

RESOLUTION

No. _____

A RESOLUTION OBLIGATING FUNDS TO LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND PROJECT

REGION 2 PARISH Tangipahoa

PROJECT NO. Pending

WHEREAS, the _____ City of Hammond _____ is interested in acquiring lands and/or developing outdoor recreational facilities on the following described project for the enjoyment of the citizenry of said _____ Hammond _____ and the State of Louisiana.

PROJECT TITLE AND DESCRIPTION:

Mooney Avenue Park Improvements: As proposed, these improvements would include a new, safe, and accessible playground, a youth court supporting multiple sports/sport-like activities for children aged 5–12, a shade structure over the Park's new basketball court, a walking trail, outdoor exercise equipment, a new picnic pavilion/gazebo, new swings, benches, and picnic tables, safety and privacy fencing, new trees, landscaping to enhance and preserve the Park's existing natural elements (e.g. Live Oaks), and new signage. Slated for completion in 2021–22, these improvements will promote safety, accessibility, and inclusivity, provide new opportunities for outdoor recreation and exercise, restore tree canopy and enhance other natural features, and improve the overall aesthetic and function of the Park—enabling it to serve surrounding neighborhoods and the larger Hammond community for decades to come.

ANY WIRING COVERED IN THIS PROJECT, OR WIRING DONE IN THE FUTURE ON THIS SITE, WILL BE PLACED UNDERGROUND.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the _____ City _____ of _____ Hammond _____, State of Louisiana, that said _____ City of Hammond _____ does agree to obligate the funds or services stipulated below to satisfactorily complete the following project and thus become eligible for Land and Water Conservation Fund financial aid of **50%** of the estimated or actual allowable cost, at the completion of said project. Said _____ City of Hammond _____ also states that sufficient funds are on hand, as of this date, to fund said project as follows:

TOTAL ESTIMATED Cost	TOTAL ESTIMATED Federal	TOTAL ESTIMATED Sponsor's	SPONSORS COST BREAKDOWN (Total Same as column 3)	
			Cash	Services
\$ 500,000	\$ 250,000	\$ 250,000	\$ 250,000	0

AND, be it further resolved that the _____ City of Hammond _____ is hereby authorized and directed to make application to the Louisiana Office of State Parks, Division of Outdoor Recreation, to seek federal financial assistance on this project for them, and be further authorized to take the necessary action to complete such project and sign such documents as are required.

AND, be it further resolved that this resolution and plan approved by said _____ City of Hammond _____ be forwarded to the Louisiana Office of State Parks for the purpose of obtaining such financial aid.

DATED this 26 date of May, 20 20

Introduced by _____ and seconded by _____

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of RESOLUTION duly and legally adopted by _____ City of Hammond _____ at a legal meeting held on this 26 day of May, 20 20.

Tonia Banks, City Council Clerk
(Name/Title)