RESOLUTION NO. 7139

A RESOLUTION introduced by Mayor Joan Wagnon and Councilmembers Sam Carkhuff and Clark Duffy authorizing a budget adjustment in the amount of $400,000.00 to provide necessary finances for the City to prosecute misdemeanors.

WHEREAS, the City of Topeka has been asked to handle the prosecution of misdemeanor criminal offenses that occur within its corporate limits and the Topeka City Council supports the vigorous prosecution of those who commit criminal offenses, including misdemeanors and consequently believes it should respond positively to the request for the good of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Topeka City Council has approved and adopted the operating budget for the City of Topeka for the year 2001; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to adjust that budget to provide necessary funding for the City to prosecute misdemeanors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Topeka, Kansas that it hereby authorizes a budget adjustment in the amount of $400,000.00 to provide the necessary funds for the City to prosecute misdemeanors. The $400,000.00 shall be paid from the General Fund. Expenditure categories and authorized positions within the Legal Department and the Municipal Court Services Department budgets shall be adjusted accordingly.

ADOPTED and APPROVED by City Council _________.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

Joan Wagnon, Mayor

ATTEST:

Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

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