#### **Request for Legislative Action**

Res. No.: 20960

Sponsor: Theresa Cass Galvin

Date: May 23, 2022

Completed by County Counselor's Office					
Action Requested:	Resolution	Res.Ord No.:	20960		
Sponsor(s):	Theresa Galvin	Legislature Meeting Date:	5/23/2022		

Introduction
Action Items: ['Authorize', 'Transfer']
Project/Title:
Resolution to approve transferring \$56,784 within the 2022 Information Technology Department budget
funds to support an Information Department restructuring

#### **Request Summary**

The Information Technology Department (IT) has eliminated a vacant position that has been challenging to hire. The department is requesting authorization to transfer the vacant position salary funds to be used to enhance our capabilities with IT operations and services. Microsoft Office 365 managed services will be provided by our Term & Supply vendor, ConvergeOne. The solution offering will include:

- Office 365 account and subscription administration
- Engineering support to assist in new service setup and configuration
- Compliance and policy management
- Security, identity, and governance monitoring
- Mobile and Intune services

The benefits gained from having a managed service address:

- Focus IT resources on high value projects and strategic initiatives
- Maintain Microsoft 365 Best Practices for Account and Application Management
- Maximize Microsoft 365 Scalability across the platform
- · Challenges maintaining staff in a competitive market.
- · Gain reliable services
- Skilled subject matter expertise & experience
  - · Unpredictable costs in turnover and training.
- Predictable costs
- Scalable spending
- Reduced opportunities for downtime

Contact Information					
Department:	Information Technology	Submitted Date:	5/13/2022		
Name:	Michael Ohlsom-Dicus	Email:	michaelgohlson@aol.com		
Title:	Office Administrator	Phone:	816-881-3151		

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Budget Information						
Amount authorized by th	\$56	5,784				
Amount previously autho	rized this fiscal year:			\$ 0		
Total amount authorized	after this legislative action	:	\$56	5,784		
Is it transferring fund?	Yes					
Transferring Fund From:						
Fund:	Department:	Line Item Account:	Amount:			
001 (General Fund)	1305 (Information	55010 (Regular	\$52	2,749		
	Technology)	Salaries)				
001 (General Fund)	1305 (Information	55040 (FICA Taxes)	\$4	1,035		
	Technology)					
Transferring Fund To:						
Fund:	Department:	Line Item Account:	Amount:			
001 (General Fund)	1305 (Information	56082 (Information	\$56	5,784		
	Technology)	Technology Consulting				
		Services)				

Prior Legislation	
Prior Ordinances	
Ordinance:	Ordinance date:
Prior Resolution	
Resolution:	Resolution date:
20874	February 14, 2022
20746	August 30, 2021

Purchasing	
Does this RLA include the purchase or lease of	No
supplies, materials, equipment or services?	
Chapter 10 Justification:	
Core 4 Tax Clearance Completed:	
Certificate of Foreign Corporation Received:	
Have all required attachments been included in	
this RLA?	

Compliance
Certificate of Compliance
Not Applicable
Minority, Women and Veteran Owned Business Program

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Goals Not Applicable for following reason: Not spending money					
MBE:	.00%				
WBE:	.00%				
VBE:	.00%				
Prevailing Wage					
Not Applicable					

#### **Fiscal Information**

• Funds sufficient for this appropriation and/or transfer are available from the source indicated on the budget information tab.

#### History

Submitted by Information Technology requestor: Michael Ohlsom-Dicus on 5/13/2022. Comments:

Approved by Department Approver Michael S. Erickson on 5/13/2022 11:12:26 AM. Comments:

Not applicable by Purchasing Office Approver Barbara J. Casamento on 5/13/2022 11:22:50 AM. Comments:

Approved by Compliance Office Approver Katie M. Bartle on 5/13/2022 2:34:44 PM. Comments:

Approved by Budget Office Approver Mark Lang on 5/13/2022 3:48:09 PM. Comments: The fiscal note is attached.

Approved by Executive Office Approver Troy Schulte on 5/13/2022 4:21:06 PM. Comments:

Approved by Counselor's Office Approver Elizabeth Freeland on 5/18/2022 11:22:05 AM. Comments:

### **Fiscal Note:**

Funds sufficient for this transfer are available from the sources indicated below.

Date:	May 13, 2022				e	RES#	20	)960 518
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001	General Fund							
1305	Information Technology	55	010	Regular Salaries	\$	52,749	\$	_
1305	Information Technology	55	040	FICA Taxes		4,035		
1305	Information Technology	56	082	IT Consulting Services		-		56,784
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400/	201/50	)			\$	56,784	\$	56,784

**APPROVED** 

By Mark Lang at 3:47 pm, May 13, 2022

Budget Office



# Department of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

816-881-3151

Us 5/6/2022

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To: FRANK WHITE, COUNTY EXECUTIVE

TROY SCHULTE, COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

SYLVYA STEVENSON, CHIEF ADMINISTRATION OFFICER MICHELLE CHRISMAN, HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR

MARK LANG, BUDGET OFFICER

FROM: MICHAEL ERICKSON, DIRECTOR OF IT AND GIS

DATE: MAY 5, 2022

RE: INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT REORGANIZATION REQUEST.

I AM REQUESTING A REORGANIZATION OF THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2022. I WOULD LIKE TO ELIMINATE THE VACANT POSITION BELOW:

1305-05050-001, NETWORK SUPPORT ADMINISTRATOR. - \$56,784

THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT IS TRANSFORMING ITS OPERATIONAL STRUCTURE TO BETTER ACCOMMODATE THE BUSINESS NEEDS OF THE ORGANIZATION. THE FUNDING FROM THE VACANT POSITION LISTED IN THIS REORGANIZATION MEMO WILL BE USED TO IMPLEMENT A MANAGED SERVICES MICROSOFT OFFICE 365 AGREEMENT WITH CONVERGE ONE. THE BENEFITS OF THIS INCLUDE:

- ALLOW STAFF RESOURCES TO FOCUS ON CORE PROJECTS AND STRATEGIC INITIATIVES
- MAINTAIN MICROSOFT 365 BEST PRACTICES FOR ACCOUNT AND APPLICATION MANAGEMENT
- MAXIMIZE MICROSOFT 365 SCALABILITY ACROSS THE PLATFORM

INTEGRATING THIS MANAGED SERVICE WITH OUR EXISTING STAFF SERVICES WILL ALLOW FOR CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT OF IT OPERATIONAL DELIVERY AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES FOR JACKSON COUNTY. ONCE THE REORGANIZATION MEMO HAS RECEIVED A FULL APPROVAL, AN RLA WILL BE SUBMITTED TO TRANSFER THE FUNDS TO THE APPROPRIATE ACCOUNT.

FRANK WHITE

MY STEVENSON

TROY SCHULTE

MICHELLE CHRISMAN

# Information Technology/GIS Department

