



Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission

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RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZATION TO APPLY AND ADMINISTER THE SOUTHEAST CRESCENT REGIONAL COMMISSION LOCAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT CAPACITY BUILDING GRANT

WHEREAS, the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission (“TJPDC”) is the Planning District Commission serving the City of Charlottesville and Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa and Nelson counties, known together as Planning District 10; and

WHEREAS, the Southeast Crescent Regional Commission (SCRC) was created by the 2008 U.S. Farm Bill to be an economic development partnership agency of the United States government and the seven state governments of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the SCRC creates Local Development Districts within the seven states to assist and service projects that will ensure the economic development and sustainable growth of communities, especially in economically distressed counties and isolated areas of distress; and

WHEREAS, the TJPDC qualifies to be a Local Development District of the SCRC with the ability to apply for Capacity Building funding to be utilized to assist local governments, state agencies, and community groups to recognize, apply for funding, and implement infrastructure projects to help alleviate the financial and economic distress of the identified jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, the TJPDC intends to apply for SCRC Capacity Building funding in the maximum amount available to the Planning District 10 region for supporting the professional development and education, application, and implementation of future SCRC local government infrastructure grants.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission that it hereby authorizes the TJPDC Executive Director to apply for SCRC Capacity Building grants and to execute applications and agreements and to complete any further actions necessary to administer these funds.

Adopted by the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission at its duly called meeting on September 7, 2023, in the City of Charlottesville, Virginia, a quorum being present.

Christine Jacobs, Executive Director
Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission

Ned Gallaway, Commission Chair
Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission

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