

**TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL**

**FROM: DIANNE HOWARD, ARTISAN PLAZA FARMERS MARKET  
COORDINATOR**

**SUBJECT: Request Authorization for Acceptance of Grant for the Farmers Market**

**DATE: Tuesday, May 19, 2020**

**BACKGROUND**

Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program has received a \$1000.00 grant to be used toward operations from the Minnesota Department of Agriculture for 2020. The Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program is supported by the City of Cannon Falls EDA, which is licensed to implement the Food Aggregation Program. The City of Cannon Falls would act as the fiscal agent to administer this grant on behalf of the Artisan Plaza Food Aggregation Program.

**REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION**

I respectfully request a motion approving acceptance of the \$1000.00 grant for the Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program, supported by the City of Cannon Falls EDA.

**CITY OF CANNON FALLS  
GOODHUE COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 2480**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT  
FOR THE FARMERS MARKET**

**WHEREAS**, the Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program has received a grant from the Minnesota Department of Agriculture that is administered by Renewing the Countryside; and

**WHEREAS**, the Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program is licensed under the City of Cannon Falls EDA, who works with Renewing the Countryside to implement the Food Aggregation Program.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** the Minnesota Department of Agriculture has awarded a \$1,000.00 grant to be used toward the operations of the Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program licensed under the City of Cannon Falls.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City of Cannon Falls is hereby authorized to be the fiscal agent and administer the grant on behalf of the Artisan Plaza Farmers Market Food Aggregation Program.

**ADOPTED** by the City of Cannon Falls this 19<sup>th</sup> of May, 2020.

**CITY OF CANNON FALLS**

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John Althoff  
Mayor

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Neil L. Jensen  
City Administrator