WABASH COUNTY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2015-85-12

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TRANSFER OF MONIES FROM THE COUNTY HEALTH FUND TO THE HEALTH MAINTENANCE FUND

Pursuant to Resolution Number 2015-85-06, there has been deposited into the County Health Fund the sum of \$104,821.43 identified as non-grant monies transferred from the Local Health Maintenance Fund for vaccines administered by County employees. All non-grant monies transferred belong to the County, and should have been originally deposited into the County Health Fund.

The State Department of Health claims any such transfer is prohibited without the prior approval of the Local Board of Health, and in response to the Council's action, the State Department of Health has elected to freeze the Local Health Maintenance Fund and deny the local Board of Health's grant application for 2016.

To induce the State Department of Health to unfreeze the Local Health Maintenance Fund and approve the Local Board of Health's future grant applications, an amount of money should be transferred from the Local Health Fund back to the County Health Maintenance Fund as a gesture of good faith.

Grant monies funded approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the costs of the county nurses' salaries to administer vaccines, thus an appropriate and fair sum to be transferred back would be twenty-five percent (25%) of the \$104,821.43 originally transferred.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED THAT:

 The Auditor of Wabash County is authorized and directed to transfer immediately the sum of \$26,205.36 from the County Health Fund to the Local Health Maintenance Fund.

Adopted this 24th day of August, 2015.

Mike Risenour Chairman

Linda Conrad, Wabash County Auditor