

COUNCIL BILL NO. 2022-609**ORDINANCE NO.**

AN ORDINANCE approving the applications of MO-KAN Dragway for marketing 2024 race events, Midwestern Built CrossFit for Monster Games, Joplin Disc Golf Club for the 19th Annual Four States Open, Mother Road Mayhem for the Mother Road Mayhem truck show, Joplin Esports Booster Club, for their Eagles Lair III and Eagles Lair IV, Twin Hills Golf and Country Club for the NJCAA (National Junior College Athletic Association) Men's Division 2 Golf National Championship, and the American Youth Golf Association Tournament, Ozark Christian College for marketing their 2024 conference series, Active Lifestyle Events Inc. for the 2024 Joplin Memorial Run, Heartland Concert Band for Community Band Outdoor Picnic, North Heights Neighborhood for North Heights Porchfest 2024, Neosho Arts Council for ArtCon 2024, Historic Murphysburg Preservation, Inc for a tour booklet for Murphysburg Historic Places, JOMO Pride, Inc. for JOMO PrideFest, Emancipation Celebration Committee for the 2024 Emancipation Celebration, and the Freedom of Flight Museum for a 2024 Marketing Campaign for utilization of FY2024 Festivals and Celebrations support pursuant to Ordinance No. 2000-148, as authorized by the voters on November 7, 2000; authorizing the City Manager to execute appropriate agreements with each such organization for the utilization of such funds and containing an emergency clause.

WHEREAS, the voters of the City of Joplin approved an increase in the Occupational License Tax for transient sleeping accommodations at an election held on November 7, 2000; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 2000-148, a portion of said funds are to be utilized for festivals or celebrations intended to attract visitors from the region to the City and other related activities in the City; and,

WHEREAS, the Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board established an application procedure and reviewed the applications of numerous organizations, and have recommended to the Council those certain festivals, celebrations, events, and attractions be funded utilizing a portion of said proceeds; and,

WHEREAS, after having a Public Hearing thereon, as required by said ordinance, the Council of the City of Joplin desires to utilize a portion of the proceeds from said tax in accordance with the recommendations of the Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, as follows:

Section 1. That the applications of Marketing for the 2024 Racing Season, MO-KAN Dragway, 2024 Marketing Campaign, in the amount of Six Thousand dollars (\$6,000); Monster Games 2024, Midwestern Built CrossFit, July 26-28, 2024, in the amount of Fourteen Thousand dollars (\$14,000); 19th Annual Four States Open, Joplin Disc Golf Club, September 27-29, 2024, in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$3,500); Mother Road Mayhem truck show, Mother Road Mayhem, May 3-5, 2024, in the amount of Seven Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$7,500); Eagles Lair III and Eagles

Lair IV, February 10-11 and August 31-September 1, 2024 respectively, by the Joplin Esports Booster Club (Joplin High School), in the amount of Three Thousand dollars (\$3,000) each; the NJCAA (National Junior College Athletic Association) Men's Division 2 Golf National Championship, and the American Youth Golf Association Tournament, May 19-24 and August 7-11, 2024 respectively, both by Twin Hills Golf and Country Club, in the amount of Five Thousand dollars (\$5,000) each; Marketing Campaign, Ozark Christian College, 2024 Conference Series, in the amount of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$17,500); Joplin Memorial Run, Active Lifestyle Events Inc., May 17-18, 2024, in the amount of Five Thousand dollars (\$5,000); Community Band Outdoor Picnic, Heartland Concert Band, June 22, 2024, in the amount of Two Thousand dollars (\$2,000); North Heights Porchfest, North Heights Neighborhood, October 4-5, 2024, in the amount of Two Thousand dollars (\$2,000); ArtCon 2024, Neosho Arts Council, February 3, 2024, in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$3,500); Historic Places Tour Booklet of Murphysburg, Historic Murphysburg Preservation, Inc., Marketing Project 2024, in the amount of Three Thousand dollars (\$3,000); JOMO PrideFest, JOMO Pride, Inc., September 6-8, 2024, in the amount of Eight Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$8,500); Emancipation Celebration, Emancipation Celebration Committee, August 2-4, 2024, in the amount of Three Thousand dollars (\$3,000), and Museum Promotions, Freedom of Flight Museum, marketing project 2024, in the amount of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$3,250) for utilization of FY2024 Festivals and Celebrations support pursuant to Ordinance No. 2000-148, as authorized by the voters on November 7, 2000, be and the same are hereby approved.

Section 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute appropriate Agreements, by and on behalf of the City of Joplin, with each said organization for the expenditure of said funds in accordance with the recommendation of the Joplin Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board and, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2000-148.

Section 3. This Ordinance is declared by the City Council to be an emergency within this meaning of Section 2.12 (4) of the Home Rule Charter of the City of Joplin, Missouri, in order to continue the day-to-day operations of the City and, as such, shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this _____ day

of _____, 2023, by a _____ vote.

Douglas W. Lawson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Holly Nagy, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney

I hereby certify that sufficient funding is available in the CVB Fund, Accounts No. 105-4080-560-7505, to pay the grant amounts awarded.

Leslie Haase, Director of Finance