

RESOLUTION R-10-12

A RESOLUTION TO APPLY FOR MATCHING GRANT FUNDS FOR ACQUISITION OF PARK LAND THROUGH THE WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

Introduced by Ald. Langdon

WHEREAS, the City of Menasha believes in the importance of providing sufficient open space and recreation facilities to all its residents; and

WHEREAS, the acquisition of park land near the east boundary of the city's growth area is documented in the City's Open Space and Recreation Facilities Plan; and

WHEREAS, this plan has previously been recommended and approved by the Menasha Park and Recreation Board and Common Council; and

WHEREAS, this park land acquisition is supported by current residents in the area and will encourage future residential development in the vicinity; and

WHEREAS, the City of Menasha has funding in place representing the required 50% matching portion of the grant; and

WHEREAS, the City of Menasha will comply with State or Federal rules for the programs to the general public during reasonable hours consistent with the type of facility; and will obtain from the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources or the National Park Service approval in writing before any change is made in the use of the project site.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Brian Tungate, Department of Parks and Recreation Director, is authorized to act on the behalf of the City of Menasha to:

- Submit an application to the State Department of Natural Resources for any financial aid that may be available;
- Submit reimbursement claims along with necessary supporting documentation within 6 months of the project completion date;
- Submit signed documents; and,
- Take necessary action to undertake, direct and complete the approved Project.

Passed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2012.

Donald J. Merkes, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Deborah A. Galeazzi, City Clerk