

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FROM THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY LEGACY FUND.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Wayne has created the City of Fort Wayne Community Legacy Fund to invest in projects that will have a collective impact that leads to transformational change within the community, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Wayne through the Legacy process has received unprecedented public input from across the community and has worked with citizens, business leaders and elected officials to develop implementation priorities, and;

**WHEREAS**, each Legacy project provides our community with an opportunity to make our City stronger and better positioned for growth, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Wayne experienced an unusually harsh 2013-2014 winter which resulted in unexpected costs, and;

**WHEREAS**, when unanticipated, unbudgeted or extraordinary expenses occur either the Mayor or Council may propose access to funding directly through legislation as outlined in the Legacy Funding Program Review Policy and Application Process passed by City Council on Tuesday, August 26, 2014, and;

**WHEREAS**, an application for federal funds due to extreme weather conditions and extraordinary expenses incurred last winter for reimbursement has been filed through the Department of Homeland Security, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City incurred approximately \$2.5 million in winter costs or \$2.0 million over the 2014 budget;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:**

**SECTION 1.** The City of Fort Wayne Common Council hereby authorizes the Board of Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne Community Legacy Fund to distribute funds to the following projects:

**2013-2014 Winter Costs**

Funds in the amount of \$2,200,000 to cover costs resulting from 2013-2014 winter, including \$200,000 for November-December 2014 estimated costs.

Any reimbursement of costs by State or Federal Agencies will be used to reimburse the Community Legacy Fund.

**SECTION 2.** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

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Council Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

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Carol Helton, City Attorney