

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A WORKERS' COMPENSATION LUMP SUM PETITION AND ORDER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$58,185 (GEOFFREY GUZINSKI).

WHEREAS, the City of DeKalb (the "City") is a home rule unit of local government and may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the City's corporate authorities find that approving the Workers' Compensation settlement pursuant to this Resolution is in the City's best interests for the protection of the public health, safety, and welfare; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEKALB, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1: The City's corporate authorities approve, authorize, direct and ratify the City Manager or his designee to execute a lump sum petition and order to settle the pending Workers' Compensation Claim of Geoffrey Guzinski that entails the payment of all outstanding medical bills associated with his injury and the payment of a permanent partial disability lump sum payment in the amount of Fifty-Eight Thousand One Hundred and Eighty-Five Dollars (\$58,185.00), subject to approval by the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission ("IWCC"), and to take such actions as may be necessary to effect this settlement.

SECTION 2: This resolution and each of its terms shall be the effective legislative act of a home rule municipality without regard to whether such resolution should (a) contain terms contrary to the provision of current or subsequent non-preemptive state law, or (b) legislate in a manner or regarding a matter not delegated to municipalities by state law. It is the intent of the City's corporate authorities that to the extent that the terms of this resolution should be inconsistent with any non-preemptive state law, this resolution shall supersede state law in that regard within its jurisdiction.

SECTION 3: This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of DeKalb, Illinois at a Regular meeting thereof held on the 23rd day of May 2022 and approved by me as Mayor on the same day. Passed by an 8-0 roll call vote under the Consent Agenda. Aye: Morris, Larson, Smith, Perkins, McAdams, Verbic, Faivre, Barnes. Nay: None.




COHEN BARNES, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ruth A. Scott, Executive Assistant