

Resolution No. 1-23

**TOWN OF MONTAGLE
2023 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT-BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION
FIRE EQUIPMENT PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the Town of Montagle supports the provision of essential basic services, such as fire protection, to residents of the town and wants its residents to benefit from improved ISO ratings and continued excellent fire protection services provided by the Town of Montagle Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Montagle Fire Department equipment needs include: a Fire Truck Skid Unit, a Cascade System, turnout gear, a commercial-grade Gear Extractor, chain saws, and other fire department tools; and

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development has competitive grant funds for which local governments may apply to meet essential community needs such as fire protection; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Montagle can apply for these Community Development Block Grant-Public Health & Safety funds, to better protect the people and property in the town, through improved fire protection; and

WHEREAS, since Grundy County and Montagle are members of the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development's Three-Star Economic & Community Development Program, the Town of Montagle is eligible to apply for up to \$420,000 in CDBG funds and is eligible for the Three Star 4% discount towards the required local match,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Town of Montagle authorizes the Mayor to submit an application, including all the understandings and assurances contained therein, to the State of Tennessee, Department of Economic and Community Development for Community Development Block Grant funding not to exceed \$420,000 and is committed to provide the 13% in local matching funds to complete the project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, if said application is approved, the Mayor is hereby authorized to accept on behalf of the Town of Montagle said Community Development Block Grant, execute any and all documents and enter into agreements necessary for the successful application and award of the grant and to enter into a project administration agreement with the Southeast Tennessee Development District, subject to ECD approval.

Passed 3-27 2023

Greg Mahloof, Mayor

ATTEST:

Debbie Taylor
Town Recorder,
Debbie Taylor