## **A RESOLUTION**

authorizing the application for a Land and Water Conservation Fund grant from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources for park improvements at Rainbow Softball Complex located in Columbia Cosmopolitan Recreation Area.

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

SECTION 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to apply for a Land and Water Conservation Fund grant from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of constructing park improvements at Rainbow Softball Complex located in Columbia Cosmopolitan Recreation Area.

SECTION 2. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, is authorized to furnish all necessary information required by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, U.S. Department of the Interior or National Park Service, and to sign all necessary documents on behalf of the City, in conjunction with the application and administration of the grant, if awarded.

SECTION 3. The estimated cost for this improvement is \$1,250,000.00. The amount of the grant applied for will be \$500,000.00 with the City providing \$750,000.00 in matching funds using Park Sales Tax Funds.

SECTION 4. In the event a grant is awarded, the City will commit the necessary financial resources to operate and maintain the completed project in a safe and attractive manner for public access for a period of time to meet or exceed the required minimum period of time established by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources. Such commitment shall be established at the end of the project construction by the execution and filing of a Declaration of Deed Restriction in the land records of Boone County, Missouri which complies with the rules and regulations of the Land and Water Conservation Fund program for each deed of the park where the park improvement project is located.

SECTION 5. In the event a grant is awarded, the City is prepared to complete the project within the time period identified on the signed financial assistance agreement.

SECTION 6. In the event a grant is awarded, the City will comply with all rules and regulations of Land and Water Conservation Fund program, applicable Executive Orders, all federal and state laws that govern the grant applicant during the performance of the project, and stewardship requirements when the project is complete.

	ADOPTED this	day of	, 2024
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City Clerk	Mayor and Presiding Officer
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	