

RESOLUTION NO. 25-2033

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, ACCEPTING THE DONATION OF THE PUBLIC ART PIECE *NATURE'S REPOSE* BY ARTIST MELISSA COLE, DONATED BY THE LAKE FOREST PARK GARDEN TOUR, TO BE INSTALLED AT HORIZON VIEW PARK

WHEREAS, Chapter 3.95 of the Lake Forest Park Municipal Code authorizes the City to accept donations of real or personal property by resolution of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Lake Forest Park Garden Tour wishes to donate a public artwork entitled *Nature's Repose*, a two-sided concrete bench with added metal foliage and glass-mosaic elements designed by artist Melissa Cole, to the City of Lake Forest Park for permanent installation at Horizon View Park; and

WHEREAS, approximately 70 residents of all ages participated in community workshops in August 2025 to create mosaic animals for the base and hearts for the bench, demonstrating broad community involvement and support for this project; and

WHEREAS, the artwork will enhance Horizon View Park and contribute to the City's public art collection, complementing the earlier piece donated by the Lake Forest Park Garden Tour located in front of City Hall; and

WHEREAS, the Donation Agreement between the City and the Lake Forest Park Garden Tour sets forth the terms of acceptance, including that the artist retains copyright, images may be used only for educational/informational purposes, and that the City will maintain the artwork in accordance with the artist's instructions;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park, as follows:

Section 1. ACCEPTANCE. The City Council hereby accepts the donation of the public art piece entitled *Nature's Repose* by artist Melissa Cole, donated by the Lake Forest Park Garden Tour, to be permanently installed at Horizon View Park.

Section 2. AGREEMENT. Authorizes the Mayor to sign Donation Agreement 25-01 in substantially the same form as attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Section 3. CORRECTIONS. The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary corrections to this ordinance including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, ordinance numbering, section/subsection numbers and any references thereto.

PASSED BY A MAJORITY VOTE of the members of the Lake Forest Park City Council this 9th day of October 2025.

APPROVED:

Tom French
Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Matthew McLean
City Clerk

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: October 3, 2025
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: October 9, 2025
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