

RESOLUTION 1934

REQUESTING REIMBURSEMENT FROM THE IOWA COVID-19 GOVERNMENT RELIEF FUND

A resolution by the City of West Branch to request reimbursement for eligible costs related to the COVID-19 public health emergency from the Iowa COVID-19 Government Relief Fund.

WHEREAS, the United States Congress approved the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act to provide economic relief related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

WHEREAS, Governor Kim Reynolds allocated \$125 million of the State of Iowa's CARES Act funding to local governments for direct expenses incurred in response to the COVID-19 emergency.

WHEREAS, local government funding reimbursements may only be used for necessary expenditures incurred due to the COVID-19 pandemic, were not accounted for in the current fiscal year city budget, were incurred during the time period of March 1, 2020 through December 30, 2020 and have not been reimbursed from other sources.

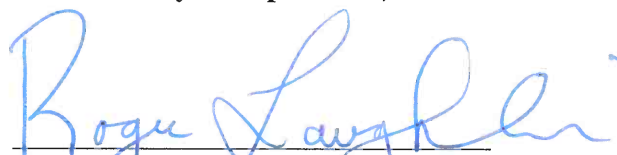
WHEREAS, the City of West Branch requests reimbursement of \$59,226 in eligible expenditures in response to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of West Branch affirms that the above requests for reimbursement follow all formal published Federal and State of Iowa guidance on how the funds should be spent, and understand if the reimbursements are misrepresented, the local government will be liable for any applicable penalty and interest.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of West Branch, Iowa, that the aforementioned resolution is hereby approved. Further, the Mayor is directed to execute the agreements on behalf of the City.

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Passed and approved this 14th day of September, 2020.



Roger Laughlin, Mayor

ATTEST:



Redmond Jones II, City Administrator / Clerk