

RESOLUTION 2011-22

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN TO ACT AS A
GOVERNMENTAL PASS-THROUGH ENTITY FOR CERTAIN LAND ACQUISITION PROJECT
AS REQUESTED BY THE CIVIL WAR PRESERVATION TRUST**

WHEREAS, The City of Franklin is home to numerous Civil War battlefields; and

WHEREAS, in particular, the City of Franklin is home to the Lorings Advance Tract, which is located on the Franklin Battlefield, on the site where Loring's Division, Featherston's Brigade came across as the Confederates made their charge against the left Union flank which was defended by Col. Israel N. Stiles' brigade; and

WHEREAS, the City appreciates the necessity of protecting these historic lands; and

WHEREAS, the City has been requested by the Civil War Preservation Trust to act as the governmental pass-through sponsor for the acquisition of property utilizing funds from the National Park Service American Battlefield Protection Program; and now therefore:

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN,
TENNESSEE THAT:**

The City of Franklin will serve as the governmental sponsor for the Lorings Advance Tract in the Franklin Battlefield. The City, through its Mayor and/or City Administrator, will execute an agreement with the Civil War Preservation Trust to provide for the fulfillment by the Civil War Preservation Trust of all requirements of any Grant Agreement with the National Park Service for the acquisition of this property. The City will be notified in writing by the National Park Service that all grant requirements have been met and that funds will be transferred to the City. The City will then commence transfer of funds to the Civil War Preservation Trust. The City will not be providing any funds toward the battlefield acquisition.

Approved this ____ day of _____, 20__.

ATTEST:

CITY OF FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE

BY: _____
ERIC S. STUCKEY
City Administrator

BY: _____
DR. KEN MOORE
Mayor