

EM SUBMISSION NO.: EME1782014

PRESENTED: 2-27-14

ADOPTED: 3-6-14

**RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE RUTH MOTT FOUNDATION FOR THE  
PURPOSE OF PROVIDING A MATCH FOR A MICHIGAN NATURAL RESOURCES GRANT  
FOR RIVERBANK PARK DEVELOPMENT**

**BY THE EMERGENCY MANAGER:**

On May 2, 2013, the City of Flint was awarded a Michigan Natural Resources Grant for Riverbank Park Development to be used for improvements, including ADA access ramp from Garland Street, kayak launch improvements, tree removal and landscaping, site work, concrete retaining wall construction, utility relocation and lighting in the amount of \$400,000.00, which required a 25% match in the amount of \$100,000.00.

The Ruth Mott Foundation has awarded a grant to the City of Flint for Riverbank Park improvements in the amount of \$75,000.00 and the Downtown Development Authority will contribute \$25,000.00 worth of materials and labor for landscaping.

**IT IS RESOLVED**, that the appropriate City Officials are hereby authorized to do all things necessary to comply with the terms and conditions as set forth in the grant agreement with the Michigan Natural Resources Grant (TF12-109) and accept and appropriate \$75,000.00 from the Ruth Mott Foundation for the necessary support required for Riverbank Park improvements and set up revenue and expense accounts accordingly in department account 690.396.

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
Peter M. Bade, City Attorney

**APPROVED AS TO FINANCE:**

  
Gerald Ambrose, Finance Director

**EFM DISPOSITION:**

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Darnell Earley, Emergency Manager

DATED: 3-6-14

## RESOLUTION STAFF REVIEW

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**DATE:** February 21, 2014

**Agenda Item Title:** Acceptance of \$75,000.00 from the Ruth Mott Foundation.

**Prepared By:** Kathryn Neumann, Parks & Recreation

**Background/Summary of Proposed Action:** The City of Flint was awarded a grant for improvements at Riverbank Park and it required a 25% match of \$100,000.00. The Ruth Mott Foundation has awarded a grant as part of the match in the amount of \$75,000.00 and the Downtown Development Authority will donate \$25,000.00 worth of labor and materials for landscaping Riverbank Park.

**Financial Implications:** Acceptance of the check will allow the City of Flint to move forward with the Riverbank Park grant.

**Budgeted Expenditure?** Yes ☐ No ☒ **Please explain if no:** We are accepting grant funds

**Account No.:** 690.396

**Pre-encumbered?** Yes ☐ No ☒ **Requisition #**

**Other Implications (i.e., collective bargaining):** None

**Staff Recommendation:** Recommend Approval

**Staff Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

Howard Croft, Director of Infrastructure & Development