RESOLUTION NO. 04-2016

A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING, SUPPORTING, AND PROMOTING THE FIRST SUBURBS COALITION, KC COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES, AND MID-AMERICA REGIONAL COUNCILS' COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES INITIATIVE, AND AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE BETWEEN MID-AMERICA REGIONAL COUNCIL, CLAY COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES AND THE CITY

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages, and the Mid-America Regional Council have, through the efforts of its membership, developed a Communities for All Ages Tool Kit and Communities for All Ages Idea Book; and

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages, and the Mid-America Regional Council have, through the efforts of its membership, developed a Communities for All Ages Checklist; which helps communities orient their physical and service efforts to meet the needs of residents of all ages; and

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition adopted as policy, by the full membership, the promotion of Communities for All Ages as a strategy for developing vibrant, prosperous communities for all of its residents; and

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition adopted, by the full membership, the Communities for All Ages Checklist as an official tool for communities to use to build awareness of changing demographics and plan its services and infrastructure to be responsive to residents of all ages; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen desires the City of Kearney to be a Community for All ages.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KEARNEY, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Adopting as City policy the concepts, strategies and programs of the Communities for All Ages.

Section 2. City staff is hereby authorized to work with KC Communities for All Ages, the Mid-America Regional Council and other regional partners to promote the Communities for All Ages concepts, strategies and policies, and to attain certification for the City of Kearney as a Community for All Ages.

Section 3. The City Administrator is authorized to sign an agreement with the Clay County Senior Services to share in funding the costs ($3,000) equally ($1,500 each) for technical assistance provided by the Mid-America Regional Council, to provide technical assistance to assist the city in participating in the recognition program at the Bronze Level. Said agreement is hereby attached and made part of this resolution as if wholly rewritten herein.

Section 4. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage.


APPROVED:

Bill Dane, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jim Edridge, City Clerk

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