

RESOLUTION NO. 20220111

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA TO
SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TENNESSEE
DOWNTOWNS PROGRAM, A DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION
EDUCATION AND GRANT PROGRAM OFFERED BY THE TENNESSEE
MAIN STREET PROGRAM AND THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF
ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Downtowns program has been created to help communities fully understand what it takes to embark on a comprehensive revitalization effort for downtown through a 24-month education and grant process; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development will be selecting Tennessee cities to participate in the Tennessee Downtowns program based on a competitive application process;

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Alexandria that the Town:

Endorses the submission of this application and agrees to participate in the Tennessee Downtowns program if selected; and

Endorses the goal of economic revitalization of the downtown within the context of the preservation and rehabilitation of its historic buildings; and

Endorses the Downtown Revitalization Steering Committee members participation in all required meetings/training sessions for the Tennessee Downtowns program; and

Endorses the Smithville-DeKalb County Chamber of Commerce as the non-profit organization to house the Downtown Revitalization Steering Committee and serve as the financial conduit for associated grants.

PASSED AND RESOLVED, this _____ day of _____ 2022.

Bennett Armstrong, Mayor
Town Of Alexandria

Town Recorder