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RESOLUTION NO. 23-1553

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF DOUGLAS TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING FROM WALMART IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,500 AS PART OF THEIR FY2023 COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Walmart Corporation’s Local Community Grant Program provides funds to eligible organizations inclusive of a recognized government entity: state, county or city agency, including law enforcement or fire departments, that are requesting funds exclusively for public purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City of Douglas is a recognized government entity and will utilize the awarded funds exclusively for public purposes to support the 2023 Cops & Kids Holiday Event, fostering positive relationships between youth and law enforcement; the 2023 Douglas Holiday Food/Toy/Jacket Drive to provide a positive experience and needed items to less fortunate families who are struggling during the Holiday Season; and to support the 2023/2024 Summer Reading Program which aims to keep kids engaged in reading and learning through interactive educational programs during the summer break; and

WHEREAS, these programs comply with the grant solicitation requirements for the exclusive use for public purpose within the areas of Education, Hunger Relief and Healthy Eating, and Quality of Life through improving access to educational enrichment and inclusion in recreation, arts or cultural experiences for low-income individuals and families in the local service area; and

WHEREAS, the City of Douglas was selected for funding under the 2023 Community Grants Program in the amount of \$3,500.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, as follows:

Section 1. It is in the best interest of the City of Douglas to authorize the acceptance of grant funding award from Walmart Corporation in the amount of \$3,500.

Section 2. The City Manager, the City Clerk as well as the Police Chief are hereby authorized to accept said grant funding and are further authorized to execute and deliver any documents necessary to consummate the transaction contemplated by the Grantee Agreement for and on behalf of the City of Douglas.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, this 12th day of July 2023.

Donald C. Huish, Mayor

Attest:

Approved as to form:

Alma Andrade, City Clerk

Denis Fitzgibbons, City Attorney

Prepared by:
Kraig Fullen, Chief of Police