## **RESOLUTION NO.**

## RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JOLIET AND CASSENS TRANSPORT COMPANY FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL MAINTENANCE

**WHEREAS**, the City of Joliet, Illinois (the "City") is a duly organized and existing municipal corporation created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, Cassens Transport Company is a local company which benefits from the traffic signals at the specified locations; and

**WHEREAS**, the City seeks to improve and maintain traffic control systems in this community to keep residents safe and the business environment vibrant; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties have agreed that it is in the best interests of everyone to share in the cost of signal maintenance; and

**WHEREAS,** the City is a home rule unit of local government and Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970 provides that "except as limited by this Section, a home rule unit may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs," which includes the power and authority to enter into agreements with other parties.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOLIET, PURSUANT TO ITS HOME RULE AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY, AS FOLLOWS:

**<u>SECTION 1</u>**: The Mayor and City Council hereby find that the recitals contained in the remainder of this Resolution are true, correct and complete and are hereby incorporated into this Resolution by reference.

**<u>SECTION 2</u>**: The Mayor and the City Council hereby find and determine that it is necessary and beneficial to the City of Joliet to enter into an Agreement with Cassens Transport Company.

**<u>SECTION 3</u>**: The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement, which is substantially the same as Exhibit 1 attached hereto and incorporated herein. The City Manager is authorized to take such action as may be necessary for the City to comply with the terms thereof.

**SECTION 4**: This Resolution shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

**<u>SECTION 5</u>**: All resolutions or parts of Resolutions conflicting with any of the provisions of this Resolution are hereby repealed.

**<u>SECTION 6</u>**: Be it further resolved that the passage of this Resolution be inscribed permanently in the records of the proceedings of the Joliet City Council.

**PASSED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025