

RESOLUTION #23-002

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PREPARATION AND SUBMITTAL OF AN APPLICATION TO THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (LDH), OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, (OPH) AGENCY FOR THE DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND ("DWSRF") LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT GRANT

WHEREAS, the [Town of Homer] is eligible to receive funding from the United States Environmental Protection Agency for the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Lead Service Line Replacement Grant; and

WHEREAS, funding is available for the complete service line replacement which is an eligible DWSRF expense with said funding being provided from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law which has invested \$3 billion dollars towards Lead Service Line Replacement; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer] deem it in the best interest of the [Town of Homer] and its citizens to seek and apply for the grants.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer] hereby authorizes and directs EJES to make proper application to the LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (LDH) Office of Public Health (OPH) Agency for the Lead Service Line Replacement funding and further, that.

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer] authorize EJES as the official designee and applicant's agent', and authorize them to make proper on-line application to the LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (LDH) Office of Public Health (OPH) and that Grant Administrator and/or the designee be authorized to assist with the application; and
2. The Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer], Louisiana, be authorized to accept the EPA funding, if awarded; and
3. The Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer], Louisiana be authorized to execute said funding offer, funding agreement, and other documents that may of necessity, be executed in the implementation of this initiative and that the Grant Administrator and/or the designee be authorized to administer and implement the funding.

RESOLVED, this 8th day of May 2023.




Mayor



Council

ATTEST:



Town Clerk

CERTIFICATE

I, [Shenika Wright], the duly appointed, qualified and acting Town Clerk and lawful custodian of the Minutes of The Mayor and The Council of the [Town of Homer] and Seal of said Town, certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of a Resolution Adopted by the Mayor and Council of the [Town of Homer] at an Adjourned Board Meeting held on Monday, **May8, 2023**.

WITNESS my signature and official seal of office this **8th** day of May, 2023.


Town Clerk