ORDINANCE No. 2621

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY ACCEPTING DONATED FUNDS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY FOR VARIOUS COMMUNITY BETTERMENT PROJECTS AND AMENDING THE FY2021 BUDGET TO APPROPRIATE THESE DONATED FUNDS FOR THOSE PROJECTS.

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury has established a Kindness Commission in order to better the lives of our fellow citizens through acts of kindness and compassion; and

WHEREAS, Ben's Red Swings is a playground that was created to honor the memory of Benjamin Layton, and was constructed by his family, friends and other members of the Salisbury community; and,

WHEREAS, the City has accepted donations from members of the community who are interested in contributing to the good works of the Kindness Commission and the maintenance and upkeep of the Ben's Red Swings playground; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Vel Natesan, MD has provided a donation in the amount of \$300.00 for the Kindness Commission; and

WHEREAS, the First Shore Federal Savings and Loan Association has provided a donation in the amount of \$100.00 for the Kindness Commission; and

WHEREAS, William and Brenda Beauchamp have provided a donation in the amount of \$50.00 for the Ben's Red Swings playground; and

WHEREAS, the appropriations necessary to execute the purpose of these donations must be made upon the recommendation of the Mayor and the approval of four-fifths of the Council of the City of Salisbury.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND that the City accepts the aforementioned donated funds to be spent on the program and/or project for which the donation was made.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY that the City's Fiscal Year 2021 Budget be and is hereby, amended as follows:

- 1) Increase the Donations-Other Kindness Commission Revenue Account (10700–456415–XXXXX) by \$400.00
- 2) Increase the Kindness Commission Operating Expense Account (10700–546006–XXXXX) by \$400.00
- 3) Increase the Donations-Other Playground Maintenance Revenue Account (10700–456415–XXXXX) by \$50.00
- 4) Increase the Playground Maintenance Expense Account (10700–523628–XXXXX) by \$50.00

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its final passage.

THIS ORDINANCE was introduced and read at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 12th day of October, 2020, and thereafter, a statement of the substance of the Ordinance having been published as required by law, was finally passed by the Council on the 26th day of October, 2020.

ATTEST:

Kimberly R. Nichols

City Clerk

John R. Heath, President Salisbury City Council

APPROVED BY ME THIS:

27 day of October, 2020

Julia Glanz, City Administrator

for and at the direction of Jacob R. Day, Mayor

Finance Department / HCDD MEMO

To: Keith Cordrey

From: Deborah Stam

Subject: Ordinance - Budget Amendment - Acceptance / Appropriation

of Donated Funds for Community Projects

Date: September 25, 2020

In FY 2020 the City of Salisbury received donation checks from members of the community for various community projects. Two checks were received for the Kindness Commission, and one was received for Ben's Red Swings. The three donations received were as follows:

- Dr. Vel Natesan, MD has provided a donation for the Kindness Commission in the amount of \$300
- First Shore Federal Savings and Loan Association has provided a donation for the Kindness Commission in the amount of \$100
- William and Brenda Beauchamp have provided a donation for the Ben's Red Swings playground in the amount of \$50

Attached is an Ordinance approving a budget amendment of the Donations-Other General Fund to appropriate the donated funds that have been received for these projects.

Please forward this information to the City Council to be placed on their agenda for discussion at the October 5, 2020 work session, first reading at the October 12, 2020 legislative meeting, and second reading / final passage at the October 26, 2020 legislative meeting. Thank you for your assistance.

Deborah J. Stam

Grants Manager

Finance Department / HCDD

Attachments

CC: Olga Butar Kim Nichols Diane Carter Kristine Devine