

**AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN MARSHALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

Whereby, public transportation is an essential public purpose for which public funds may be expended under Article 13, Section 7 of the Illinois Constitution; and

Whereas, Marshall County wishes to provide public transportation for its citizens and become eligible for grants from the State of Illinois or any department or agency thereof, from any unit of local government, from the Federal government or any department or agency thereof; and

Whereas, Illinois Compiled Statutes 740/2-1 et seq. Authorizes a county to provide for public transportation within the (county or counties) limits:

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Chairman and the County Board of Marshall County that:

Section 1. Marshall County shall hereby provide public transportation within the counties limits.

Section 2. The County Clerk of the County of Marshall shall file a certified copy of this Ordinance, within sixty days after passage of this ordinance.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval, as required by law.

Section 4. That the Chairman of the Marshall County Board is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file on behalf of Marshall County a Grant Application to the State of Illinois Department of Public Transportation for the provision of public transportation for the citizens of Marshall and Stark Counties.

Section 5. That the Chairman of the Marshall County Board is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file on behalf of Marshall County all required Grant Agreements with the Illinois Department of Transportation for the provision of public transportation for the citizens of Marshall and Stark Counties.

23 PASSED by the Chairman and the Board of Marshall County on the 9 day of March, 2023, and deposited and filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on that date.

Elected Board Members 12

PRESENT 9

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NAY 0

1-vacancy 2-Absent

Jill Kenyon

Clerk of Marshall County, Illinois

APPROVED by the Chairman of the Marshall County Board, this 9 day of March, 2023

Gary Kroeschen

Chairman of Marshall County, Illinois