ORDINANCE NO. 2017-3

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MERIDIAN HILLS, INDIANA FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATING FUNDS

WHEREAS, the Town Council ("Council") of the Town of Meridian Hills, Indiana ("Town") has determined that it would be of public utility and benefit and in the best interest of the Town and its citizens to transfer funds for the payment of operating expenses; and,

WHEREAS, following the publication of legal notice in accordance with I.C. 5-3-1-2(b), the Council held a public hearing on the additional appropriations, at which hearing taxpayers appearing at the meeting were given the opportunity to be heard, all in accordance with I.C. 6-1.1-18-5 (together with certain other applicable provisions of the Indiana Code, as amended, the "Act"):

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MERIDIAN HILLS, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. <u>Additional Appropriations</u>. The Council hereby makes additional appropriations from unappropriated funds as follows:

General Fund

Other Services and Charges

Professional Services

Town Engineer \$17,000.00

Communication and Telephones

Website \$500.00

Repairs and Maintenance

Auto Repair / Fuel / Oil \$2,000.00

Rainy Day Fund

Other Services and Charges \$72,000.00

The appropriations are in addition to all other appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy. The Clerk-Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to provide the Department of Local Government Finance with a certified copy of this Ordinance in accordance with the Act.

Section 2. <u>Incorporation of Preambles</u>. The preambles to this Ordinance are hereby incorporated into the text of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

Section 3. <u>Effective Date</u>. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and adoption by the Council as provided by law; provided, however, that this Ordinance shall be subject to the receipt of a written determination from the Department of Local Government Finance as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations in accordance with the Act.

Passed by the Town Council of the Town of Meridian Hills, Indiana 2017, by a vote of <u>Z</u> ayes and <u>D</u> nayes. Walter B. Freihold Greg Jacoby Sherman McMu	July M
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ATTEST:

James Rush, Clerk-Treasurer