

RESOLUTION NO. 2023- 248

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND GRANT AGREEMENT FOR GRANT FUNDING FROM THE ENTERPRISE ZONE ASSISTANCE FUND IN NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,000,000.00 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW COMMERCIAL/RETAIL BUILDING IN THE VINELAND MAIN STREET DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland wishes to apply for a grant to be received from the Enterprise Zone Assistance Fund in the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs for approximately \$2,000,000.00 to fund the construction of a new commercial/retail building in the Vineland Main Street District in place of the demolished Vineland Daily Journal structure for a new brew pub and outdoor dining facility.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Vineland that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the application for such grant, grant agreement and any other documents necessary in connection therewith.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council recognizes and accepts that the Department of Community Affairs may offer a lesser or greater amount and therefore, upon receipt of the grant agreement from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, does further authorize the Mayor and Clerk to execute any such grant agreement; and upon receipt of the fully executed agreement from the Department, does further authorize the expenditure of funds pursuant to the terms of the agreement by and between the City of Vineland and the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk