

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF FUNLAND AMUSEMENT PARK; AMENDING THE 2023 BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, on March 31, 2023, a devastating tornado passed through several miles of the City of North Little Rock (“the City”), resulting in extensive public property damage, and

WHEREAS, the Funland Amusement Park was completely destroyed, including the rides, pavilions, and several buildings; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to construct a new playground (to include a splash pad) at the former Funland Amusement Park site; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Arkansas Code §§ 14-170-201, et. seq., the City wishes to enter into contracts with DCI, Gametime/Playcore and Vortex Aquatic Structures; and

WHEREAS, said contracts in total shall not exceed \$3,175,000 and shall be funded as follows:

Estimated FEMA proceeds	\$1,037,000
Insurance proceeds	\$ 523,000
2023 Sales Tax Capital Improvement Fund	<u>\$1,615,000</u>
Total	\$3,175,000

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to enter into contracts with DCI, Gametime/Playcore and Vortex Aquatic Structures for reconstruction of Funland Amusement Park in an amount not to exceed the total sum of \$3,175,000, with all contracts/agreements to be reviewed and approved by the City Attorney prior to execution.

SECTION 2: That the 2023 Budget for the City of North Little Rock should be, and is hereby, amended to include additional expenses of \$1,615,000 in the 2023 Sales Tax Capital Improvement Fund.

SECTION 3: The funds for the above additional expenses are hereby appropriated within the respective fund.

SECTION 4: That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 5: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED:

APPROVED:

Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

SPONSOR:

ATTEST:

TERRY C. Hartwick
Terry Hartwick Mayor *by AF*

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amy Beckman Fields
Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/

FILED	<u>10.55</u>	A.M.	_____	P.M.
By	<u>A. Fields</u>			
DATE	<u>12-19-23</u>			
Diane Whitbey, City Clerk and Collector North Little Rock, Arkansas				
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