Wilmington, Delaware September 21, 2017

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**Sponsor:** 

Council Member Chukwuocha 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, including authorization for expedited grant applications when necessary prior to Council's approval by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City, through the Department of Parks and Recreation, applied for a Tobacco Prevention Grant from the American Lung Association in Delaware in the amount of \$15,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the proposed grant funds will be used to prevent the use of tobacco products and increase opportunities for daily physical activity for children and their families through the Winter Basketball League, and

WHEREAS, no matching funds are required; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the grant application, for the aforesaid purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON that the Department of Parks and Recreation's grant application to the American Lung Association in Delaware in the amount of \$15,000.00 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 application and to fulfill the grant requirements.

Passed by City Council, September 21, 2017

ATTEST: Waribel Seijo

Approved as to form this  $\frac{19}{2}$  day of

<u>Systember</u>, 2017.

Assistant City Solicitor

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation's application for a Tabaco Prevention Grant from the American Lung Association in Delaware in the amount of \$15,000.00. The funds will be used to prevent the use of tobacco products and increase opportunities for daily physical activity for children and their families through the Winter Basketball League. No local matching funds are required.

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:** There is no negative fiscal impact on the City, because no local matching funds are required by the grant.

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