

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF WILL AND THE CITY OF JOLIET FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDING FOR WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS IN THE SOUTHEAST JOLIET SANITARY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 10, of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970 provides that units of local government may contract or otherwise associate among themselves to obtain or share services and to exercise, combine or transfer any power or function in any manner not prohibited by law or by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Intergovernmental Cooperation Act (Illinois Compiled Statutes, Chapter 5, Section 220/1 et seq.) authorizes municipalities to exercise jointly with any public agency of the State, any power, privilege, or authority which may be exercised by a unit of local government individually, and to enter into contracts for the performance of governmental services, activities, and undertakings; and

WHEREAS, there exists in the unincorporated area of the County commonly known as the Southeast Joliet Sanitary District, the need for various public improvements to the potable water system and sanitary sewer collection system, for which there is an urgent need; and

WHEREAS, the City of Joliet entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Southeast Joliet Sanitary District to acquire, own and operate the Southeast Joliet Sanitary District water and sewer system; and

WHEREAS, the County of Will entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement with the City of Joliet, providing \$15,685,285.00 over ten years to address immediate improvements to the current system and transfer the water source from District wells to City of Joliet; and

WHEREAS, the parties have determined that a joint approach to system rehabilitation would be most beneficial to the residents of Southeast Joliet Sanitary District; and

WHEREAS, the County has committed to providing \$420,000 to fund completion of the project by the City via \$420,000 in Program Year 2025 CDBG capital improvement funds awarded to the City of Joliet through annual application of County CDBG funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOLIET, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The Mayor and City Council hereby find that the recitals contained in this Resolution are true, correct and complete and are hereby incorporated into this Section by reference.

SECTION 2: The Subrecipient Agreement between the City of Joliet and County of Will is hereby approved in a form substantially similar to Exhibit A attached to and incorporated in this Resolution.

SECTION 3: The City Manager is authorized to execute the Subrecipient Agreement on behalf of the City of Joliet.

SECTION 4: Each section and part thereof of this Resolution is deemed to be severable and should any section or part hereof be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such ruling shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portion(s) of this Resolution.

SECTION 5: All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict with the terms of this Resolution are hereby repealed and of no further force and effect to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 6: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

PASSED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

VOTING YES: _____

VOTING NO: _____

NOT VOTING: _____