

RESOLUTION NO. 22-26

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO MUNICIPAL LEAGUE DEFENSE FUND**

**WHEREAS**, Monticello Police Department, Officer David Menotti, has been named as a defendant in an action brought by Andrew Maxwell in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas Case No. 4:22-cv-00043-BSM;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Monticello participates in the Municipal League Defense Program;

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the City of Monticello for the Municipal League Defense Program to assume defense and primary financial responsibility for the defense of the action against Officer David Menotti;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Monticello is obligated to pay a one-time \$3,000.00 fee in regard to the defense of this particular action (in addition to the annual premium payment to the program).

IT IS, THEREFORE, by the City Council of Monticello, Arkansas resolved as follows:

1. That the Mayor is authorized and directed to pay to Arkansas Municipal League the sum of \$3,000.00 to the Municipal League Defense Program for the defense of the referenced action against Officer David Menotti.

(END OF RESOLUTION)

ADOPTED on this 29 day of March, 2022.

  
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Mayor

Attested by:   
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City Clerk