

Wilmington, Delaware
November 15, 2018

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Sponsor:

Council
Member
Harlee

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 an Outdoor Recreation, Parks and Trails Grant from the Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control in the amount of \$100,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the proposed grant funds will be used to replace the playground equipment at Eden Park with new, safe equipment, and

WHEREAS, the grant requires at least a 100% match, which is already available from the Parks Capital Budget; 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 Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control in the amount of \$100,000.00 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,

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation's application for an Outdoor Recreation, Parks and Trails Grant from the Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control in the amount of \$100,000.00. The funds will be used to replace the playground equipment at Eden Park with new, safe equipment.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT: There is no negative fiscal impact on the City, because the offered matching funds were budgeted in the Parks Capital Budget.