## RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY COUNTY OF CAMDEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

#R 243 -2021

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING APPROVAL OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES TO ESTABLISH A DEDICATED TRUST BY RIDER FOR UNIFORM FIRE SAFETY ACT PENALTY MONIES (NJSA 52:27D-192 et seq)

WHEREAS, Permission is required of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services for approval as a dedication by rider of revenues received by a municipality when the revenue is not subject to reasonable accurate estimates; and

WHEREAS, the City receives penalties from various sources for the Uniform Fire Safety Act Penalties to provide for reimbursement of specified expenses within the City; and

WHEREAS, these penalties shall only be used for proper expenses within the City; and

WHEREAS, NJS 40:12-15.2 provides for DEDICATED REVENUES by the municipality to provide for the operating costs to administer this act; and

WHEREAS, the allowance of a Dedication by Rider for the collection and expenditure of said funds would provide for a more orderly method of accounting for said funds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Committee of the City of Gloucester, County of Camden, that in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-39 the dedication of funds collected as penalty fees dedicated for fire safety within the City are hereby anticipated as revenue and are hereby appropriated for the purpose to which said revenue is dedicated by statute or other legal requirement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Gloucester, in the County of Camden hereby request permission of the Director of Local Government Services to pay expenditures of said purpose which said revenue is dedicated by statute or other legal requirement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that two certified copies of this resolution be filed in the office of the Director of the division of Local Government Services.

Dayl R. Baile, Mayor

Passed by Mayor and Common Council this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2021.

Vanessa L. Parent, City Clerk