RESOLUTION NO. 1008

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF THE OKLAHOMA ROUTE 66 REVITALIZATION GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OKLAHOMA ROUTE 66 COMMISSION TO TARGET TOURISM BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT(S)

WHEREAS, the City of Clinton is proud to be located on historic Route 66, which will celebrate its centennial in 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Route 66 Centennial Commission has offered grants intended to celebrate the "Mother Road's" centennial and to target tourism based economic growth opportunities in Clinton; and

WHEREAS, the Clinton Route 66 Centennial Committee, many local individuals and groups and City of Clinton City Manager have conferred on many occasions regarding which eligible projects would benefit the citizens of Clinton via tourism based economic based: and

WHEREAS, after due consideration and with the assistance of the OCRA Projects architectural firm, the City of Clinton has had prepared an application to enhance the City's economic development strategy, and

WHEREAS, the City of Clinton will appropriate \$_____ as a local cash match from its FYE26 Capital Improvements Fund towards this project, subject to grant funding

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Clinton to authorize the submittal of the grant application(s) for the:

Way Finding – Signs of Renewal and/or Firehouse 66 Project(s)

before the September 30, 2025 grant deadline.

PASSED by the City Council this 25th day of September 2025.

	David D. Berrong, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Amy E. Jones, City Clerk	