ORDER

(<u>To Consider Authorizing Application to the Mississippi Office of Highway Safety for the Occupant Protection Grant</u>)

WHEREAS, the Laurel Police Department has learned of the availability of funds in an amount up to \$65,833.59 to fund the Seatbelt program from the Mississippi Office of Highway Safety under its Occupant Protection Grant program; **and**

WHEREAS, the Laurel Police Department has identified a project which qualifies for funding under the terms of the aforementioned grant to help reduce fatalities, crashes and injuries; **and**

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Laurel City Council that the Laurel Police Department be authorized to apply to the Mississippi Office of Highway Safety for funding through its Occupant Protection Grant program for funding the Seatbelt program in the amount of \$65,833.59. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mayor Johnny Magee, acting on behalf of the City of Laurel, be authorized to sign whatever documents are necessary for acceptance of the grant should it be awarded and implementation of the associated project. AND FURTHER that the Finance Director be authorized to perform whatever budget transactions are necessary for implementation of the foregoing Order

Motion was made by <u>Councilperson Wheat</u>, seconded by <u>Councilperson</u> <u>Capers</u>, that the above and foregoing Order be adopted.

Upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Capers, Wheat, Thaxton, Carmichael, S. Comegys, Page

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: None

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Order adopted this the <u>3rd</u> day of <u>March</u>, A.D. 2020.

PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

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