

RESOLUTION NO. 7569

A RESOLUTION introduced by Councilmembers Jeff Preisner and Clark Duffy requesting that the \$504,372 realized in FY2004 from City of Topeka Project 12051-00 (1996 Rehab Kansas Avenue Bridge Deck) be used to fund the costs associated with the transition to the Council-Manager form of government.

WHEREAS, on January 3, 2005, Administration furnished members of the Public Health and Safety Committee the following memorandum from Accounting staff regarding City of Topeka Project 12051-00 (1996 Rehab Kansas Avenue Bridge Deck):

Project 12051-00 (96) Rehab Kansas Avenue Bridge Dick) is ready to close and has excess county-wide ¼ cent sales tax revenues. The project was originally authorized to use General Obligation Bonds to finance. The Council changed the financing from General Obligation Bonds to the county-wide ¼ cent sales tax revenue in 1996, after it was determined there would be excess revenue from the required projects. It was determined to use temporary notes to finance the project from 1996 – 2003. Sales tax revenue for this project was received from 2000 – 2002 in the amount of \$6,927,514. The City was unable to close this project, due to the sales tax dollars getting held up in pending litigation. The case was recently settled. The final cost of the project, including financing costs, is \$6,423,142, leaving a remaining amount of \$504,372 to be returned to the General Fund. It has also been confirm with Mary Beth Mudrick, Legal, that the amount is not required to go to any other projects, and can be moved to the General Fund.

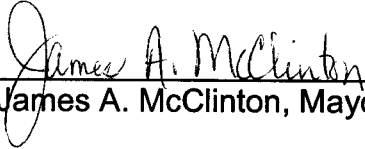
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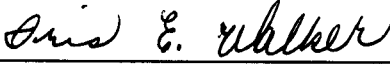
WHEREAS, funding must be made available for costs associated with staffing, office space renovation, executive search firm services, interviewing process of city manager candidates, and all other costs that may arise due to the transition to the Council-Manager form of government.

37 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
38 TOPEKA, KANSAS, that the City Council requests the \$504,372 realized in FY2004
39 from City of Topeka Project 12051-00 (1996 Rehab Kansas Avenue Bridge Deck) be
40 used to fund the costs associated with the transition to the Council-Manager form of
41 government.

42 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any unspent funds shall be returned to
43 the General Fund.

44 ADOPTED and APPROVED by the City Council JAN 18 2005.

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48 James A. McClinton, Mayor

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50 Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
DATE 1/12/05 BY FL

