

**A RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING FROM THE COMMUNITY PRESERVATION
FUND AND AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF COMMUNITY
PRESERVATION FUNDS FOR THE EXTERIOR PRESERVATION OF THE THOMAS
SMITH HOUSE**

Sponsored by the Community Preservation Act Committee

Whereas, voters of Agawam chose to form a Community Preservation Committee (CPA); and

Whereas, pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 44B, Section 5(2) allows the CPA Committee to make recommendations to the legislative body; and

Whereas, pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 44B, Section 5(3)(d) states that the legislative body shall then take such action and approve such appropriations for the CPA Committee; and

Whereas, one of the Committee's functions is to fund Historic Preservation and the Rehabilitation/Restoration of historic sites; and

Whereas, The Thomas Smith House was listed in the National Register of Historic Places on 2 June 2005 as the Thomas and Esther Smith House; and

Whereas, preservation work I ongoing, several areas of the house exterior has been identified as needing preservation and rehabilitation; and

Whereas, the rehabilitation will comply with the Secretary of Interiors Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties; and

Whereas, the Community Preservation Committee has recommended that the Agawam City Council appropriate and expend the amount of twenty-three thousand three hundred forty-five dollars and no cents (\$23,345.00) from the Historic Reserve Fund Balance; and

Whereas, it is in the best interests of the City of Agawam to appropriate from the community preservation fund and authorize the expenditure of community preservation funds for the preservation and rehabilitation the Thomas Smith House, Agawam MA;

Now Therefore, the Agawam City Council hereby resolves, appropriates, and authorizes the expenditure of Community Preservation Funds in the amount of twenty-three thousand three hundred forty-five dollars and no cents (\$23,345.00) from the Historic Reserve Fund Balance for the preservation and rehabilitation of the Thomas Smith House, Agawam, MA; and

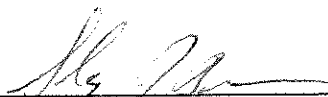
The Agawam City Council hereby further resolves that the Mayor is authorized to expend said funds, as permitted by law, and to do all things necessary for the purposes so stated.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2023.

PER ORDER OF THE AGAWAM CITY COUNCIL


Christopher C. Johnson, President

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY



Stephen Buoniconti, City Solicitor

APPROVED AS TO APPROPRIATION



Cheryl St. John, Auditor