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Resolution relating to acceptance of up to \$50,000 in contributions by the Department of Public Works - Operations Division (Forestry Section) from the Milwaukee Urban Forestry Fund administered by the Greater Milwaukee Foundation to support a community tree planting program. This resolution authorizes the Department of Public Works - Operations Division (Forestry Section) to accept and expend \$50,000 in contributions from the Milwaukee Urban Forestry Fund administered by the Greater Milwaukee Foundation for supporting a community tree planting program engaged with residents, businesses, and community stakeholders to address tree equity and improve tree canopy in neighborhoods across the city for potential tree planting projects on public or private property.

Whereas, Section 304-24 of the City of Milwaukee Code of Ordinances regulates the receipt, appropriation and expenditure of contributions received by the City, and

Whereas, supporting a community tree planting program engaged with residents, businesses, and community stakeholders to address tree equity and improve tree canopy in neighborhoods across the city for potential tree planting projects on public or private property is an eligible project by the Milwaukee Urban Forestry Fund; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Department of Public Works -Operations Division (Forestry Section) is authorized to accept \$50,000 in contributions from the Milwaukee Urban Forestry Fund administered by the Greater Milwaukee Foundation for supporting a community tree planting program engaged with residents, businesses, and community stakeholders to address tree equity and improve tree canopy in neighborhoods across the city for potential tree planting projects on public or private property; and, be it

Further Resolved, That upon the receipt and deposit of these funds, the City Comptroller is directed to establish a special purpose account within the Department of Public Works - Operations Division (Forestry Section) budget for the expenditure of the contributions; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the City Comptroller is directed to transfer appropriations and estimated revenue from the Contribution Fund-General, account number 0001-2110-0001-D001-006300, and the estimated Revenue Account for Contributions, account number 0001-2110-0001-009850 to the Department of Public Works-Operations Division (Forestry Section) Special Account 0001-5450-DXXX-006300, and the Department of Public Works-Operations Division (Forestry Section) Estimated Revenue Account 0001-5450-0001-009850 for the purposes set forth in this resolution in the amount of \$50,000.

Department of Public Works-Operations Division 3/15/23