City of Foley, AL



407 E. Laurel Avenue Foley, AL 36535

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Resolution: 15-2260-RES

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT OF SALE AMONG THE CITY OF FOLEY, ALABAMA AND CRAINE CREEK FARMS, LLC

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FOLEY, ALABAMA (the "Council"), GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF FOLEY, ALABAMA (the "City"), as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. The City has heretofore, upon evidence duly presented to and considered by it, found and determined, and does hereby find, determine and declare that:

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- (b) The City and Craine propose to execute and deliver an Agreement of Sale (the "Agreement") wherein, among other things, the City will agree to sell, and Craine will agree to purchase, the Property for \$35,000. At closing, Craine will deliver the purchase price of \$35,000, and the City will execute and deliver a Statutory Warranty Deed in order to convey title to the Property to Craine.
- (c) Pursuant to Amendment No. 772 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the Agreement, for the purpose of economic development of the City, the City proposes to sell to Craine the Property in consideration, and for the purpose, of the expansion of the CAFFM and construction of the hydroponics greenhouse on the Property, located in the City.
- (d) The Agreement will be executed and delivered by Craine and the City.
- (e) Pursuant to Amendment No. 772 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended ("Amendment No. 772"), the City has caused the Notice attached hereto as Exhibit A (the "Notice") to be published on July 22, 2015 in *The Foley Onlooker* with respect to certain actions proposed to be taken, and the Agreement proposed to be made and delivered, by the parties, to provide for the economic development of the City thereby. The information set forth in the Notice is true and correct and the publication of the Notice is hereby ratified and confirmed.
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(g) The expenditure of public funds for the purposes specified in the Notice and the Agreement will serve a valid and sufficient public purpose, notwithstanding any incidental benefit accruing to any private entity or entities.

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- (i) It is necessary, desirable, and in the best interests of the taxpayers and citizens of the City for the City to deliver and perform the agreements and undertakings of the City set forth in the Agreement.

<u>Section 2</u>. The City does hereby approve, ratify and confirm (i) the form and content of, and the statements set forth in, the Notice and (ii) the publication of the Notice as set forth in Section 1 of this resolution.

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<u>Section 7.</u> The officers of the City, or any one or more of them, are hereby authorized and directed to do and perform or cause to be done or performed in the name and on behalf of the City such other acts, and execute, deliver, file and record such other instruments, documents, certificates, notifications and related documents, all as shall be required by law or necessary or desirable to carry out the provisions and purposes of this Resolution and the Agreement.

Section 8.

(a) All ordinances, resolutions, orders, or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with any provision herein hereby are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, repealed.

(b) This resolution shall take effect immediately.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of August, 2015.

Aye: 3 President Trawick, Council Member Hellmich and Council Member

Blackwell

Nay: 1 Council Member Ebert III

. President's Signature

Date

8-5-15

Attest by City Clerk

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Date 8-5-2015

Mayor's Signature

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WITNESS my hand and seal of the Ci, 2015.	ty of Foley, Alabama, this the day of
[SEAL]	Vickey Southern, City Clerk of the City of Foley, Alabama

I, Vickey Southern, City Clerk of the City of Foley, Alabama, do hereby certify that the attached

EXHIBIT A

LEGAL NOTICE

(See Attached)

GULF COAST MEDI

TWICE WEEKLY The County + 251-928-2321 The Foley Onlocker • 251-843-2151 The Islander • 251-943-2151

MEERIX The Times Independent 251-947-7712.

A DIVISION OF ORGINEWS, LLC FO BOX 1677 * SUMTER, SC 29150.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION STATE OF ALABAMA • BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared April M. Wallace who, by me duly sworn, deposes and says that: she is the Legal Representative of the following newspaper listed below, a newspaper of GENERAL CIRCULATION, PUBLISHED and PRINTED in Baldwin County, Alabama, and that there was published in the Onlooker in the issue/s of:

07/22/2015,,,

a legal notice, a copy of which is hereto attached. The sum charged by the Newspaper for said publication does not exceed the lowest classified rate paid by commercial customers for an advertisement of similar size and frequency in the same newspaper(s) in which the public notice appeared.

There are no agreements between the Newspaper and the officer or attorney charged with the duty of placing the attached legal advertising notices whereby any advantage, gain or profit accrued to said officer or attorney.

Amber Kimbler, Notary Public Baldwin County, Alabama

My commission expires April 10, 2018

AMBER KIMBLER My Commission Expires APRIL 10, 2018

Sworn and subscribed to on 07/22/2015.

Advertiser Account Name: ADAMS AND REESE LLP- LEGAL ACCO

Acct#: 986134

Description:

Amount of Ad; \$130,80

Legal File# Craine Creek

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$\underline{\mathbf{EXHIBIT}\;\mathbf{B}}$

AGREEMENT OF SALE

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