

Wilmington, Delaware
June 18, 2026

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-363 of the City Code, City Council deemed it
Sponsor: necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored
Council grant applications and proposals, including authorization for expedited grant applications when
Member necessary prior to Council’s approval by resolution; and
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WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation has submitted a grant application
to Bank of America in the amount of \$75,000; and

WHEREAS, the grant funding will be used to fund wages for youth participating in
the Next Level internship portion of the Youth Career Development program during summer
2026; and

WHEREAS, no matching funds are required; and

WHEREAS, City Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the grant
application 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 application to Bank
of America in the total amount of \$75,000, or such other amount that Bank of America awards,
is hereby authorized.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of the Department of Parks and
Recreation, or her 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

Approved as to form this ____
day of June, 2026.

Senior Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation’s grant application to Bank of America in the amount of \$75,000, or such other amount that Bank of America awards. The grant funds will be used to fund wages for youth participating in the Next Level internship portion of the Youth Career Development program during summer 2026. No local matching funds are required.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT: The Office of Management and Budget has reviewed and analyzed this Resolution, which authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to apply for and accept grant funding from Bank of America in the amount of \$75,000, or such other amount as Bank of America awards, to fund wages for youth participating in the Next Level Internship portion of the Youth Career Development program during summer 2026. This grant does not require City matching funds and is not expected to result in a net additional General Fund cost, as long as wage costs are eligible under the grant and do not exceed the final grant award. Any costs that are later found to be ineligible, exceed the amount awarded, or are otherwise not covered by the grant would need to be paid from another authorized funding source.

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