



RESOLUTION G2017-022

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO PURCHASE PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FROM WALNUT GROVE PLAYGROUNDS FOR SYMMES PARK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$192,617.00

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Trustees that the playground equipment in Symmes Park has reached it's useful life after being purchased in 1993; and

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2017 the staff met with a representative from Walnut Grove Playgrounds and reached a determination on what type of equipment they recommend to the Trustees to purchase; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to maintain the parks for the safe and effective operation of Symmes Township public works services and the general public; and

WHEREAS, Walnut Grove Playgrounds participates in the TIPS USA program which is similar to State Term Contract where Symmes Township is a member therefore the Township would not be required to bid out the equipment to multiple vendors; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §505.261, the Board of Trustees shall devise plans for the maintenance and improvement of the park and award all contracts for maintenance and improvement in the manner provided by the law governing township trustees in awarding contracts for public improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio:

Section 1. The Symmes Township Trustees hereby authorizes the Township Administrator to purchase swings from Walnut Grove Playgrounds in the amount of One Hundred Ninety-Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen Dollars and No Cents (\$192,617.00).

Section 2. The funds for the park improvements shall be taken from the Parks Levy Fund (#12).

Section 3. The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to Walnut Grove Playgrounds in the amount of \$192,617.00 once the equipment has been delivered and the Public Works Director has given final approval of the project.

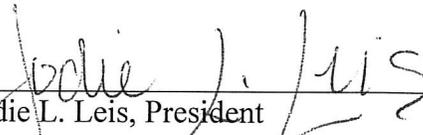
Section 4. Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

ADOPTED MAY 2, 2017 – RESOLUTION G2017-022

Vote Record: Ms. Leis aye Mr. Bryant aye Mr. Beck aye

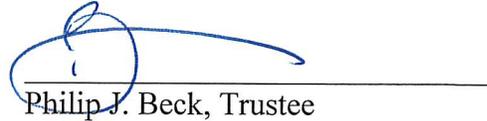
BOARD OF TRUSTEES:



Jodie L. Leis, President



Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President



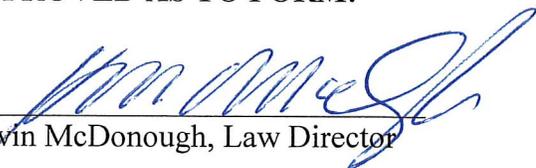
Philip J. Beck, Trustee

ATTEST:



Carol A. Sims, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Kevin McDonough, Law Director