## **ORDINANCE NO. 2915**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,998.00 UNDER THE FFY 2023 EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs awarded the Salisbury Police Department \$28,148.00, under the FFY 2023 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS,** the Salisbury Police Department already included \$25,150.00 of such funds on the City's FY 2024 Schedule C; and

**WHEREAS**, the remaining \$2,998.00 was not included on the City's FY 2024 Schedule C and therefore has not been formally accepted; and

WHEREAS, the collective amount of the funds will be used to complete the project approved under the FFY 2023 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, § 7-29 of the Salisbury City Charter prohibits the City from entering into an agreement that requires an expenditure not appropriated or authorized by the Council of the City of Salisbury; and

**WHEREAS**, appropriations necessary to execute the purpose of these grant funds must be made upon the recommendation of the Mayor and the approval of four-fifths of the Council of the City of Salisbury.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND as follows:

Section 1. The City's Grant Fund Budget shall be and hereby is amended as follows:

- 1) Increase Revenue Account 10500-423101-22076 by \$2,998.00
- 2) Increase the Expense Account 10500-577035-22076 by \$2,998.00

## BE IT FURTHER ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND, as follows:

<u>Section 2</u>. It is the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury that each provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed independent of all other provisions herein.

Section 3. It is further the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury that if any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable under applicable Maryland or federal law, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision so adjudged and all other provisions of this Ordinance shall remain and shall be deemed valid and enforceable.

<u>Section 4</u>. The recitals set forth hereinabove are incorporated into this section of the Ordinance as if such recitals were specifically set forth at length in this Section 4.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its final passage.

THIS ORDINANCE was introduced and read at a Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 13 day of January, 2025 and thereafter, a statement of the substance of the Ordinance having been published as required by law, in the meantime, was finally passed by the Council of the City of Salisbury on the 27 day of January, 2025.

Julie A. English, City Clerk

D'Shawn M. Doughty, City Council President

Approved by me, this \_\_7 day of \_\_February \_\_\_\_, 2025.

Randolph J. Taylor, Mayor