

RESOLUTION NO. 25-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PLEASANT HILL, MISSOURI, AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN HANSON SPORTS, LLC. AND THE CITY OF PLEASANT HILL, MISSOURI, FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF THE NEW BLEACHER SYSTEM ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE RODEO ARENA AT THE CASS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

WHEREAS, the City of Pleasant Hill has recognized the need to improve spectator seating at the rodeo arena located at the Cass County Fairgrounds due to continued growth in attendance and capacity limitations; and

WHEREAS, attendance at the Cass County Fair, particularly during the Friday and Saturday night rodeo events, has exceeded existing seating capacity, resulting in the need to turn away potential attendees for safety and crowd control purposes; and

WHEREAS, the existing bleacher system, which has served the community for over 30 years, requires extensive annual maintenance and no longer adequately accommodates the growing number of spectators, raising concerns regarding its structural integrity and long-term safety; and

WHEREAS, the portable bleachers currently used on the south side of the rodeo arena are also required for use at other fair events, necessitating significant time and labor from staff and volunteers for relocation and setup; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting on March 24, 2025, the Pleasant Hill City Council authorized staff to proceed with a contract with Hanson Sports, LLC for the purchase and installation of a new bleacher system for the south side of the rodeo arena; and

WHEREAS, this timely authorization enabled the City to secure a proposal price that was only guaranteed for seven (7) days due to volatility in the metal market; and

WHEREAS, City staff, in consultation with legal counsel, have finalized the contract and submitted it to Hanson Sports, LLC for their review and approval; and

WHEREAS, the City has also been working with its financial advisor to secure appropriate financing for the project, which is presented separately on this agenda;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLEASANT HILL, MISSOURI, that the City Administrator is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the City, a contract with Hanson Sports, LLC for the purchase and installation of a new bleacher system for the south side of the rodeo arena at the Cass County Fairgrounds

APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Pleasant Hill, Missouri, this _____ day of April, 2025.

(SEAL)

By: _____
John King, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____
Jodie Wasson, City Clerk