

CITY OF HAMPTON

STATE OF GEORGIA

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-18

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council are the governing body of the City of Hampton, Georgia ("City"); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council is tasked with protecting and promoting the health, safety, morals and welfare of the citizens of the City of Hampton; and

WHEREAS, the office of Senator Ossoff Appropriations Requests for Fiscal Year 2026 has opened its FY26 Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS) application cycle; and

WHEREAS, as a member of Congress, Senator Ossoff is able to advocate certain funding priorities for Georgia in the federal budget as Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to apply for Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS) account Agriculture & Rural Development for the City of Hampton Law Enforcement, Training, and Readiness Facility; and

WHEREAS, the City committing to the CDS Agriculture & Rural Development, Community Facilities provisions based on a maximum of fifty-five percent of the total project cost for rural communities having a population of 12,000 or less; and

WHEREAS, by a majority vote of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hampton that the City shall make an application to the FY26 CDS Appropriations Request of \$2,310,000.00.00 on the city's behalf and commit its own funds of no less than \$1,890,000.00 SPLOST VI funding to ensure eligibility for an award. The Finance Director is hereby authorized to appropriate any and all funds to support this application and the City Manager or his designee is authorized to sign any and all documents to make this application and to accept the award, if granted, as presented to the City Council on March 25, 2024.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by a majority this 25th day of March, 2025.

CITY OF HAMPTON, GEORGIA:

ANN N. TARPLEY, Mayor

ATTEST:

Carmen Blount, Deputy City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

L'ERIN BARNES WIGGINS, City Attorney