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THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON STATE OF NEW YORK

Date: July 6, 2022

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Resciniti, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Scanlon, Strawn

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BINGHAMTON CHAMBER GREATER COMMERCE/VISITBING TO SUPPORT MARKETING OF ARTS, TRAVEL, TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND EVENTS IN THE CITY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Permanent Ordinance 21-123, dated November 3, 2021, the Council of the City of Binghamton allocated American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for tourism, City marketing, and promotions in the amount of \$200,000; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Binghamton wishes to enter into an agreement with the Greater Binghamton Chamber of Commerce/VisitBing for use of funds to support marketing of arts, travel, tourism, hospitality and events in the City of Binghamton in an amount not to exceed \$200,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with the Greater Binghamton Chamber of Commerce/VisitBing for use of funds to support marketing of arts, travel, tourism, hospitality and events in the City of Binghamton in an amount not to exceed \$200,000; and that funds shall be deducted from budget line A6989.54742.F0015 (Promotions/Marketing) for this purpose.

> I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller