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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 82.487, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof four new sections relating to the office of financial empowerment.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 82.487, RSMo, is repealed and four new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 67.960, 67.965, 82.487 and 82.505, to read as follows:

67.960. 1. The treasurer of any county shall have the authority to establish, as a division of such treasurer's office, an "Office of Financial Empowerment", which shall have the mission to educate the public about personal finances and small businesses about available support and access to banking resources. The office of financial empowerment shall have the authority to conduct research, provide educational programs, provide counseling, and disseminate information in furtherance of its mission. The office of financial empowerment may organize, administer, and deliver financial programs directly or through agents.

- 2. The office of financial empowerment shall also have the authority to:
- (1) Apply for and accept grants on behalf of the county;
- (2) Enter into service agreements with public and private entities and perform any acts, including the expenditure of funds subject to appropriation, as necessary or advisable to satisfy the terms of such service agreements, including any renewals thereto; and
- (3) Enter into and execute sponsorship agreements, containing terms and conditions that the treasurer deems appropriate, with sponsors relating to a financial empowerment fair. Sponsors may, at the discretion of the treasurer and upon terms determined by the treasurer, offer and sell goods and services to the public at such a fair.

- For purposes of this subdivision, "sponsor" means a person who exchanges money or other goods or services to the county for advertising or promotional rights at such a fair.
- 67.965. The county treasurer may make an annual appropriation to the office of financial empowerment authorized under section 67.960 by including the amount of the appropriation in the treasurer's budget request.
 - 82.487. 1. The parking commission of any city not within a county shall be the city's authority for overseeing public parking, including planning and coordinating policies, programs and operations for any parking facility or spaces owned in whole or part, leased or managed by the parking division. On behalf of the city, the parking commission shall approve:
 - (1) Guidelines governing the administrative adjudication, disposition and collection of any parking violations or complaints issued by the city;
 - (2) Budget modifications for the parking fund, also known as the "parking meter fund"; and
 - (3) The acquisition, development, regulation and operation of such parking facilities or spaces owned in whole or in part, leased or managed by the parking division.
 - 2. The treasurer of any city not within a county shall be the parking supervisor, also known as the "supervisor of parking meters", for any parking facility or space owned in whole or part, leased or managed by the city parking division, and by virtue of his **or her** office, shall be subject to the oversight and authorized funding in whole or in part, by the parking commission. **The parking supervisor**:
 - (1) May establish joint public-private parking ventures;
 - (2) **Shall** supervise the acquisition, development and operation of parking division properties or facilities owned by title or funded in whole or in part, leased or managed by the parking division;
 - (3) **Shall** make and pay contracts and other obligations;
 - (4) **Shall** supervise any other on-street and off-street parking programs and assets;
 - (5) Shall provide the comptroller with monthly reports of all parking revenues collected by the city; [and]
 - (6) **Shall** make biannual installment payments of the annual general fund transfer subject to the parking commission's approval and provide the comptroller and treasurer with monthly reports of all parking revenues collected by the city; **and**
 - (7) May make an annual appropriation to the budget of the office of financial empowerment established under section 82.505 for operating expenses using moneys from the parking meter fund.
- 3. Nothing in this section shall be construed as limiting or altering the powers and duties of the license collector of the city prescribed in section 82.340, and the exclusive authority to

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issue licenses and receipts for license taxes shall remain with and be exercised by the license collector.

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- 4. Nothing in this section shall be construed as limiting or altering the powers and duties of the city's collector of revenue as provided in section 52.220.
 - 82.505. 1. The treasurer of any city not within a county shall have the authority to establish, as a division of such treasurer's office, an "Office of Financial Empowerment", which shall have the mission to educate the public about personal finances and small businesses about available support and access to banking resources. The office of financial empowerment shall have the authority to conduct research, provide educational programs, provide counseling, and disseminate information in furtherance of its mission. The office of financial empowerment may organize, administer, and deliver financial programs directly or through agents.
 - 2. The office of financial empowerment shall also have the authority to:
 - (1) Apply for and accept grants on behalf of the city;
 - (2) Enter into service agreements with public and private entities and perform any acts, including the expenditure of funds subject to appropriation, as necessary or advisable to satisfy the terms of such service agreements, including any renewals thereto; and
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