

**ORDINANCE NO. 2023- 28**

**AN ORDINANCE UPDATING THE PRE-APPROVED CLAIMS AMOUNT  
FOR THE TOWN OF WHITESTOWN**

**WHEREAS**, all claims of the Town of Whitestown (“Town”) must be allowed by the town council or board having authority to approve claims before it is paid, except for pre-approved claims; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council may establish pre-approved claims by ordinance; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council has previously established a list of pre-approved claims by ordinance and now desires to increase the pre-approved claim amount for purchasing agents without the need for pre-approval of a Council member.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Town Council of the Town of Whitestown, Indiana, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Pursuant to Ind. Code § 36-5-4-12, the pre-approved claims list for the Town is hereby amended to add the following, for which payment may be made by the Clerk-Treasurer prior to the claim being approved by the Town Council and/or applicable town board:

- Any expenditure of \$5,000 or less for which funds have been appropriated and are approved by the Purchasing Agent.

**SECTION 2.** All ordinances or parts of an ordinance inconsistent or in conflict with the terms of this Ordinance, including but not limited to Ordinance 2009-01, are superseded to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict. All other pre-approved claims not superseded by this Ordinance, including but not limited to those pre-approved claims set forth in Ordinance 2009-01, shall remain in full force and effect.


**SECTION 3.** The provisions of this Ordinance are severable, and the validity of any phrase, clause, or part of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remainder of the Ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

**DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 11th day of October, 2023, by the Town Council of the Town of Whitestown, Indiana, by a vote of 5 in favor and 0 against.

*[Signatures follow on next page]*

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN  
OF WHITESTOWN, INDIANA

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Eric Nichols, President

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Matt Sumner, Clerk-Treasurer  
Town of Whitestown, Indiana

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