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AN ORDINANCE

determining it is in the public interest to construct improvements at the American Legion Park to include replacement of the existing playground and shelter, installation of lighting and a fire pit, and construction of ADA walkways within the park; approving and adopting plans and specifications; determining that a portion of the work shall be done by contract; calling for bids for a portion of the work through the Purchasing Division; providing for payment for the improvement; authorizing the City Manager to obtain, execute and record all documents necessary for the improvement; providing for compliance with the prevailing wage law and state-mandated construction safety training; and fixing the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

WHEREAS, an interested parties meeting for the proposed construction of improvements at the American Legion Park was held by the Parks and Recreation Department on January 10, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted a resolution declaring the necessity for the proposed construction of improvements at the American Legion Park to include replacement of the existing playground and shelter, installation of lighting and a fire pit, and construction of ADA walkways within the park; and

WHEREAS, the notice of a public hearing on this project was published in a daily newspaper of general circulation in the city; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has held a public hearing on construction of the proposed improvements.

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

SECTION 1. The Council finds that the construction of improvements at the American Legion Park to include replacement of the existing playground and shelter, installation of lighting and a fire pit, and construction of ADA walkways within the park, in the City of Columbia, Missouri, is necessary for the welfare and improvement of the city and that it is in the public interest that such improvements be made.

SECTION 2. The plans and specifications for the improvements, as prepared by the Director of Parks and Recreation, are hereby approved.

SECTION 3. A portion of the construction of improvements shall be done by contract in accordance with the plans and specifications, the laws of the State of Missouri, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Columbia, Missouri.

SECTION 4. The Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to call for bids and execute a contract for installation of a portion of the improvements. As deemed advisable by the City Manager, city employees may be used to construct all other improvements.

SECTION 5. Payment for the improvements shall be made from park sales tax funds and such other funds as may be lawfully appropriated.

SECTION 6. The City Manager is authorized to obtain, execute and have recorded all licenses, easements, deeds and any other conveyances or instruments necessary for the City to complete the improvements.

SECTION 7. The contract for the improvements shall provide that not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages, as found by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations of Missouri, shall be paid to all workers performing work under the contract. The contractor's bond shall guarantee the faithful performance of the prevailing hourly wage clause in the contract.

SECTION 8. The bid specifications and contract for the improvements shall provide that the contractor and any subcontractor shall provide a ten-hour Occupational Safety and Health Administration construction safety program (or a similar program approved by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations) for all employees working on-site. All employees working on the site of the improvements are required to complete the safety program within 60 days of beginning work on the improvement project.

SECTION 9. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED this day of	, 2017.
ATTEST:	
City Clerk	Mayor and Presiding Officer
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
City Counselor	