

AGENDA
May 21, 2019

Subject: Community Development Grant

Department: Administration

The attached resolution supports the application for a USDA Economic Development Grant. The grant represents a partnership between the City of Nevada, Vernon County, Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission, and the USDA to fund an economic development position for Nevada and Vernon County.

RESOLUTION NO. 1531

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEVADA, MISSOURI TO SHOW SUPPORT FOR THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE CITY OF NEVADA, KAYSINGER BASIN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION, THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION, AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE PROGRAM TO CREATE AND FUND A COUNTYWIDE AND REGIONALLY AFFILIATED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT POSITION.

WHEREAS, The City of Nevada recognizes the need to create a fulltime economic development position in cooperation with local and regional partners to benefit the City of Nevada and all of Vernon County.

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Agriculture through its Rural Community Development Initiative Program makes grant funds available in support of such a position for a term of three years and Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission has successfully deployed this program within the region.

WHEREAS, If the grant application is successful contributions from participating agencies would be used in conjunction with grant funds to support the newly created economic development position.

WHEREAS, The City of Nevada recognizes that its contribution would not exceed twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) annually subject to appropriation by the City Council for each fiscal year the grant is active.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Nevada, Missouri that this Resolution is hereby approved.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, by the City Council of the City of Nevada, Missouri, this 21st day of May, 2019.

George Knox, Mayor

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ATTEST:

Johnna Williams, City Clerk