



## RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

NO. 1

*A resolution 1) supporting the submission of a \$400,000 application to the Louisiana Community Development Block Grant—Coronavirus Program for improvements to Martin Luther King and Zemurray Parks; and 2) supporting a match in the form of associated design and/or construction administration costs, if incurred.*

**WHEREAS**, under the Louisiana Community Development Block Grant—Coronavirus (LCDBG-CV) Program, the State of Louisiana has allocated \$3.7 million in federal CARES Act funding to municipalities with populations of 5,000 or more for the development or rehabilitation of outdoor fitness and recreational facilities that encourage physical and social distancing in parks;

**WHEREAS**, located in federally identified areas of low–moderate income, Martin Luther King Park and Zemurray Park are eligible for such improvements, which may include tennis and/or volleyball courts, running/walking/learning trails, baseball field improvements, dog park renovations/expansion; fishing piers/canoe docks; picnic pavilion renovations; swings; and park benches;

**WHEREAS**, the City is eligible and desires to apply for \$400,000 in LCDBG-CV funds to make these improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is prepared to match these funds in the form of associated design and/or construction administration costs, if incurred.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY OF HAMMOND HEREBY

1. supports the submission of a \$400,000 application to the Louisiana Community Development Block Grant—Coronavirus Program for improvements to Martin Luther King and Zemurray Parks; and
2. supports a match in the form of associated design and/or construction administration costs, if incurred.

Approved and adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Council, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Hammond City Council following roll call vote:

Yeas: \_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_

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Lisa Cockerham  
Hammond City Council Clerk

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Kip Andrews  
Hammond City Council President