

INTRODUCED: June 14, 2021

A RESOLUTION No. 2021-R035

To request that the James River Outdoor Coalition provide to the Chief Administrative Officer and other officials of the City's Administration, as appropriate, the information necessary for the Mayor to introduce and for the Council to adopt the necessary amendments to Ord. No. 2021-042, adopted May 24, 2021, which accepted a program of proposed Capital Improvement Projects for the fiscal year beginning Jul. 1, 2021, and for the four fiscal years thereafter, authorizing the Chief Administrative Officer to accept a grant from the Coalition in the amount of \$145,000.00 for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park located at 8600 Riverside Drive in the city of Richmond, and that the Mayor introduce such legislation as may be necessary to accept such grant funds for the implementation of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park located at 8600 Riverside Drive in the city of Richmond and to amend the Capital Budget for the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for the purpose of appropriating \$145,000.00 for the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park.

Patrons – Ms. Larson

Approved as to form and legality
by the City Attorney

PUBLIC HEARING: JUN 28 2021 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2019-043, adopted May 13, 2019, and which adopted the Capital Budget for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2020, appropriated \$150,000.00 for a universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park located at 8600 Riverside Drive in the city of Richmond; and

AYES: 9 NOES: 0 ABSTAIN: _____

ADOPTED: JUN 28 2021 REJECTED: _____ STRICKEN: _____

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2020-083, adopted May 26, 2020, appropriated an additional \$180,000.00 for the Universal Access project in the Culture and Recreation category; and

WHEREAS, \$305,956.00 of the amount appropriated is shown as available for the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park, identified as Project No. 106388 in the program of proposed capital improvements submitted by the Mayor on March 5, 2021; and

WHEREAS, in a letter dated June 1, 2021, the James River Outdoor Coalition expressed its commitment to providing a grant of \$145,000.00 to the City for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park; and

WHEREAS, the Council believes that a grant from the James River Outdoor Coalition in the amount of \$145,000.00 would cover the difference between the \$305,956.00 currently appropriated and available, and the actual cost of the ramp; and

WHEREAS, the Council believes that it is in the best interests of the citizens of the city of Richmond that the Council request that the James River Outdoor Coalition provide to the Chief Administrative Officer and other officials of the City's Administration, as appropriate, the information necessary for the Mayor to introduce and for the Council to adopt the necessary amendments to Ordinance No. 2021-042, adopted May 24, 2021, which accepted a program of proposed Capital Improvement Projects for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and for the four fiscal years thereafter, authorizing the Chief Administrative Officer to accept a grant from the James River Outdoor Coalition in the amount of \$145,000.00 for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park located at 8600 Riverside Drive in the city of Richmond; and

WHEREAS, the Council also believes that it is in the best interests of the citizens of the city of Richmond that the Council request that the Mayor, upon the receipt of the necessary

information from the James River Outdoor Coalition, introduce such legislation as may be necessary to accept a grant of \$145,000.00 from the James River Outdoor Coalition for the implementation of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park, and to amend the Capital Budget for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, for the purpose of appropriating this \$145,000.00 grant to the Universal Access project in the Culture and Recreation category for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND:

That the Council hereby requests that the James River Outdoor Coalition provide to the Chief Administrative Officer and other officials of the City's Administration, as appropriate, the information necessary for the Mayor to introduce and for the Council to adopt the necessary amendments to Ordinance No. 2021-042, adopted May 24, 2021, which accepted a program of proposed Capital Improvement Projects for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and for the four fiscal years thereafter, authorizing the Chief Administrative Officer to accept a grant from the James River Outdoor Coalition in the amount of \$145,000.00 for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park located at 8600 Riverside Drive in the city of Richmond

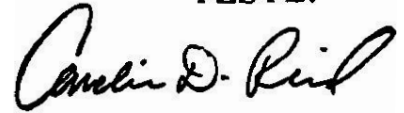
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Council hereby requests that, upon the receipt of the necessary information from the James River Outdoor Coalition, the Mayor introduce such legislation as may be necessary to accept a grant of \$145,000.00 from the James River Outdoor Coalition for the implementation of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park, and to amend the Capital Budget for the

fiscal year commencing July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, for the purpose of appropriating this \$145,000.00 grant to the Universal Access project in the Culture and Recreation category for the construction of the universal access ramp at Huguenot Flatwater Park.

A TRUE COPY:

TESTE:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carlin D. Reed". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'C'.

City Clerk



Richmond City Council

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Richmond, Virginia

Office of the Council Chief of Staff

Ordinance/Resolution Request

TO Haskell C. Brown, III, Interim Richmond City Attorney
Richmond Office of the City Attorney

THROUGH Joyce L. Davis
Interim Council Chief of Staff

FROM William E. Echelberger, Jr, Council Budget Analyst

COPY Kristen N. Larson, 4th District Representative
Tabrica C. Rentz, Interim Deputy City Attorney
Aaron Bond, 4th District Liaison

DATE May 28, 2021

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TITLE Universal Access Ramp – Huguenot Flatwater

This is a request for the drafting of an **Ordinance** **Resolution**

REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/PATRON

Kristen N. Larson, 4th District Representative

SUGGESTED STANDING COMMITTEE

Finance and Economic Development

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION SUMMARY

The Patron requests a resolution to request that the Mayor submit:

1. An ordinance to accept a grant of \$145,000 from the James River Outdoor Coalition (JROC) for the implementation of the Universal Access Ramp at Huguenot Flatwater, and
2. An ordinance to amend the Capital Improvement Plan for FY22 for the purpose of appropriating \$145,000 for the Universal Access Ramp at Huguenot Flatwater.

BACKGROUND

- Currently, a total of \$330,000 has been appropriated for Universal Access at Huguenot Flatwater, Project No. 106388.
 - Ordinance No. 2019-041, which adopted the FY20 Capital Budget, appropriated \$150,000 for Universal Access at Huguenot Flatwater.
 - Ordinance No. 2019-158 established a commitment of \$180,000 from the FY19 General Fund Balance for Universal Access at Huguenot Flatwater.
 - Ordinance No. 2020-083 amended the FY20 Capital Budget to appropriate an additional \$180,000 for Universal Access at Huguenot Flatwater.
- \$303,956 of the amount appropriated remains available for Universal Access at Huguenot Flatwater, Project No. 106388.

- A grant of \$145,000.00 from the James River Outdoor Coalition (JROC) for the implementation of the Universal Access Ramp at Huguenot Flatwater will cover the difference between the \$303,956 currently appropriated and available, and the actual cost of the ramp.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Fiscal Impact Yes No

Budget Amendment Required Yes No

Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact

There is no expenditure or revenue impact for the requested resolution. If the Mayor submits the requested ordinances, GF revenues, and the amount appropriated in the FY22 Capital Budget will increase by \$145,000.

Attachment/s Yes No

Richmond City Council Ordinance/Resolution Request Form/updated 10.5.2012 /srs



P.O. Box 297
Richmond, Virginia 23219

June 1, 2021
The Honorable Kristen Nye Larson
Councilmember, Richmond City council
Southwest 4th Voter District
City of Richmond

Dear Kristen,

The James River Outdoor Coalition has committed to providing one hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$145,000) to the construction of the Universal Access Ramp at the Huguenot Flatwater canoe/kayak launch site of the James River Park System. We appreciate your sponsorship of the ordinance to facilitate the City of Richmond's acceptance of these funds for the project.

Sincerely,

Sally Wetzler

Sally Wetzler
Treasurer