## RESOLUTION 2020-0306-1

## A Resolution to Build a Multi-Purpose Senior Center

Whereas, the Township has identified the need for a ground-level, public-pick, ADA/wheelchair accessible food pantry as well as hall meeting space, for senior citizen services, programs, and functions; and,

Whereas the Township has identified the need for a building with a kitchen suitable for staging and delivering meals to senior citizens both in the multi-purpose building and in cooperation with meal programs such as Meals on Wheels, prepared and delivered to senior citizens in their homes by charitable groups; and,

Whereas the Township has identified the need for a multi-purpose senior center that meets the needs of senior citizens for a variety of positive and life affirming programs and purposes; and,

Whereas, the Township has over the previous 25 years put together property purchases and sales with elector approval by referendum specifically to address Township services; and,

Whereas, the Township has accumulated funds and is able to build said multi-purpose senior center and NOT seek elector approval, by referendum, of debt bond proceeds, as authorized under Township statute; and,

Whereas, The Township Code 60 ILCS 1/140-5(c) states that by Ordinance or Resolution any Township may build, purchase, or lease specifically a township hall, a multi-purpose senior center, or a combined township hall and multi-purpose senior center without approval by referendum if the building, purchasing, or leasing of the township hall, multi-purpose senior center, or combined township hall and multi-purpose senior center is paid or provided for with funds that are not the proceeds of bonds.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Town Board of Trustees of Downers Grove Township in the special meeting assembled that this Resolution approves the building project known as the Township Center, a building that will serve as a multi-purpose senior center.

Passed this --th day of March, 2020

Mark S. Thoman, Supervisor

Art Donner, Trustee

Karen Kelly, Trustee

Abby Ferguson, Trustee

Dave Van Der Laan, Trustee

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