

City of Saint Paul

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Legislation Text

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Authorizing an increase in the Parks and Recreation Grant Fund Budgets in the amount of \$1,105,000 to reflect the updated awards for recurring grants received from the Wallace Foundation, the Pohlad Foundation, State of Minnesota DEED, and State of Minnesota DNR.

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation has been awarded an additional \$150,000 in grant funding from the Wallace Foundation for 2015; and

WHEREAS, Parks and Recreation has developed spending plans to best utilize this additional funding to further support the Sprockets Out of School Time Network; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation has been awarded additional grant funding in the amount of \$35,000 from the Pohlad Foundation, to support the City's Right Track Youth Job Program; and

WHEREAS, Parks and Recreation has been awarded grant funding in the amount of \$600,000 from the State of Minnesota, Department of Employment and Economic Development, to continue funding for Right Track operations during the State's 2016 Fiscal Year; and

WHEREAS, Parks and Recreation has been awarded recurring grant funding in the amount of \$320,000 from the State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources, for State Fiscal Years 2016/17, to continue supporting operations at the Como Park Zoo and Conservatory; and

WHEREAS, Each of these grants is recurring, with updated amounts reflecting the current award; and

WHEREAS, Parks and Recreation wishes to amend these Grant Fund budgets with spending plans for the additional funding; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, pursuant to Section 10.07.01 of the Charter of the City of Saint Paul, does certify that there are available for appropriation, funds of \$1,105,000 in excess of those estimated in the current Grant Budget; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Saint Paul authorizes these amendments for the Life-to-date Grant Budget.

See Attachment