



RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

NO. _____

A resolution supporting the submission of an application to the Apache Corporation Tree Grant Program for 125 trees for an annual Louisiana Arbor Day tree giveaway January 16, 2026.

WHEREAS, through its Tree Grant Program, the Apache Corporation donates trees to U.S. counties, cities, schools, parks, youth associations, and community groups to support neighborhood beautification and local environmental conservation and wildlife habitat preservation efforts;

WHEREAS, the City is eligible and desires to request 125 trees—an assortment of Mayhaws, Sweet Olives, Magnolias and Viburnum—through the Program to support neighborhood beautification and restoration of the tree canopy in Hammond; and

WHEREAS, to encourage community participation in these efforts, the City intends to distribute these trees freely during an annual Louisiana Arbor Day tree giveaway January 16, 2026.

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

supports the submission of an application to the Apache Corporation Tree Grant Program for 125 trees for an annual Louisiana Arbor Day tree giveaway January 16, 2026.

Approved and adopted this _____ day of _____, 2025.

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: Carlee Gonzales (), Kip Andrews (), Sam DiVittorio (), Devon Wells (), Steve Leon ().

Yeas: ____ Nays: ____ Absent: ____

Lisa Cockerham
Hammond City Council Clerk

Kip Andrews
Hammond City Council President