ACCEPTANCE AND APPROPRIATION OF THE
LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM STATE GRANT PY25
INTER-GOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT NO. 25-254028
COMPANY 5000 - ACCOUNTING UNIT 1495
$3,681,051.00

(Under the administrative direction of
the Community Services Department)

WHEREAS, the County of DuPage has been notified by the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity that grant funds in the amount of $3,681,051 (THREE MILLION, SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND, FIFTY-ONE AND NO/100 DOLLARS) are available to be used to assist low-income DuPage County residents by offsetting the rising cost of home energy through direct financial assistance, energy counseling, outreach, and education; and

WHEREAS, to receive said grant funds, the County of DuPage must enter into Inter-Governmental Agreement No. 25-254028 with the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, a copy of which is attached to and incorporated as a part of this resolution by reference (ATTACHMENT II); and

WHEREAS, the period of the grant agreement is from June 1, 2024, through August 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, no additional County funds are required to receive this funding; and

WHEREAS, acceptance of this grant does not add any additional subsidy from the County; and

WHEREAS, the County Board finds that the need to appropriate said grant funds creates an emergency within the meaning of the Counties Act, Budget Division, (55 ILCS 5/6-1003).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the DuPage County Board that Inter-Governmental Agreement No. 25-254028 (ATTACHMENT II) between DuPage County and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity is hereby accepted; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the DuPage County Board that the additional appropriation on the attached sheet (ATTACHMENT I) in the amount of $3,681,051 (THREE MILLION, SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY -ONE THOUSAND, FIFTY-ONE AND NO/100 DOLLARS) be made to establish the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program State Grant PY25, Company 5000 - Accounting Unit 1495, for the period June 1, 2024, through August 31, 2025; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the DuPage County Board that the Director of Community Services is approved as the County's Authorized Representative; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that should state and/or federal funding cease for this grant, the Human Services Committee shall review the need for continuing the specified program and related head count; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that should the Human Services Committee determine the need for other funding is appropriate, it may recommend action to the County Board by resolution.

Enacted and approved this 25th day of June, 2024 at Wheaton, Illinois.

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DEBORAH A. CONROY, CHAIR
DU PAGE COUNTY BOARD

Attest: _____

JEAN KACZMAREK, COUNTY CLERK



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