

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021 - 12**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF SEARCY,  
ARKANSAS, TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR A CORONAVIRUS RELATED PROJECT.**

WHEREAS, Searcy is applying to the State of Arkansas for a Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus project through the Arkansas Economic Development Commission (AEDC). The grant will be used for the needed updates at the John E. Lightle Senior Citizen Center; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that certain conditions be met as part of the application requirements; and

WHEREAS, Searcy has conducted the required public hearing and has an active Citizens Participation Plan/Community Development Plan, and as part of the application process has received comments on community development and housing needs, and proposed activities; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the Community Development Planning activities, Searcy has identified and prioritized the community development and housing needs;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF SEARCY,  
ARKANSAS, THAT:**

The Mayor is hereby authorized, on behalf of Searcy, to submit an application to the State of Arkansas, for grant funds, under the Community Development provisions of the Coronavirus Prevention, Preparation and Response program, and to expend funds to accomplish such community development activities, if the grant is awarded.

This Resolution passed and adopted in special session this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.

/s/ Kyle Osborne  
Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris  
Searcy City Clerk