# **Columbus Consolidated Government Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	Bingo Cards Donation
AGENDA SUMMARY:	Approval is requested to accept a private donation of 330 bingo cards valued at \$330.00 to be distributed amongst the department's four senior centers which provides bingo as a major recreational activity.
INITIATED BY:	Parks and Recreation

**Recommendation:** Approval is requested to accept 330 bingo cards donated to the Parks and Recreation Department from Mr. James Jackson. Total value of these bingo cards is \$330.00.

**Background:** Mr. James Jackson is a patron of the Frank Chester Senior Center where he participates in the weekly bingo activities. Mr. Jackson also assists in the calling of bingo at the VFW and can purchase cards at a discounted rate. He would like to purchase the new cards and provide them to our centers free of charge.

<u>Analysis:</u> Parks and Recreation is requesting permission to accept the bingo cards and use them for our programs. We will distribute the cards amongst the department's four senior centers which provide bingo as a major recreational activity.

**Financial Considerations:** This private donation will be at no cost to the City.

<u>Legal Considerations:</u> The Consolidated Government of Columbus council must approve the acceptance of this donation.

**Recommendation/Action:** Approval is requested to accept the donation of the 330 bingo cards so they can be enjoyed by all patrons of our senior centers.

#### **A RESOLUTION**

NO.

### A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT THE DONATION OF BINGO CARDS TO BE USED AT THE SENIOR CENTERS.

**WHEREAS,** Mr. James Jackson would like to donate bingo cards to be used in all of the senior centers; and,

**WHEREAS,** all senior centers have bingo as one of their main programs for senior adults; and,

**WHEREAS**, these bingo cards are needed and will be used for programming at our centers.

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

That the City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to accept the bingo cards, donated by a private donor, to be used in the various senior centers for all participants to use.

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

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