## RES 15-041

Wilmington, Delaware July 9, 2015

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**Sponsor:** 

Council Member Freel

Co-Sponsor:

Council Member M. Brown WHEREAS, by its Ordinance No. 97-051, amending 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 a requirement for Council approval by resolution and including authorization for expedited grant applications when necessary, prior to Council's resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City, through the Department of Planning, has sought to obtain grant funding from the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs in the amount of \$17,848.00 of funding to continue the City's Historic Preservation Planning Program for the Federal Fiscal Year 2015; and

WHEREAS, the said grant will provide grant funding to continue the City's Historic Preservation Planning Program which has been in existence for over thirty years; and

WHEREAS, the said grant requires matching funds totaling at least \$11,899.00 and matching funds are included in the General Fund budget in the amount of \$50,091.00; and

WHEREAS, in order to qualify for the grant and receive the funding, the application for said grant had to be submitted in advance of City Council approval by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize woo79409.

the Department of Planning to accept the aforesaid grant funding from the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON that the Department of Planning is hereby authorized to accept grant funds from the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs in the amount of \$17,848.00 to fund the City's Historical Preservation Planning Program for the Federal Fiscal Year 2015.

Passed by City Council July 9, 2015

ATTEST: <u>Waribel Seiz</u>

Approved as to form this 3 day of July, 2015

Senior Assistant City Solicitor

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution approves the acceptance of a grant by the Department of Planning with the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs in the amount of \$17,848.00. This grant will fund the City's Historic Preservation Planning Program for the Fiscal Year 2015. The grant requires matching funds totaling at least \$11,899.00.

## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

This Resolution approves the filing of a grant application by the Department of Planning with the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs for grant funds in the amount of \$17,848.00. This grant will fund the City's Historic Preservation Planning Program for the Federal Fiscal Year 2015. The required matching funds will be met by general funds in the amount of \$50,091.00.