RESOLUTION NO. 2022-121

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE NEW JERSEY URBAN ENTERPRISE ZONE AUTHORITY FOR FIRST GENERATION ENTERPRISE ZONE ASSISTANCE FUNDS FOR LANDIS AVENUE COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR CLEANING, MAINTENANCE AND BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland has submitted a proposal for use of First Generation enterprise Zone Assistance Funds for the following Project: Landis Avenue Commercial Corridor Cleaning Maintenance and Beautification Project; and

WHEREAS, it is considered to be in the best interest of the City of Vineland and the community in particular that First Generation Enterprise Zone Assistance Funds be utilized for the above-mentioned project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Vineland does hereby authorize and direct the submission of proposal to the New Jersey Urban Enterprise Zone Authority for use of First Generation Enterprise Zone Assistance Funds for the following project, in accordance with the proposal submitted by the City of Vineland:

LANDIS AVENUE COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR Equipment \$275,000.00 Personnel (3) \$225,000.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute all documents associated with this application.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Scope of Services

The grant will allow the City to hire 3 employees dedicated to maintaining the commercial corridor from the offramp of Route 55, the major 4-lane highway running through the western end of town to the East Gateway of the downtown for a total distance of 2.9 miles. Equipment to be purchased to assist with the cleaning and maintenance include a medium dump crew cab with plow 4X4, utility vehicle 4X4, super vehicle 4X4 with plow, 24X8 trailer, and small tools and equipment.

The employees will be responsible for this cleaning and maintaining this corridor so that the main corridor from the offramp of a major highway through the downtown has a clean and welcoming appearance that attracts more businesses to the downtown as well as more shoppers and visitors.

Their duties will include daily trash pickup, sweeping of sidewalks, sweeping of public parking lots, plowing sidewalks and public parking lots in the winter, mowing grass, weeding, planting and watering of flowers and other greenery, hanging banners for the downtown, and other related duties to maintaining and clean and welcoming major commercial corridor.