

**CITY OF FLORENCE
RESOLUTION NO. 2, SERIES 2023**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR A GRANT FROM THE
FORD FAMILY FOUNDATION FOR REPLACING CERTAIN PLAYGROUND
STRUCTURES AT MILLER PARK, AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY
MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO SIGN THE GRANT APPLICATION**

RECITALS:

1. The Ford Family Foundation is accepting applications for the Small Good Neighbor Grant Program.
2. The City of Florence desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing needed park and recreation improvements and enhancements.
3. City Council and Staff members have identified the necessity to replace the 35-year-old wooden play structure at Miller Park.
4. The City of Florence has received community buy-in through a survey, donations, and volunteer sign-ups, showing that the Florence community is interested and invested in the Miller Park upgrade.
5. The City of Florence will provide adequate funding for ongoing operations and maintenance of this park and recreation facility should the grant funds be awarded.

Based on these findings,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLORENCE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council demonstrates its support for the submittal of a grant application to The Ford Family Foundation for its Small Good Neighbor Grant Program for demolition of an existing play structure; installation of a new and inclusive play structure; and other improvements at Miller Park
2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

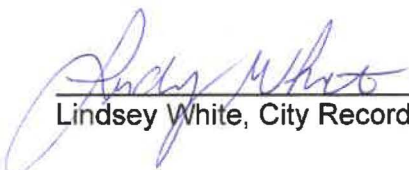
ADOPTION:

This Resolution is passed and adopted on the 23rd day of January, 2023.



Rob Ward, Mayor

Attest:



Lindsey White, City Recorder