RESOLUTION NO. __________

A RESOLUTION TO REALLOCATE THE 2020 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT-CV FUNDS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CENTRAL ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT COUNSEL FOR ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($100,000.00); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, in Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,170 (February 18, 2020), the Board of Directors approved the sources and uses of 2020 Community Development Block Grant Funds from the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); and,

WHEREAS, in Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,211 (April 28, 2020), the Board of Directors approved additional sources and uses of 2020 Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus ("CDBG-CV") Funds from HUD; and,

WHEREAS, the Urban League was to receive One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) of the 2020 CDBG-CV for public service activities; and,

WHEREAS, the Urban League failed to enter into an agreement with the City of Little Rock to expend said funds; and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary to reallocate the CDBG-CV Funds which the Board of Directors approved for the Urban League from a public service activity to the Central Arkansas Development Council for rental assistance; and,

WHEREAS, this reallocation of funds will not change the total 2020 Budget of the CDBG-CV Funds which is One Million, Eight Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand, Five Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars ($1,895,526.00).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) of the 2020 Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus Funds from the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development, monitored by the Housing & Neighborhood Programs Department, shall be reallocated from the Urban League from a public service activity to the Central Arkansas Development Council for rental assistance.

Section 2. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Central Arkansas Development Council in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).
Section 3. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this resolution is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution which shall remain in full force and effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the resolution.

Section 4. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

ADOPTED: April 6, 2021

ATTEST:                        APPROVED:

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Susan Langley, City Clerk        Frank Scott, Jr., Mayor

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney