

WELLS COUNTY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 2022-27

ORDINANCE APPROVING THE WELLS COUNTY RECORDER'S REQUEST TO PARTIALLY FUND RECORDER'S OFFICE SALARIES FROM THE RECORDER'S RECORDS PERPETUATION FUND

WHEREAS, The Wells County Recorder has submitted the sworn statement dated November 10, 2022 (See Exhibit A) to the Wells County Council, as the fiscal body of Wells County, as required in IC 36-2-7-10.2; and

WHEREAS, The Wells County Recorder requests that the Records Perpetuation Fund be used to pay the following payroll expenses of the Recorder's office in the calendar year 2023:

Clerical Assistance	\$ 18,000
Social Security	\$ <u>2,415</u>
Total	\$ 20,415

WHEREAS, IC 36-2-7-10.2(b)(2) requires that the Wells County Council approve sufficient money from the Records Perpetuation Fund but not in excess of the amount requested by the County Recorder.

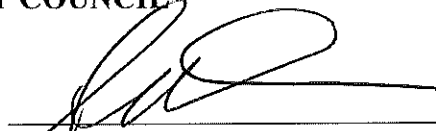
NOW, THEREFORE, The Wells County Council approves the use of the Records Perpetuation fund to cover the above named payroll expenses of the Wells County Recorder's Office for the 2023 calendar year.

DULY PASSED and ADOPTED on this 6th day of December, 2022, by the Wells County Council, as fiscal body of Wells County, Indiana.

WELLS COUNTY COUNCIL



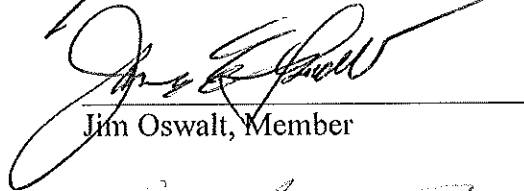
Steve Huggins, President



Seth Whicker, Vice President



Todd Mahnensmith, Member



Jim Oswald, Member



Chuck King, Member



Scott Elzey, Member



Vicki Andrews
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ATTEST:

Lisa McCormick
Lisa McCormick, Auditor
Wells County, Indiana

This instrument was prepared by Carolyn Bertsch.
I affirm, under penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to redact each Social Security number in this document, unless required by law. Carolyn Bertsch

Exhibit A

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF WELLS

AFFIDAVIT

I, Carolyn Bertsch, after first being duly sworn upon my oath, state as follows:

I am the duly elected Recorder of Wells County, Indiana.

The Recorder's Perpetuation Fund (RPF) is an unappropriated fund for the purpose of preservation of records and is in the control of the County Recorder.

The current revenue to the RPF is sufficient to fulfill the statutory purpose of the fund.

The technology of the county Recorder's office is presently updated and at a level to sufficiently meet the statutory purposes of the fund and the county Recorder's office.

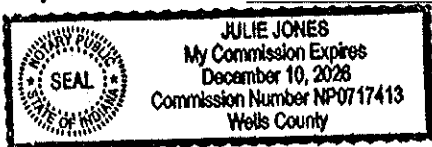
I am specifically requesting the sum of \$20415 of the RPF be used to supplement the payment of payroll expenses of the county recorder's office for 2023.

Carolyn Bertsch, Wells County Recorder

State of Indiana, Wells County, ss:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, this 10 day of Nov, 2022 did personally appear, Carolyn Bertsch, Wells County Recorder, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing affidavit. In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal.

My Commission Expires: 12-10-2026
County of Residence: Wells



Carolyn Bertsch
Signature

Carolyn Bertsch
Printed Name

Prepared by: Carolyn Bertsch, Recorder

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