GEARY COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 03-17-2014

JUNCTION CITY ORDINANCE NO. G-1144

MILFORD ORDINANCE NO. 2014-2

A JOINT RESOLUTION OF GEARY COUNTY, KANSAS, ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS, AND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MILFORD, KANSAS, RELATING TO THE RECREATION OF A METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION FOR GEARY COUNTY, JUNCTION CITY AND MILFORD, KANSAS; APPOINTING PERSONS TO SERVE ON SAID METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION; SETTING LENGTH OF TERMS FOR SAID APPOINTEES; AND ESTABLISHING SAID PLANNING COMMISSION AS THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Geary County, Kansas, the City Commission of the City of Junction City, Kansas, and the City Council of the City of Milford, Kansas, have agreed through an Interlocal Agreement to provide planning and zoning services to their respective jurisdictions in a joint manner in order to best manage the challenges and concerns of the future growth and development thereof; and,

WHEREAS, Kansas statutes authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Geary County, Kansas, the City of Junction City, Kansas, and the City of Milford, Kansas, to address these concerns by exercising their authority to reestablish a Metropolitan Planning Commission for Geary County, Junction City and Milford, Kansas;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GEARY COUNTY, KANSAS, AND ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS, AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MILFORD, KANSAS, THAT:

1. In accordance with Article 7, Chapter 12, of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, a Metropolitan Planning Commission for Geary County, Kansas, Junction City, Kansas, and Milford, Kansas, is hereby created. Said Metropolitan Planning Commission shall consist of seven (7) persons; three (3) of whom shall be appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Geary County; a majority of whom shall be residents of the unincorporated portion of Geary County; three (3) of whom shall be appointed by the City Commission of Junction City; a majority of whom shall be residents of the incorporated portion of Junction City; and one (1) who shall be appointed by the City Council of the City of Milford, Kansas; said appointee being a resident of the City of Milford, Kansas. Of the persons appointed by the governing bodies of Geary County and Junction City, one (1) shall be appointed for a term of one (1) year, one (1) shall be appointed for a term of two (2) years, and one (1) shall be appointed for a term of three (3) years. The person appointed by the City of Milford shall serve a term of three (3) years. All persons appointed thereafter shall be appointed for a term of three (3) years. Vacancies shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term. Persons appointed to the Planning Commission shall serve without compensation for their service, but may receive reimbursement for expenses.
2. The following persons are hereby appointed to the Metropolitan Planning Commission by the Board of County Commission of Geary County, Kansas:

   **John Moyer,** 5496 Clarks Creek Road, Junction City, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2015.

   **Mike Watson,** 7827 Old Highway 77, Milford, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2016.

   **Maureen Gustafson,** 7033 Clarks Creek Road, Junction City, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2017.

3. The following persons are hereby appointed to the Metropolitan Planning Commission by the City Commission of Junction City, Kansas:

   **Chuck Mowry,** 1245 Miller Drive, Junction City, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2015.

   **Brandon Diben,** 2106 Buffalo Court, Junction City, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2016.

   **Ken Mortensen,** 1914 Sioux Street, Junction City, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2017.

4. The following person is hereby appointed to the Metropolitan Planning Commission by the City Council of Milford, Kansas:

   **Gayle Edmiston,** 1012 Star Circle, Milford, Kansas, shall be appointed for a term to expire on June 30, 2017.

5. The existing Metropolitan Planning Commission for Geary County and Junction City, Kansas, shall remain in effect until the Metropolitan Planning Commission established herein has organized. All plans, rules, regulations and actions of the existing Metropolitan Planning Commission shall remain valid and in effect and shall be considered the actions of the Metropolitan Planning Commission established herein from such time as the new Metropolitan Planning Commission has organized.

6. The existing Planning Commission for Milford, Kansas, shall remain in effect until the Metropolitan Planning Commission established herein has organized. All plans, rules, regulations and actions of the existing Planning Commission for Milford, Kansas, shall remain valid and in effect and shall be considered the actions of the Metropolitan Planning Commission established herein from such time as the new Metropolitan Planning Commission has organized.

7. The existing Board of Zoning Appeals for Geary County, Junction City and Milford, Kansas, shall cease to exist upon the organization of the Metropolitan Planning Commission as established herein. At the organizational meeting thereof, the Metropolitan Planning Commission shall also organize itself as the Board of Zoning Appeals as provided in the Interlocal Agreement of Geary County, Junction City and Milford, Kansas, and as authorized by Kansas statutes. All plans, rules, regulations and actions of the existing Board of Zoning Appeals shall remain valid and in effect from such time as the new Board of Zoning Appeals has organized.
8. This joint resolution and ordinances shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the official newspaper of Geary County, Junction City and Milford, Kansas.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Geary County, Kansas, this 17th day of March, 2014.

By: Larry Hicks, Chair

By: Florence Whitebread, Commissioner

By: R. Ben Bennett, Commissioner

ATTEST: Rebecca Bossemeyer, County Clerk

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION of the City of Junction City, Kansas this 18th day of March, 2014.

By: Cecil Aska, Mayor

ATTEST: Amber Picken, City Clerk

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of Milford, Kansas this 13th day of March, 2014.

By: Brad Roether, Mayor

ATTEST: Tim Himelick, City Clerk