

STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF WEST MONROE

ORDINANCE NO. _____ MOTION BY: _____
SECONDED BY: _____

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE ACCEPTANCE OF A LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND GRANT FROM THE LOUISIANA OFFICE OF STATE PARKS FOR CERTAIN DESCRIBED RECREATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS AT KIROLI PARK, INCLUDING A COMMITMENT FOR LOCAL FUNDING OF UP TO 50% OF THE PROJECT COSTS; AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City of West Monroe, Louisiana is interested in acquiring lands and/or developing outdoor recreation facilities on the following described project for the enjoyment of the citizenry of the City of West Monroe, and the surrounding areas, and the State of Louisiana, with the project described as:

The Kiroli Park Improvements; Walking Trails and Racquet Sports Project is to develop local park facilities at City-owned Kiroli Park, specifically the rehabilitation of approximately 15,100 feet of paved walking trails and rehabilitation of existing tennis courts, as well as the construction of a new tennis courts/pickleball court with fencing and lighting. The trail system rehabilitation will include clearing the trails of debris, removal of the existing pavement, and construction of a new asphalt path with a crushed stone base. Any wiring covered in this project, or wiring done in the future on this site will be placed underground; and

WHEREAS, the application for a Land and Water Conservation Grant through the Louisiana Office of State Parks has now been awarded.

NOW, THEREFORE:

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, hereby agrees to accept the awarded grants, and here obligates the funds or services stipulated below to satisfactorily complete the project and satisfy the terms and provisions of the thus become eligible for Land and Water Conservation Fund financial aid grant of fifty percent (50%) of the actual allowable cost of this project, further here stating that sufficient funds are on hand as of this date to fund the project as follows:

TOTAL ESTIMATED Cost	TOTAL ESTIMATED Federal	TOTAL ESTIMATED Sponsor's	SPONSOR'S COST BREAKDOWN (Total same as column 3)	
\$1,535,722	\$767,861	\$767,861	Cash	Services
			\$767,861	\$0

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, is hereby authorized to execute the required documents to accept the award of the grant and to thereafter comply with its terms, all as is more fully set forth in the Notice of Award and related documents attached as Exhibit A, as well as to execute any and all further documents and to take any and all further appropriate actions to complete the acceptances, and thereafter to pursue the project through completion.

The above Ordinance was read and considered by sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened, voted on by yea and nay vote, this 5th day of September, 2023, the final vote being as follows:

YEA: _____

NAY: _____

NOT VOTING: _____

ABSENT: _____

ATTEST:

APPROVED THIS 5TH DAY OF
SEPTEMBER, 2023

CHRISTEN HEATH, CITY CLERK
CITY OF WEST MONROE
STATE OF LOUISIANA

STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR
CITY OF WEST MONROE
STATE OF LOUISIANA