, 2023

**3<sup>rd</sup> Reading:** May 1, 2023

Passed: May 1, 2023

  
Chris Mohler, Mayor Date

ATTESTED:

Courtney Edwards 5/2/23  
Courtney Edwards, Fiscal Officer Date

APPROVED:

Bill Hampton 5/1/23  
Bill Hampton, Council President Date

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Billie Smith, Councilwoman Date

Fred Redfern 5/1/23  
Fred Redfern, Councilman Date

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R. Scott Locke, Councilman Date

John Loomis 5-1-23  
John Loomis, Councilman Date

Rodney Walters 05/01/23  
Rodney Walters, Councilman Date

**Posting Certification**

This Resolution was posted at the five prescribed locations within the Village of Crooksville, Ohio, on the 3rd day of May, 2023.

Courtney Edwards  
Courtney Edwards, Fiscal Officer