

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 12622 KNOWN AS "THE FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013 BUDGET ORDINANCE" SO AS TO APPROPRIATE FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$500,000.00) FROM THE GENERAL FUND CONTINGENCY TO THE SOUTHEAST TENNESSEE DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A FORTY (40) YEAR COMPREHENSIVE GREATER CHATTANOOGA REGIONAL GROWTH PLAN.

WHEREAS, the City Council committed \$500,000.00 in local matching funds along with Hamilton County and other entities in the region for the development of a forty (40) year Comprehensive Greater Chattanooga Regional Growth Plan by Resolution No. 26769 dated July 12, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Southeast Tennessee Development District will manage this process over a three (3) year period.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That there be and is hereby approved and authorized an appropriation of \$500,000.00 from the General Fund Contingency to the Southeast Tennessee Development District for the development of a forty (40) year Comprehensive Greater Chattanooga Regional Growth Plan.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage as provided by law.

PASSED on Second and Final Reading

_____, 2013.

CHAIRPERSON

APPROVED:_____ DISAPPROVED:_____

DATE: _____, 2013

MAYOR

City of Chattanooga



Resolution Request Form

(This form is only required for resolutions requiring expenditure of City funds)

Date Prepared: February 13, 2013

Preparer: Fredia Forshee Kitchen

Department: Finance

Brief Description of Purpose for Resolution:

Resolution Number (if approved by Council): _____

An ordinance amending ordinance 12622 known as "the fiscal year 2012-2013 budget ordinance" and appropriating \$500,000 from the General Fund Contingency to the Southeast Tennessee Development District for financial support of the development and implementation of a forty (40) year comprehensive plan whereas council committed per resolution 26769 dated July 12, 2011.

Name of Vendor/Contractor/Grant, etc. _____
Total project cost \$ _____
Total City of Chattanooga Portion \$ _____
City Amount Funded \$ _____
New City Funding Required \$ _____
City's Match Percentage % _____

New Contract/Project? (Yes or No) _____
Funds Budgeted? (YES or NO) Yes _____
Provide Fund 1100
Provide Cost Center A20401
Proposed Funding Source if not budgeted _____
Grant Period (if applicable) _____

List all other funding sources and amount for each contributor.

Amount(s)	Grantor(s)
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____

Agency Grant Number _____

CFDA Number if known _____

Other comments: (Include contingency amount, contractor, and other information useful in preparing resolution)

Continued support as an institutional trustee of the city's community memory.

Approved by: _____

Reviewed by: FINANCE OFFICE

DESIGNATED OFFICIAL/ADMINISTRATOR

Please submit completed form to @budget, accounting, City Attorney, City Finance Officer and Deputy Administrator Finance

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING UP TO FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$500,000.00) IN LOCAL MATCHING FUNDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A FORTY (40) YEAR COMPREHENSIVE GREATER CHATTANOOGA REGIONAL GROWTH PLAN.

WHEREAS, The Greater Chattanooga Region has experienced tremendous economic development success with the location of a number of very large industrial projects such as Volkswagen, Alstom, Amazon, Wacker, and IVS resulting in more than \$4,000,000,000.00 in new business investment since 2008; and

WHEREAS, the Electric Power Board of Chattanooga has completed the nation's largest one hundred percent (100%) fiber-optic network, providing all homes and businesses in a six hundred (600) square mile area up to one (1) Gig internet speeds, providing a competitive edge for the region to attract significant tech industry investments; and

WHEREAS, while the region is well positioned for accelerated growth on many fronts, there exists a strong desire to preserve the region's identity, quality of life by protecting and enhancing the environment, natural resources and cultural and heritage assets; and

WHEREAS, growth pressures throughout the region are exacerbating existing fiscal and environmental challenges as well as creating new ones such as workforce skills gaps, stormwater management, traffic congestion, water resource management, to name a few; and

WHEREAS, the development of a forty (40) year comprehensive plan that provides many opportunities to engage all citizens throughout the region is essential to determining a vision that provides direction and implementation strategies for future growth and will provide guidance on how to handle current growth pressures; and

WHEREAS, such a plan will insure that areas have adequate public facilities such as roads, water and sewer systems and public safety in way that further enhances the region making the Greater Chattanooga Region the most livable region today and for future generations to come; and

WHEREAS, without such a plan, unmanaged growth will occur placing tremendous stress and strain on our infrastructure, land, fiscal and natural resources, culture, heritage and overall quality of life resulting in a region that will deteriorate over time where no one will want to live, work and play.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, that, in the interest of the region and future generations to come, the Chattanooga City Council is committed to the development and implementation of a forty (40) year plan; and commits up to \$500,000.00 over a three (3) year period in order to hire the consulting expertise and other resources needed to conduct the planning process, develop the plan and implementation strategies.

ADOPTED: July 12, 2011

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