

A RESOLUTION

setting a public hearing; declaring the necessity for the proposed development of the MKT Wetlands project located southeast of the Scott Boulevard Trailhead and the MKT Trail to include construction of two (2) wetland cells, wooden boardwalk with a lookout deck and bench seating, and a gravel trail and grass trails; stating the nature of and the estimate of the cost of the proposed improvement; providing source of funds for payment for the proposed improvement; and providing for compliance with the prevailing wage law.

WHEREAS, an online survey for interested parties for the proposed development of the MKT Wetlands project located southeast of the Scott Boulevard Trailhead and the MKT Trail to include construction of two (2) wetland cells, wooden boardwalk with a lookout deck and bench seating, and a gravel trail and grass trails was held by the Parks and Recreation Department from December 30, 2020 to April 9, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. A public hearing in respect to the proposed public improvements set forth herein will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall Building, 701 E. Broadway, Columbia, Missouri, at 7:00 p.m. on July 19, 2021. The City Clerk shall cause notice of this hearing to be published in a newspaper published in the City.

SECTION 2. The City Council deems the proposed development of the MKT Wetlands project located southeast of the Scott Boulevard Trailhead and the MKT Trail to include construction of two (2) wetland cells, wooden boardwalk with a lookout deck and bench seating, and a gravel trail and grass trails, necessary to the welfare and improvement of the City but desires to hear from the public prior to taking further action to authorize construction of the project.

SECTION 3. The nature and scope of the proposed improvement project shall consist of furnishing all labor, materials, transportation, insurance and all other items, accessories and incidentals thereto necessary for the complete construction of the improvements. Following the public hearing the City Council shall determine whether it is in the public interest to make the proposed public improvements or any part thereof.

SECTION 4. The estimated cost of this proposed improvement project is \$120,000.00.

SECTION 5. Payment for this proposed improvement project shall be made from a donation received from Tom and Ann Smith (\$40,000.00), park sales tax funds, and such other funds as may be lawfully appropriated.

SECTION 6. Any work done in connection with the construction of the proposed improvement specified above shall be in compliance with the provisions of the prevailing wage laws of the State of Missouri.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2021.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Counselor