

RES 17-023

Wilmington, Delaware

April 6, 2017

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**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 2-363 of the City Code, the Council deemed it necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored grant applications and proposals; and

**Sponsor:**

**Council  
Member  
Chukwuocha**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Parks and Recreation intend to request \$50,000.00 in grant funds for park improvements from Be Ready Community Development Corporation; and

**Co-Sponsors:**

**Council  
Member  
Harlee**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Parks and Recreation intends to use the grant funds for improvement to the following parks: 4<sup>th</sup> and Rodney and Connell St.; and

**Council  
Members  
Williams  
Turner**

**WHEREAS**, the City is not required to provide matching funds for receipt of these grant funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Department of Parks and Recreation to accept the grant funds from Be Ready Community Development Corporation in the amount of \$50,000.00 for the aforesaid purposes.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON** that the Department of Parks and Recreation's grant request to Be Ready Community Development Corporation in the amount of \$50,000.00 is hereby authorized.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Director of Parks and Recreation, or his designee, shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to accept any and all funds associated with the grant request and to fulfill the grant requirements.

Passed by City Council,  
April 6, 2017

ATTEST: Maribel Seijo  
City Clerk

Approved as to form this 5  
day of April, 2016

William B. Larson Jr.  
Assistant City Solicitor

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution authorizes a request of the Department of Parks and Recreation to Be Ready Community Development Corporation for grant funds in the amount of \$50,000 for park improvements. There is no local match required.

#### **Impact Statement**

This grant would have no negative fiscal impact on the City. This Resolution approves a request to Be Ready Community Development Corporation for grant funds in the amount of \$50,000.00 with no matching funds requirement.