RESOLUTION 14-13. SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL AUTHORIZATION

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE ELIGIBILITY OF THE CITY OF CHERRYVALE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR USE OF SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS FUNDS SET FORTH BY MAP-21 FOR THE CARSON STREET SIDEWALK PROJECT IN CHERRYVALE, KANSAS AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION.

WHEREAS, the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, has the legal authority to apply for, receive, and administer federal, state, and other monies through Home Rule Power under the Constitution of the State of Kansas and authorized by K.S.A. 12-1662, regarding the expenditure of federal aid to public agencies; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, desires to submit an application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for Safe Routes to Schools funds set forth by MAP-21; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, is participating in the Kansas Department of Transportation's Safe Routes to Schools program set forth by MAP-21; and

WHEREAS, Federal monies are available under a Safe Routes to Schools program set forth by MAP-21, administered by the State of Kansas, Department of Transportation, for the purpose of creating safer routes to schools in Kansas; and

WHEREAS, after appropriate public input and due consideration, the Governing Body of City of Cherryvale, Kansas has recommended that an application be submitted to the State of Kansas for the Carson Street Sidewalk project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CHERRYVALE, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, does hereby authorize Mayor John Wright to submit an application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for Safe Routes to Schools program funds set forth by MAP-21 on behalf of the citizens of City of Cherryvale, Kansas.

SECTION 2. That the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that sufficient funding for the Carson Street Sidewalk project is available, as the Safe Routes to Schools Program is a reimbursement program.

SECTION 3. That the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that sufficient funding for the operation and maintenance of the Carson Street Sidewalk project will be available for the life of the project.

SECTION 4. That the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, will have title or permanent easement to the Carson Street Sidewalk project by the time of project letting, if necessary.

SECTION 5. That the CEO of City of Cherryvale, Kansas, is authorized to sign the application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for Safe Routes to Schools program funds set forth by MAP-21 on behalf of the citizens of City of Cherryvale, Kansas. The CEO is also authorized to submit additional information as may be required and act as the official representative of the City of Cherryvale in this and subsequent related activities.

SECTION 6. That the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Carson Street Sidewalk project is selected for funding, administer all activities involved with the Carson Street Sidewalk project.

ADOPTED AND PASSED by the Governing Body of the City of Cherryvale, Kansas, this July 7th, 2014.

ATTEST:

Christopher Weiner, City Clerk