

**AN ORDINANCE BY
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2008 (INTERGOVERNMENTAL GRANT FUND) BUDGET, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION, AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS (“DEPARTMENT”), BY ADDING TO ANTICIPATIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS, IN THE AMOUNT OF SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$600,000.00), FOR GRANT FUNDS FROM THE ARTHUR M. BLANK FAMILY FOUNDATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING IMPROVEMENTS AT THE ARTHUR LANGFORD PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation’s (“Foundation”) strategic plan seeks to bring about change by improving the lives of individuals, stimulating action by people, communities and organizations, disseminating knowledge to a wide array of organizations and individuals and learning through engagement and attentive listening; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs (“Department”) was awarded a grant from the Foundation in the amount of six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000.00) for the purpose making improvements to the Arthur Langford Park (“Park”); and

WHEREAS, the Foundation’s grant funds will be used to specifically install spray features, purchase deck amenities, complete bathhouse renovations, and construct a handicapped accessible ramp; and

WHEREAS, the Department wishes to accept the grant funds in order to implement the aforesaid improvements to the Park.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY ORDAINS, as follows:

Section 1: That the 2008 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget for the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs is hereby amended as follows:

ADD TO ANTICIPATIONS

In the amount of \$600,000.00 to 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) 3360001 (Local Grants/Entitlements) 200115 (Grant Reimbursement Refunds, and Other Receipt)

ADD TO APPROPRIATIONS

\$600,000.00 to 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) 5239004 (Service Grants) 110026 (Arthur Langford Park Improvements)

Task: 101
Award: 250110898
Expenditure 5239004 (Service Grants)
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TRANSFER FROM APPROPRIATIONS

\$600,000.00 from 7701 (Trust Fund) 140101 (PRC Commissioner of DPRCA) 3710001 (Private Contributions & Donations) 1320000 (Chief Executive) 600080 (Donation for Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs) 69999 (Funding Source for Non Capital Trust Projects)

Project: Arthur Langford Park Improvements
Task: 101
Award: 250110898
Expenditure 5239004 Service Grants
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TRANSFER TO APPROPRIATIONS

\$600,000.00 to 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) 5239004 140106 (PRC Design) 5239004 (Service Grants) 622000 (Park Areas) 110026 (Arthur Langford Park Improvements) 10898 (Arthur M Blank 2007 SJA0)

Project: 14110026 Arthur Langford Park Improvements
Task: 101
Award: 250110898
Expenditure 5239004 Service Grants
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Section 2. All ordinances and resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby waived for purposes of this Ordinance only, and only to the extent of said conflict.

Part II: Legislative White Paper: (This portion of the Legislative Request Form will be shared with City Council members and staff)

A. To be completed by Legislative Counsel:

Committee of Purview: Community Development and Human Resources

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Council Meeting Date: June 2, 2008

Requesting Dept.: Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs

B. To be completed by the department:

1. Please provide a summary of the purpose of this legislation (Justification Statement).

The purpose of this legislation is to request an Ordinance for the purpose of authorizing the Mayor to accept, anticipate, appropriate, and transfer from, transfer to, a grant award in the amount of \$600,000.00 from The Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation for park improvements at Arthur Langford Park.

The Arthur Langford Park improvements will increase utilization of the park through conversion of the existing pool to a Splashpad.

2. Please provide background information regarding this legislation.

The Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation's strategic plan seeks to bring about change by improving the lives of individuals, stimulating action by people, communities and organizations. Disseminating knowledge to a wide array of organizations and individuals and learning through engagement and attentive listening.

Arthur Langford Park is located on a 9.90 acre site located in the Joyland neighborhood in southeast Atlanta. The park serves a community that is 88.6 percent Black, 8.5 percent White, and 1.9 percent combined American Indian, Pacific Islander, and Latino. The per capita income for residents in the Mechanicsville neighborhood is \$7,954.00 (in 1999 dollars).

3. If Applicable/Known:

- (a) **Contract Type (e.g. Professional Services, Construction Agreement, etc):**
- (b) **Source Selection:**
- (c) **Bids/Proposals Due:**
- (d) **Invitations Issued:**
- (e) **Number of Bids:**
- (f) **Proposals Received:**
- (g) **Bidders/Proponents:**
- (h) **Term of Contract:**

4. Fund Account Center : Add to Anticipations: \$600,000.00 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant) 3360001 (Local Grants/Entitlements) 200115 (Grant Reimb., Refunds, and Other Receipt) and add to Appropriations - \$600,000.00 2501(Intergovernmental Grant Funds) 5239004 (Service Grants) 101888 (Arthur Langford Park Improvements) Transfer from Appropriations: \$600,000.00 7701(Trust) 140101(PRC Commissioner of DPRCA) 5311002(Supplies, Non Consumable) 1320000(Chief Executive) 600080 (Donation for Parks, Rec., & Cultural Affairs) Transfer to Appropriations: \$600,000.00 2501(Intergovernmental Grant) 5239004 (Service Grants) 101888 (Arthur Langford Park Improvement) This legislation will result in an increase in the amount of \$600,000.00 to be added to Anticipations 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Funds) 3360001(Local Grants/Entitlements) 200115 (Grant Reimb., Refunds, and Other Receipt); and Appropriations 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Funds) 5239004 (Service Grants) 101888 (Arthur Langford Park Improvements)

5. Source of Funds: Local Grant – The Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation

6. Fiscal Impact: This legislation will result in an increase in the amount of \$600,000.00 to be added to Anticipations 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Funds) 3360001(Local Grants/Entitlements) 200115 (Grant Reimb., Refunds, and Other Receipt); and Appropriations 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Funds) 5239004 (Service Grants) 101888 (Arthur Langford Park Improvements)

7. Method of Cost Recovery: N/A

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TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR LEGISLATION

TO: MAYOR'S OFFICE

ATTN: GREG PRIDGEON

Dept.'s Legislative Liaison: Debra F. Harris

Contact Number: (404) 817-6795

Originating Department: Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs

Committee(s) of Purview: Community Development/ Human Resources Committee

Chief of Staff Deadline: April 30, 2008

Anticipated Committee Meeting Date(s): May 13, 2008

Anticipated Full Council Date: June 2, 2008

Legislative Counsel's Signature: Terry Grandison 

Commissioner Signature: 

Chief Procurement Officer Signature: _____

CAPTION

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Mayor's Staff Only

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Submitted to Council: _____