Resolution 2021-05

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION AND SUPPORT OF AN APPLICATION TO FEMA FOR THE STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE GRANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the <u>Federal Emergency Management Agency</u> administers the <u>Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant Program</u>; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Swanton desires to seek funding assistance through the <u>AFG</u> for <u>Workshop, Training, and Coaching for Continuous Organizational Improvement of Swanton Fire</u> at the Village of Swanton, Fulton County, Ohio.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Village of Swanton, Fulton County, Ohio, three-fourths of the members elected thereto concurring and as follows:

Section One. That the Council of the Village of Swanton supports Mr. Rudy Ruiz filing an application, on behalf of the Village of Swanton, for financial grant assistance through the <u>Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response Grant Program</u> and, if funded, entering into the required grant Agreements.

Section Two. The <u>Fire Chief</u> is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file any documents associated with said regional grant application to <u>FEMA</u> and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for funding assistance to execute any and all other documents necessary to effectuate this designation.

Section Three. That this Council agrees to obligate the funds required to apply for the project. This Council reserves the right to reassess moving forward with the project if 100% of the funds are unsuccessfully achieved through the SAFER Grant Program.

Section Four. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Village Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Village Council, and that all deliberations of this Village Council and of any of its committees that

resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section Five: That this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the village peace, health and safety; wherefore this resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon passage.

Motion to Suspend the Rules

Moved: Rochelle

Second: Westhoven

YEAS: 6

NAYS: 0

Vote on Passage

Moved: Rochelle

Second: Westhoven

YEAS: 6

NAYS: 0

Date of Passage: March 8, 2021

Neil Toeppe, Mayor

Attest:

I, Jennifer Harkey, Fiscal Officer of the Village of Swanton, do hereby certify that this is a true and accurate copy of Resolution 2021-05, passed on March 8, 2021.

Jennifer Harkey, Fiscal Office