



City of West Allis

Legislation Text

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Resolution approving a neighborhood small grant program, focus grant, to the Liberty Heights Park Neighborhood Association up to \$1,500.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of West Allis, along with staff and citizens, recognize the importance of developing and maintaining healthy neighborhoods throughout the community; and,

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of West Allis under Resolution R-2014-0099 the City of West Allis Neighborhood Small Grant Program provides small grants to help organize neighborhood associations and to provide grants for neighborhood enhancement projects; and,

WHEREAS, the grant application submitted by the Liberty Heights Park Neighborhood Association (Grantee) is hereby attached **EXHIBIT A** and has been reviewed by staff and recommended to the Mayor in accordance with program policies and is requesting approval; and,

WHEREAS, the grant meets the criteria of the West Allis Neighborhood Small Grant Program to provide neighborhood associations assistance to support a project that will be unique, enhance the neighborhood, and beautify the area.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of West Allis that it hereby has reviewed a Small Grant request under the City of West Allis Neighborhood Small Grant Program Focus Grant of the Liberty Heights Park Neighborhood Association of up to \$1,500 to cover costs of the Liberty Heights Park block party initiatives, promotional apparel, and materials to help establish community programming events for future activities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor or his designee is requesting authorization to enter into a grant agreement by and between the City of West Allis and the Liberty Heights Park Neighborhood Association for the project amount requested of up to \$1,500 and the parties agree to the following:

1. Grant. The City of West Allis will provide a Focus Grant to the Grantee In the amount of \$1,500 on a reimbursement basis.
2. Match. The grantee will demonstrate that 25% match of the project cost has been secured and provide proof to the City and show that funds are committed to the project.
3. Use. Utilize funds in accordance with the program rules specified in the application (Exhibit A).
4. Records. The grantee shall maintain records of expenditures for a period of seven years.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that up to \$1,500 will be appropriated from the West Allis Neighborhood Small Grant Program Focus Grant upon approval.

Adopt