

RESOLUTION NO. _____ OF 2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH THE CADDO COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SHREVEPORT WATER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

BY:

WHEREAS, Section 94-169 of the Code of Ordinances establishes a payment assistance plan whose purpose is to help low-income persons pay their water and sewer bills; and

WHEREAS, the Shreveport Water Assistance Program (SWAP) was established to accomplish this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the SWAP program is required by Section 94-169 to be administered through a qualified not-for-profit organization or organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Caddo Community Action Agency for this purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor be and he is authorized to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Caddo Community Action Agency in connection with the SWAP program, said Agreement to be substantially in accordance with the draft copy of the Agreement provided to the Clerk of the City Council on March 26, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any provision, item or application which can be given effect without the invalid provision, item or application; and, to that extent, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared to be severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict therewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

City Attorney's Office