OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION AUGUST 20, 2019 AGENDA

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
A resolution to authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a Historic Preservation Easement on Pavilion #1 and the surrounding area of Boyle Park to the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program.	Ordinance ✓ Resolution	
Submitted By:		
Parks & Recreation Department		Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS FISCAL IMPACT	The resolution will authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a Historic Preservation Easement on Pavilion #1 and the surrounding area of Boyle Park for the repair of the flagstone surrounding the Pavilion #1 and the walkway to the Pavilion #1 and to make the walkway ADA compliant. The Historic Preservation Easement is a requirement before the \$56,667.00 granted by the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program can be provided to the City through reimbursement. The grant provides 2-for-1 funding, with the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program providing the major part of the funding of the flagstone repair project.	
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the resolution.	
BACKGROUND	Earlier this year the City applied for, and was successful in being awarded a Historic Restoration Preservation Grant from the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program.	

BACKGROUND CONTINUED

A condition of the grant funding is for the City to provide a Conservation Easement, called a Historic Preservation Easement, on the Pavilion #1 and the surrounding area in Boyle Park where the repairs will be performed, to the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program to assist with conserving and preserving the value and significance of the Park. The easement places limits on changes to the appearance and structure of the Pavilion #1 and surrounding area where the flagstone repair will be made.