

RESOLUTION NO. 021113-3

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A TRANSFER FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE CONVENTION AND TOURISM FUND FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS

WHEREAS, the Convention and Visitors Bureau's ("CVB") primary revenue source is the transient guest tax;

WHEREAS, the transient guest tax is used to market and advertise the community, and specifically the tourist-related industry in Abilene; and

WHEREAS, the Convention and Visitors Bureau has requested the City Commission provide a commitment of General Fund dollars to support the CVB's operation should the transient guest tax not be collected as expected.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Commission of the City of Abilene, as follows:

Section 1. Authorization to Transfer. The City Commission hereby authorizes a transfer from the General Fund to the Convention and Tourism Fund, in addition to the budgeted \$25,000, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.

Section 2. Implementation. The City Manager is hereby authorized to transfer such funds to the Convention and Tourism Fund as provided herein, if the City Manager determines that the cash position of the Convention and Visitors Bureau, at any time during the year, warrants supplemental funding from the General Fund. Such transfer shall be subject to applicable resolutions, ordinances, and laws.

Section 3. Effective Date. That the effects of this Resolution shall be in full force after its approval by the City Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Abilene, Kansas this February 11, 2013.



ATTEST

Penny Soukup, CMC
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City Clerk

CITY OF ABILENE, KANSAS

By: *Dennis P. Weishaar*
Dennis P. Weishaar, Mayor