

**IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

**A RESOLUTION** expressing the intent and commitment of the Legislature to review, prior to the adoption of the 2022 County annual budget, the percentages listed in Schedule I to chapter 93, Jackson County Code, 1984, Annual Distribution of Anti-Crime Sales Tax, as proposed in Ordinance 5440.

**RESOLUTION NO. 20585**, December 7, 2020

**INTRODUCED BY** Dan Tarwater III, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the Legislature, in accordance with an engagement letter dated March 6, 2019, did request the Missouri State Auditor to conduct a comprehensive audit of the COMBAT tax pursuant to section 29.200.3, RSMo; and,

WHEREAS, the Missouri State Auditor's report on that office's COMBAT findings concluded the percentages of COMBAT estimated revenues allocated to the various county departments and/or outside entities have not been updated since 1995, when Resolution 10950, dated September 5, 1995, was adopted; and,

WHEREAS, the Auditor's report further stated that all funding provided from the Anti-Crime Sales Tax (COMBAT) Fund should be authorized in an updated resolution or ordinance setting out the funding percentages for each department, agency, and/or initiative so that no department, agency, or initiative receives more funding than authorized; and,

WHEREAS, Ordinance 5440, dated November 2, 2020, currently under consideration by the Anti-Crime Committee of the Legislature, sets out certain requirements related to

the annual adoption of the Anti-Crime Sales Tax Fund, including the requirement that the annual percentage distribution be reviewed no later than December 31, 2024, and no less often than every four years thereafter; and,

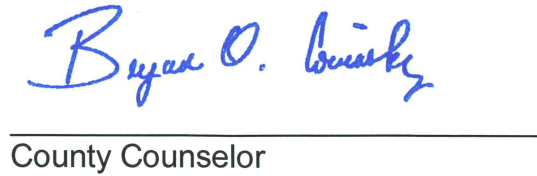
WHEREAS, it is the express intent and commitment of the Legislature to review said percentages set forth in Ordinance 5440 prior to the adoption of the County's 2022 annual budget; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature hereby states its intent to review, prior to the adoption of the 2022 annual budget, the percentages listed in Schedule I, Annual Distribution of Anti-Crime Sales Tax, attached to Ordinance 5440, dated November 2, 2020, now under consideration by the Legislature.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
Chief Deputy County Counselor

  
County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 20585 of December 7, 2020, was duly passed on December 7, 2020 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

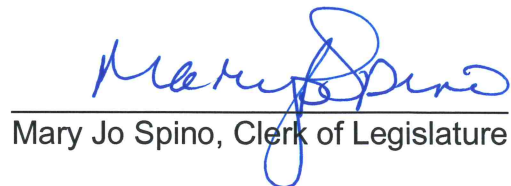
Yeas 6

Nays 2

Abstaining 1

Absent 0

12.7.2020  
Date

  
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature