

**A RESOLUTION OF THE GREENE COUNTY LEGISLATIVE BODY TO
AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY MAYOR TO MAKE AND SIGN AN APPLICATION
FOR COMMUNITY BLOCK GRANT FUNDS FOR FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT**

WHEREAS, the Greene County Commission recognizes the need to provide firefighting equipment to volunteer fire departments in Greene County; and

WHEREAS, Greene County does not have the financial resources to provide this equipment without the assistance of grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the Greene County Commission understands that the Tennessee Small Cities' Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program provides assistance to counties for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code annotated Section 8-4-401 authorizes cities and counties to use the CDBG program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Greene County Commission, meeting in regular session on the 21 day of March, 2022, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, hereby authorizes the County Mayor to make and sign an application requesting Fiscal Year 2022 Community Development Block Grant funds in an amount up to \$420,000 to assist in the purchase of firefighting equipment.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that after taking the four percent (4%) decrease allowed for Three-Star communities, Greene County will provide the local match of at least 15% of the project cost;

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.

Budget and Finance

Sponsor

County Clerk

County Mayor

Roger C. Wolsky
County Attorney

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