

Legislation Text

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Approving the use of grant funds through the Neighborhood STAR Year-Round Program for the Friends of Wacouta Park Tot Lot Project.

WHEREAS, on October 15, 2021, the Neighborhood STAR Board reviewed a proposal from the Friends of Wacouta Park for Neighborhood STAR Year-Round Program grant financing for costs associated with the removal and replacement of playground equipment in Wacouta Park, and

WHEREAS, matching funds in the amount of \$107,500 were pledged for this project; and

WHEREAS, Wacouta Park continues to positively impact residents and visitors in this downtown neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, the Neighborhood STAR Board rated this project a 3.2 on a scale from 1 (low) to 5 (high); and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Mayor and the Saint Paul City Council to participate in the financing of these activities by providing up to \$25,000 in grant financing through the Ward 2 Neighborhood STAR Year-Round Program; now be it

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Mayor, the Council of the City of Saint Paul hereby authorizes and directs the appropriate City officials to execute the necessary grant documents to implement this Resolution, subject to approval by the City Attorney; and be it

FINALLY RESOLVED, staff of the Department of Planning and Economic Development are further authorized and directed to proceed with all other actions necessary to implement this Resolution.