

Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County, TN

Legislation Text

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A resolution accepting a grant from the Tennessee Historical Commission to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Historical Commission, to provide a comprehensive, countywide cemetery preservation plan for Davidson County, Tennessee.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Historical Commission has awarded a grant in an amount not to exceed \$38,895.00 with a required cash match of \$25,930.00 to the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Historical Commission, to provide for a comprehensive, countywide cemetery preservation plan for Davidson County, Tennessee; and,

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of the citizens of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County that this grant be accepted.

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

Section 1. That the grant by and between the Tennessee Historical Commission and the Metropolitan Government, acting by and through the Metropolitan Historical Commission, to provide a comprehensive, countywide cemetery preservation plan for Davidson County, Tennessee, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is hereby approved.

Section 2. That the amount of this grant be appropriated to the Metropolitan Historical Commission based on the revenues estimated to be received and any match to be applied.

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

Analysis

This resolution accepts a grant from the Tennessee Historical Commission to the Metropolitan Historical Commission to provide a comprehensive, countywide cemetery preservation plan for Davidson County. The grant award is an amount not to exceed \$38,895 with a required local cash match of \$25,930.

This grant will fund Phase II of a comprehensive, countywide cemetery preservation plan for Davidson County. Phase I began in 2021 with funding from a Tennessee Historical Commission grant approved by Resolution No. RS2021-1118. The Council approved the application for this grant on February 1, 2022, pursuant to Resolution No. RS2022-1363. Davidson County is home to over 500 rural cemeteries.