

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	Shade Structures for Britt David Park and Rigdon Park – Sourcewell Cooperative Contract
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	Finance Department

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It is requested that Council approve the purchase of two (2) shade structures for Britt David Park and Rigdon Park from Hasley Recreation Inc. (Flowery Branch, GA), in the amount of \$71,461.08 each and a total cost of \$142,922.16. The purchase will be accomplished by cooperative purchase via Sourcewell Contract #010521-LTS-6.

The shade structures will be installed at Britt David Park and Rigdon Park and will be used to cover exercise equipment. This is new equipment consists of a 36' x 68' fabric canopy mounted on 6 columns for each park. This will provide a substantial amount of shade for users of the facility and reduce the temperature of the exercise equipment to be installed under the canopies. The modern look of the canopy will also enhance the overall appearance of the facility with a fresh, updated look.

This purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative Purchase via Request for Proposal (RFP) #010521, initiated by Sourcewell, whereby USA Shade/PlayPower, Inc. was one of the successful vendors contracted to provide Playground and Water Play Equipment with Related Accessories and Services. Hasley Recreation is an authorized representative to sell, service and install USA Shade products. The effective date of the contract began February 15, 2021, and will expire on February 17, 2025. The contract may be extended for an additional year at Sourcewell's discretion. Sourcewell is a Service Cooperative created by Minnesota Statute 123A.21. This statute was created in 1978 and revised in 1995 to allow participating governmental and municipal agencies to reduce the cost of purchased goods by leveraging their combined purchasing power. The RFP process utilized by Sourcewell meets the requirements of the City's Procurement Ordinance; additionally, cooperative purchasing is authorized per Article 9-101 of the Procurement Ordinance.

Funds are budgeted in the FY23 Budget: Community Development Block Grant Fund – Community Reinvestment – Neighborhood Parks – Site Improvements; 0210 – 245 - 3140 - NPRK – 7623.

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO (2) SHADE STRUCTURES FOR BRITT DAVID PARKS AND RIGDON PARK FROM HASLEY RECREATION, INC. (FLOWERY BRANCH, GA), IN THE AMOUNT OF \$71,461.08 EACH AND A TOTAL COST OF \$142,922.16. THE PURCHASE WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY COOPERATIVE PURCHASE VIA SOURCEWELL CONTRACT #010521-LTS-6.**

**WHEREAS**, the shade structures will be installed at Britt David Park and Rigdon Park and will be used to cover exercise equipment. This is new equipment consists of a 36' x 68' fabric canopy mounted on 6 columns for each park. This will provide a substantial amount of shade for users of the facility and reduce the temperature of the exercise equipment to be installed under the canopies. The modern look of the canopy will also enhance the overall appearance of the facility with a fresh, updated look.

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**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

That the City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase two (2) shade structures for Britt David Park and Rigdon Park from Hasley Recreation Inc. (Flowery Branch, GA), in the amount of \$71,461.08 each and a total cost of \$142,922.16. The purchase will be accomplished by cooperative purchase via Sourcewell Contract #010521-LTS-6. Funds are budgeted in the FY23 Budget: Community Development Block Grant Fund – Community Reinvestment – Neighborhood Parks – Site Improvements; 0210 – 245 - 3140 - NPRK – 7623.

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Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

Councilor Allen voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Barnes voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Cogle voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Crabb voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Davis voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Garrett voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor House voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Huff voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Thomas voting \_\_\_\_\_.  
Councilor Tucker voting \_\_\_\_\_.

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Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

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B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor