

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
AUGUST 16, 2022 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>A resolution to award contract to Gametime the installation of two (2) Triangular Shade Structures for the Elephant Exhibit at the Little Rock Zoo.</p> <p><b>Submitted By:</b></p> <p>Little Rock Zoo</p>	<p>Ordinance √ <b>Resolution</b></p>	<p>Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>

<b>SYNOPSIS</b>	A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with Gametime for the installation of two (2) Triangular Shade Structures for the Elephant Exhibit at the Little Rock Zoo.
<b>FISCAL IMPACT</b>	Total cost of this purchase is \$61,528.78, plus applicable taxes and fees. Funds for this purchase are allocated in the Zoo Upgrades Account 326659-TS65A32.
<b>RECOMMENDATION</b>	Approval of the resolution.
<b>BACKGROUND</b>	On April 13, 2022, the Little Rock Zoo experienced a severe thunderstorm event that caused a large tree in the Elephant Exhibit to fall. This tree provided natural shade to the Elephant Exhibit yards. The addition of the shade structures will enhance shade and also help the Zoo comply with Accreditation Standards. The installation of the two (2) Triangular Canopy Shade Structures can be purchased through a Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Omnia Partners Public Sector, Contract No. 2017001134,