Columbus Consolidated Government Council Meeting Agenda Item

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	Peach Little League Batting Cage Donation
AGENDA SUMMARY:	Approval is requested to accept the donation of a fully constructed batting cage adjacent to Wilkinson Field in Lakebottom Park valued at \$41,199.00 from Peach Little League.
INITIATED BY:	Parks and Recreation

Recommendation: Approval is requested to accept the donation of a fully constructed batting cage adjacent to Wilkinson Field in Lakebottom Park valued at \$41,199.00 from Peach Little League.

Background: Peach Little League operates a baseball little league program at Lakebottom Park under a memorandum of understanding with the City and has expressed a need for additional batting cages to accommodate the number of players participating in the league;

<u>Analysis:</u> Peach Little League has requested City approval to have a 25' x 60' permanent structure built outside the left field fence of Wilkinson Field and, in turn, donate it to the City;

Financial Considerations: There will be no cost to the City as Peach Little League has agreed to pay for all necessary materials, planning, permitting and construction;

Legal Considerations: City Council is the approving body for all donations.

<u>Recommendation/Action</u>: Approval is requested to accept the donation of a fully constructed batting cage adjacent to Wilkinson Field in Lakebottom Park valued at \$41,199.00 from Peach Little League.

A RESOLUTION

NO.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION TO ACCEPT THE DONATION OF A BASEBALL BATTING CAGE STRUCTURE AT LAKEBOTTOM PARK.

WHEREAS, Peach Little League has expressed a desire to donate a fully constructed batting cage to the City; and,

WHEREAS, Peach Little League will use the batting cage to accommodate the growing baseball league's number of players.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:

The Parks and Recreation Department is hereby authorized to accept the donation of a fully constructed batting cage located adjacent to Wilkinson Field in Lakebottom Park.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held on the day of ______ 2025 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of ______members of said Council.

Councilor Anker voting	·
Councilor Allen voting	·
Councilor Chambers voting	•
Councilor Cogle voting	•
Councilor Crabb voting	·
Councilor Davis voting	·
Councilor Garrett voting	·
Councilor Hickey voting	·
Councilor Huff voting	
Councilor Tucker voting	•
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Lindsey G. McLemore, Clerk of Council

B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor