

AGENDA ACTION FORM

Consideration of a Resolution to Apply for and Receive Solar Eclipse Glasses for the Library

To: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

From: Chris McCartt, City Manager

Action Form No.: AF-108 -2023 Work Session: May 1, 2023 First Reading: N/A Final Adoption:May 2, 2023Staff Work By:Chris MarkleyPresentation By:Michael Borders

Recommendation:

Approve the Resolution.

Executive Summary:

If approved the Kingsport Public Library will apply for and if awarded receive a grant from the Solar Eclipse Activities for Libraries (SEAL).

If awarded the Library <u>will receive free Solar Eclipse glasses</u> to distribute as part of events and programming around the upcoming solar eclipses. Two solar eclipses will occur in the next year and the solar eclipse glasses provide a safe way for people to view the eclipse. The eclipse on <u>October 14, 2023</u> will be approximately 40% visible in Kingsport while the eclipse on <u>April 8, 2024</u> will be approximately 85% visible in Kingsport.

No Matching Funds are required.

Attachments: 1. Resolution 2. Supplemental Information

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