Wilmington, Delaware April 4, 2019

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Sponsor:

Council Member Harlee

Co-Sponsor:

Council Member Oliver **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 2-363 of the City Code, the City may apply for grant funds, subject to the approval of City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation submitted a grant application to the Laffey-McHugh Foundation in the amount of \$10,000.00 for the City's 2019 Summer Youth Career Development Program (the "Youth Program"); and

WHEREAS, the grant funds will be used to provide training and technical assistance for the Youth Program; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Program offers employment opportunities to the City's youth ages 14 to 20; and

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

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation recommends that City Council approve the City's grant application; and

WHEREAS, City Council deems it necessary and appropriate 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 Laffey-McHugh Foundation in the amount of \$10,000.00 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, April 4, 2019

ATTEST: Maribel Deijo
City Clerk

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation's application for a grant from the Laffey-McHugh Foundation in the amount of \$10,000.00. The funds would be used to provide training and technical assistance for the City's 2019 Summer Youth Career Development Program. No local matching funds are required.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT: This grant would not have a negative impact on the City because no local matching funds are required.