

LRB-FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS COMMITTEE

ITEM 37, FILE # 050396

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File # 050396 is a resolution relative to application, acceptance and funding of a grant, through the State of Wisconsin, Department of Natural Resources, for improvements to the Norris Playfield, located at 936 North 19th Street, in the 4th Aldermanic District.

Background

1. This resolution authorizes the Department of City Development to apply for and accept a 2005 Stewardship Local Assistance grant through the State of Wisconsin, Department of Natural Resources for improvements to the Norris Playfield, including the creation of open green space, located at 936 North 19th Street, in the 4th Aldermanic District.
2. This is a new grant.

Discussion

1. This resolution will authorize the Department of City Development to accept grant funding from the State of Wisconsin, Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of reconstructing Norris Playfield.
2. This redevelopment project includes the removal of the existing asphalt playground and the creation of recreational open green space in conjunction with near Westside organizations and property owners.
3. This grant encompasses the period of October 1, 2004 through September 30, 2007.

Fiscal Impact

The total amount of this grant is \$166,670, with \$83,335 from the grantor and a local, non-city share of \$83,335. The local share (50%) will come from anticipated private sector contributions. No city funds are required nor authorized in this resolution.

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