

proposed amendment would request an additional \$5 million, bringing the total allocation to \$7 million; and

WHEREAS, increasing the amount of available incentives will assist in boosting Nashville's entertainment economy including but not limited to music, film, video games and virtual reality projects by providing support for local artists and promoting these entertainment projects to be produced within Davidson County; and

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Council goes on record as supporting this amendment to the budget of the State of Tennessee to encourage the film production and entertainment industries in Tennessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY:

Section 1. The Metropolitan Council hereby goes on record as urging the Tennessee General Assembly to support the amendment proposed by State Senator Heidi Campbell and State Representative John Ray Clemmons to SB2897/HB2882, the budget of the State of Tennessee for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022. This amendment would increase the funding for the Film and Television Incentive Fund by \$5 million and would further support the film production and entertainment industries in Nashville and Davidson County and the state of Tennessee.

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.