

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, APPROVING THE ASSIGNMENT OF THE SERVICE CONTRACT K-1819-70, AS AMENDED, WITH THE BALL CLUBS OF NORMAN TO THE NORMAN OPTIMIST CLUB, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO MAKE ALL PAYMENTS REQUIRED UNDER THE CONTRACT TO THE NORMAN OPTIMIST CLUB.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the Board of the Ball Clubs of Norman has voted to dissolve their organization effective December 31, 2022, and no longer manage youth baseball and softball or adult softball leagues and play after that date; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, four board members of the Ball Clubs of Norman also sit on the board of the Norman Optimist Club which provides many of the same services as the Ball Clubs of Norman; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the vote by the Ball Club of Norman's Board was made with the intent for the Norman Optimist Club to resume all operations that the Ball Club of Norman currently manages including assigning the current contract with the City of Norman to manage the softball and baseball leagues for adults and youth; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, many of the current Ball Clubs of Norman staff and board members will transfer over to the Norman Optimist Club; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the Norman Optimist Club has a long history of offering youth sports programs in Norman which currently include tackle and flag football, volleyball, and basketball as well as softball and baseball; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, because of the duplication of services having a single entity providing those services will be more efficient, in both human resources and financial applications, which will allow increased investment and upkeep of the facilities used for baseball and softball; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 7. THAT the City of Norman, Oklahoma, hereby approves the Ball Club of Norman assigning its contract for services, as amended, with the City of Norman (K-1819-70) to the Norman Optimist Club for the remainder of its duration; and

§ 8. THAT the City of Norman, Oklahoma, hereby authorizes the City Manager or his designee to provide any such payments required under K-1819-70, as amended, to the Norman Optimist Club.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

ATTEST:

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Mayor

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City Clerk