## **RESOLUTION 2020-004**

## BEFORE THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OR THE TOWN OF BLUFF CITY, TENNESSEE

"A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF BLUFF CITY TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDS THROUGH THE MULTIMODAL ACCESS PROGRAM BY THE **TENNESSEE** DEPARTMENT TRANSPORTATION CONSTRUCT A OF TO SIDEWALK AND FOUR CROSSWALKS ALONG BLUFF CITY HIGHWAY TO PROVIDE FOR THE SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS AT AN ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST OF \$745,286.50 WITH A **REQUIRED 5% MATCH BEING PROVIDED BY THE TOWN OF BLUFF** CITY AT A COST OF \$37,264.33."

WHEREAS, the Town of Bluff City is committed to constructing sidewalks to ensure the safety of pedestrians; and

WHEREAS, the lack of sidewalks along Bluff City Highway (State Route 390 & 44) creates a dangerous situation for pedestrians who are currently forced to walk along the shoulder of this busy road; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Bluff City proposes to construct a sidewalk along Bluff City Highway between Town Hall and Bluff City Park to include four crosswalks with associated warning signage and flashing beacons at four key locations to create a safe route of passage for pedestrians.

WHEREAS, TDOT Multimodal Access funds can be used to provide the necessary funds to construct these facilities; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the project is \$745,286.50 with proposed funding of \$708,022.18 from Multimodal Access funds, and the remaining \$37,264.33 to be provided by the Town of Bluff City.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Mayor and Alderman of the Town of Bluff City to submit an application for Multimodal Access funds.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor is authorized to enter into any and all necessary agreements and assurances to implement this application and project.

Adopted this 307/klay of October, 2020.

Well By: 💆 Irene Wells, Mayor

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