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DATE: April 6, 2022

TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: Norma V. Drummond
Commissioner of Planning

SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing an Agreement between the County of Westchester and the Village of Tuckahoe for Playground Upgrades at Main Street Park in the Village.

The attached resolution, if approved by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester to enter into an agreement with the Village of Tuckahoe (the "Village") to provide a grant from the Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") program. The grant will be used for Playground Upgrades at Main Street Park (the "Project") in the Village. The not to exceed amount of the grant is \$175,000, pursuant to an approved budget, and the term of the agreement is May 1, 2022 to April 30, 2023.

The Village plans to replace the current playground equipment that has outlived its useful life with new play equipment. This Project will include, but not be limited to, the replacement of the existing play equipment and rubber safety surfacing and other miscellaneous work.

The goal and objective of the Project is to ensure public safety by rehabilitating the existing playground, as it is in a deteriorated condition which affects the safety of the park users. The Project will be monitored by the Department of Planning staff and Village Public Works staff during construction.

This procurement is in compliance with the County of Westchester Procurement Policy Procedures, pursuant to Section 3(a)xvi, which states that contracts with recipients for disbursement of grants or loans under the Community Development Block Grant Program are exempt.

Act # 33-2021, adopted March 8, 2021, by the Westchester County Board of Legislators, authorize s the County to submit an Urban County Application under the Federal Community Development Block Grant, Emergency Solutions Grant, and HOME

Investment Programs, amending the FY 2019-2023 Consolidated Plan to include the FY 2021 Action Plan.

On May 20, 2021, the Board of Acquisition and Contract approved a resolution authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into an agreement with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to accept a grant totaling \$4,267,448 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds.

I recommend approval of this agreement.

NVD/cp/sbl
Attachment

APPROVED BOARD OF ACQUISITION & CONTRACT - 05/05/2022 - RAYMOND SCULKY, SECRETARY

RESOLUTION

UPON A COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF PLANNING, BE IT HEREBY

RESOLVED: that the County of Westchester is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Village of Tuckahoe, through the Community Development Block Grant Program, in the not to exceed amount of \$175,000.00, to be paid pursuant to an approved budget, for a period beginning May 1, 2022 and ending April 30, 2023, for Playground Upgrades at Main Street Park (the "Project") in the Village of Tuckahoe. This project will include, but not be limited to, removal of the playground structures and safety surfacing which will be replaced in kind, including curbing, fencing, play equipment and rubber safety surfacing; and be it further

RESOLVED: that the County Executive or his duly authorized designee is authorized to execute any documents and take any actions necessary to effectuate purposes hereof.

Account to be
Charged/Credited

		Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
Fund	Dept				
263	19	067W	4380	T067	\$175,000.00

Budget Funding Year(s)
(must match resolution)

FY 2021

Start Date

May 1, 2022

End Date

April 30, 2023

Funding Source

Tax Dollars _____

State Aid _____

\$175,000.00
(must match resolution)

Federal Aid \$175,000.00 – U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Other _____

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