

ORDINANCE 2026 –

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2025/2026 BUDGET ORDINANCE 2025-35 TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR DEBRIS REMOVAL/DISPOSAL AND DEBRIS MONITORING SERVICES FROM THE JANUARY ICE STORM

WHEREAS, the City of Mt. Juliet seeks to expediently remove and dispose of storm debris as a result of the recent ice storm; and

WHEREAS, FEMA has declared the areas affected by the ice storm to be a major disaster area, making items such as debris removal and monitoring services eligible for reimbursement from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mt. Juliet has previously procured services of a company specializing in debris clearance, removal, and disposal and a company specializing in monitoring for emergency and on call purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City estimates the cost of the debris removal and monitoring to be \$300,000.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Mt. Juliet, Tennessee as follows:

Section 1. The 2025/2026 Budget Ordinance (Ordinance 2025-35) is hereby amended as follows:

General Fund

	Increase the Following Expenditures:	
110-43110-999	Tornado Debris Cleanup & Monitoring	\$ 250,000
	Decrease in the Following Reserves:	
110-27100	Fund Balance	\$ 250,000

Section 2. The budget ordinance, as amended, is ratified and readopted in all respects and this amendment is incorporated therein.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED

In case of conflict between this ordinance or any part hereof, and the whole part of any existing ordinance of the City, the conflicting ordinance is repealed to the extent of the conflict but no further.

If any section, clause, or provision or portion of this ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect any other section, clause, or provision or portion of this ordinance.

This ordinance shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

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PASSED:

FIRST READING: February 23, 2026

SECOND READING:

James Maness, Mayor

Kenny Martin, City Manager

ATTEST:

Jennifer Hamblen, CMC, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Samantha A. Burnett, City Attorney