REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Completed by County Counselor's Office: Res/Ord No.: 18685

Sponsor(s): Date:

Theresa Garza Ruiz December 8, 2014

SUBJECT	Action Requested Resolution Ordinance Project/Title: Authorization to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOU) between Kansas City, Missouri, Jackson County and the Land Clearence for Redevelopment Authority of Kansas City, Missouri (LCRA) to form the Kansas City Vacant Properties Assessment Coalition.				
BUDGET INFORMATION To be completed By Requesting Department and Finance	Amount authorized by this legislation: Amount previously authorized: Total amount authorized after this legislative action: Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number No budget impact (no fiscal note required)				
PRIOR LEGISLATION	Prior ordinances and (date): Prior resolutions and (date): #17566, April 11, 2011. Resolution to form the Kansas City Brownfield Assessment Coalition.				
CONTACT INFORMATION	RLA drafted by (name and title): Joe Tomlinson, Special Projects Analyst				
REQUEST SUMMARY	Kansas City, Jackson County, and LCRA are entering into a memorandum of agreement (Cooperative Agreement) as members of a coalition for Brownfields Coalition Assessment Grant in the amount of \$600,000.00 from the EPA to fund activities of the Coalition that include: area-wide and site specific Phase I and II assessments targeting priority vacant properties, data survey project to develop the systematic information needed by the Land Bank to manage its inventory, facilitae the purchase and reuse of vacant lots, and address other Brownfield projects and community needs throughout Jackson County and Kansas City. Missouri. Brownfields are defined as properties with hazardous materials that hinder development. Andrew Bracker, the Brownfields Coordinator for Kansas City will manage the Cooperative Agreement.				
ATTACHMENTS	Memorandum of Agreement				

F If		Department Director: Finance (Budget Approval): If applicable Division Manager: County Counselor's Office:			Date: Date: Date: Date: D			
Fiscal		e verified by Budget	Office in Finance De	partment)				
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	Funds for this were encumbered from the Fund in There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized. Funds sufficient for this expenditure will be/were appropriated by Ordinance #							
		Funds sufficient for this appropriation are available from the source indicated below.						
	Account N	umber:	Account Title:	Amount Not to	o Exceed:			
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	This award i	s made on a need basis a	nd does not obligate Jack	son County to pay any speci	fic amount. The availability of			

This legislative action does not impact the County financially and does not require Finance/Budget approval.