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RESOLUTION 94-30

TO REQUEST THAT THE REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION EXPAND THEIR UTS PROGRAM TO ASSIST PAYING THE WASTEWATER CONNECTION FEES FOR ELIGIBLE AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROJECTS

WHEREAS, Ordinance 94-41 sets wastewater rates and charges that will for the first time include a connection fee for new users who "hook on" to the City wastewater system; and

WHEREAS, while the connection fee is intended to more equitably share the cost of system between the old and new customers, it may impose an unintended burden on the low to moderate income customer; and

WHEREAS, the Redevelopment Department under the direction of the Redevelopment Commission currently operates a UTS Program that could be expanded to provide funds to pay these connection fees for eligible affordable housing projects; and

WHEREAS, when implementing such a program, all qualified projects should be encouraged to apply for this assistance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

The Common Council requests that Redevelopment Commission expand their UTS Program to provide assistance in paying the new wastewater connection fees for eligible affordable housing projects and to encourage all qualified projects to apply for that assistance.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 7th day of September, 1994.

Jim Sherman

JIM SHERMAN, President
Bloomington Common Council

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this 9th day of September, 1994.

Tomilea Allison

TOMILEA ALLISON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

ATTEST:

Patricia Williams

PATRICIA WILLIAMS, Clerk
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This resolution requests the Redevelopment Commission to expand their UTS program to provide funds to pay for wastewater connection fees for eligible affordable housing projects.

Signed upon to Redevelopment