RESOLUTION #2023-19

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILDWOOD, MISSOURI, ENDORSING AND COMMITTING \$500,000.00, WHICH REPRESENTS THE COMMUNITY'S MATCH AS THE PROJECT SPONSOR AND APPLICANT, TO THE LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND (LWCF), FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND FIRST PHASE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WILDWOOD VILLAGE GREEN PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the City of Wildwood, Missouri, deems it necessary and important to have a major civic space in the Wildwood Town Center Area; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Village Green development will provide a park in the heart of the Wildwood Town Center benefitting the citizens, and businesses, of Wildwood, as well as visitors and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Village Green will be a centerpiece destination for the extensive Wildwood Greenway Trail Corridors, a place to gather for future City events, provide a quiet respite for relaxation; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Village Green will become the focal point of the Wildwood Town Center Area, promote economic development of the City of Wildwood, and protect/enhance valuable green space in the heart of Wildwood.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILDWOOD, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section One.</u> A project application has been prepared and submitted to the Department of Natural Resources, Division of State Park's Management Section for the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Round Fiscal Year 2024.

Section Two. The Mayor, City Council, City Administrator, Chair of the Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Director of Planning and Parks, be authorized, and hereby approve those persons listed below to sign and execute the necessary documents for forwarding the project proposal application for a grant-in-aid under the LWCF. These persons are also hereby authorized to sign the project agreement, subsequent amendments, and other necessary documents between the City of Wildwood, Missouri, and the State of Missouri.

<u>Section Three.</u> If a grant is awarded, the City of Wildwood, Missouri, accepts all responsibilities under the LWCF regulations. This acceptance includes, but not limited to, project site to be protected by the LWCF rules and regulations in perpetuity, maintenance of the park for public outdoor recreation purposes, compliance with the provisions of the Title VI of the Civil Rights Acts of 1964, underground wiring of all telephone and electrical wires under the 15KV with the park and both under this project and in the future, provision of facilities, which are accessible to and usable by people with special needs.

Section Four. This Resolution shall be e	effective upon passage and approval.
Passed and Resolved by the Council 2023.	of the City of Wildwood this day of
	James R. Bowlin, Mayor
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My City Clerk	