RESOLUTION NO. 30259

RESOLUTION **AUTHORIZING** THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, AS HOST FOR THE 2020 TENNESSEE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE (TML) CONFERENCE TO BE HELD BETWEEN JUNE 27-30, 2020, TO ACCEPT DONATIONS AND PAY THE DIFFERENCE OF THOSE DONATIONS FOR A TOTAL PROJECT COST UP TO THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$30,000.00) TO FUND AND TO ORGANIZE THE HOST CITY RECEPTION ON SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2020 IN ITS RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE THE VENUE, BEVERAGES, HEAVY HORS D'OEUVRES, ENTERTAINMENT, AND MEMENTO FOR EACH OF THE ANTICIPATED EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY (850) ATTENDEES.

WHEREAS, the City of Chattanooga is the Host City for the 2020 Tennessee Municipal League (TML) Conference to be held between June 27-30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the TML is a voluntary, cooperative organization established by the cities and towns of the State for mutual assistance and improvement. The League's primary function is to work with the Tennessee General Assembly on behalf of city governments, promoting legislation helpful to cities and opposing legislation harmful to cities; and

WHEREAS, as the Host City for the 2020 annual TML conference, the City of Chattanooga is responsible to fund and organize a Host City Reception on Sunday, June 28, 2020; and

WHEREAS, as the Host City, the City of Chattanooga is responsible to provide the venue, beverages, heavy hors d'oeuvres, entertainment, and memento for each of the anticipated eight hundred fifty (850) attendees; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor's office will be responsible for contacting local small businesses and community partners for in-kind donations to offset potential hard costs; and

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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CHATTANOOGA CITY

COUNCIL is hereby authorizing the City of Chattanooga, as Host City for the 2020 Tennessee

Municipal League (TML) Conference to be held between June 27-30, 2020, to accept donations and pay

the difference of those donations for a total project cost up to \$30,000.00 to fund and to organize the Host

City Reception on Sunday, June 28, 2020 in its responsibility to provide the venue, beverages, heavy hors

d'oeuvres, entertainment, and memento for each of the anticipated eight hundred fifty (850) attendees.

Permission is hereby granted to the Mayor's office to accept donations to offset hard

costs for this conference. Any unused funds will be returned to the General Fund.

ADOPTED: March 03, 2020

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