

RESOLUTION NO. 2317

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND ACCEPTING FUNDS AWARDED THROUGH A GRANT FROM THE TONY HAWK FOUNDATION FOR THE SALISBURY SKATEPARK, PHASE I.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Salisbury recognizes the important role that our local parks, playgrounds and recreational areas play in maintaining a healthy, pleasant, attractive environment for the enjoyment of our local residents; and

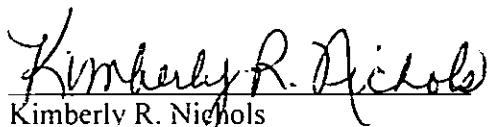
WHEREAS, the Council wishes to rehabilitate, improve and expand the parks, playgrounds and recreational areas within the City of Salisbury in order to improve the quality of life for all citizens; and

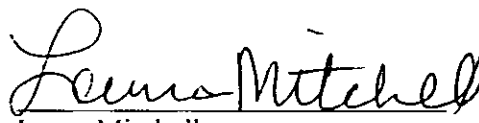
WHEREAS, the mission of the Tony Hawk Foundation is to foster lasting improvements in society, with an emphasis on supporting and empowering youth in disadvantaged communities, by supporting the creation of public skateboard parks that promote healthy, active lifestyles; and

WHEREAS, the Tony Hawk Foundation has awarded a grant to the City of Salisbury for Phase 1 of the Salisbury Skatepark in the amount of \$5,000.

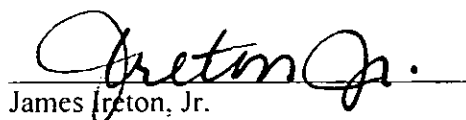
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013, that the City of Salisbury, Maryland, does hereby accept the funds awarded through the Tony Hawk Foundation for the project as funded and in the amount outlined above.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on August 12, 2013, and is to become effective immediately.

  
Kimberly R. Nichols  
CITY CLERK

  
Laura Mitchell  
COUNCIL VICE PRESIDENT

APPROVED BY ME THIS  
13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013

  
James Irton, Jr.  
Mayor

# Office of Community Development

## MEMO

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**To: Tom Stevenson**

**From: Deborah Stam**

**Subject: Resolution Accepting the Tony Hawk Foundation (THF)  
Grant Funds for the Salisbury Skatepark, Phase 1**

**Date: August 6, 2013**

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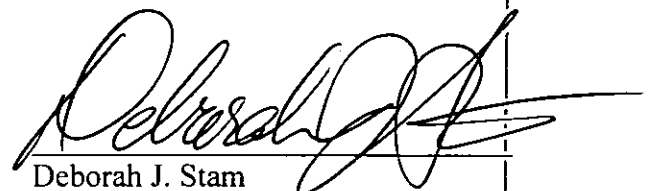
Last week we received a check from the Tony Hawk Foundation for the \$5,000 grant that they have awarded the City of Salisbury for Phase 1 of the Salisbury Skatepark. Attached is a copy of the cover letter that came with the check. The Salisbury Skatepark Committee will be required to raise an additional \$5,000 to match this grant award. We will provide documentation to the Foundation that this matching amount has been raised as the project progresses.

The mission of the Tony Hawk Foundation is to foster lasting improvements in society, with an emphasis on supporting and empowering youth in disadvantaged communities. The Foundation supports the creation of public skateboard parks that promote healthy, active lifestyles.

The Salisbury Skatepark project will provide a facility that will be hugely beneficial to the youth of our community. This project will serve to expand the commitment that our community has made to our local youth, by providing yet another amenity to serve their health, social and recreational needs.

The Salisbury Skatepark will be a poured-in-place concrete structure, and it will be put out to bid as a design-build contract, so that the designer and the construction contractor are working together every step of the way. The design process will include planning sessions with the local skateboarders to ensure that the final product is one which makes the end users happy. Phase 1 of the skatepark project will include the design of the project, site preparation work, construction of the first 6,000 square feet of the poured-in-place concrete, purchase and installation of some of the fencing, the Skatepark Rules / Funding Acknowledgement sign, and a couple of trash cans.

Attached is a Resolution accepting these grant funds from the Tony Hawk Foundation which have been awarded to the City of Salisbury. Please forward this Resolution to the City Council so that it may be placed on their agenda for the work session on August 19, 2013, and the council meeting on August 26, 2013.



Deborah J. Stam  
Community Development Director

Attachments  
CC: Ginny Hussey



29 July 2013

City of Salisbury, MD  
City of Salisbury  
125 North Division Street  
Salisbury, MD 21801  
Attn: Deborah J. Stam

Dear Deborah J. Stam,

Enclosed please find the Tony Hawk Foundation grant check in the amount of \$5,000 to be applied toward the construction of your public skatepark in Salisbury.

The Tony Hawk Foundation Board Of Directors is very pleased to be able to assist your skatepark program. We look forward to the park's eventual opening, and to hearing from you about its progress in the meantime.

Best Regards,

Miki Vuckovich  
Executive Director