ORDINANCE NO. 19759

AN ORDINANCE introduced by Jim Colson, City Manager, repealing City of Topeka Code § 3.55.210, concerning the transfer of money to the arts fund.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS:

Section 1. That section 3.55.210, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby repealed.

Transfer of general fund moneys to the arts fund for economic development.

(a) Each year the city manager, or his or her designee, shall calculate the amount of the city's pro rata share of tax revenue it would have received from the tax exemptions reduced by the city council under the provisions of TMC 3.55.090(c).

(b) The city manager shall, as part of his budget, include the amount of $100,000 as an appropriation to the arts fund for economic development in the city of Topeka.

(c) The city council may, in its sole discretion, each year as part of the budget approval process authorize the transfer of general funds to the arts fund in the full amount identified as economic tax exemption savings in the city manager's proposed budget or such lesser amount as the council may authorize.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication in the official City newspaper.

Section 3. This ordinance shall supersede all ordinances, resolutions or rules, or portions thereof, which are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance.
Section 4. Should any section, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council on September 18, 2012.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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William W. Bunten, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Brenda Younger, City Clerk