

RESOLUTION R2019-XX

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ALLOCATION OF RAP TAX FUNDS BETWEEN CULTURAL FACILITIES/ART, RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, AND NON-PROFIT GRANTS

WHEREAS, Voter approval of a county-wide sales and use tax for funding recreational and cultural organizations and facilities (“RAP tax”) in accordance with Utah Code Section 59-12-701 et seq (“the Act”) was levied April 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, a portion of the RAP tax is distributed to Washington City in accordance with the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement Regarding the Distribution of RAP Tax Revenue in Washington County; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council to further develop cultural facilities and the arts within the City ; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the most impactful use of RAP tax funds within the community is to allocate the revenue among cultural facilities and art, recreational facilities, and grants issued to non-profit cultural organizations as defined by the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Washington City, Utah:

1. The Council hereby commits RAP tax revenue collected annually in accordance with the Act as follows:
 - a. Thirty-five percent (35%) shall be appropriated for cultural facilities and art; and
 - b. Forty percent (40%) shall be appropriated for recreational facilities and programs; and
 - c. Twenty-five percent (25%) shall be appropriated toward grants for non-profit cultural organizations.
2. All previous acts and resolutions in conflict with this resolution or any part thereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
3. In case any provision in this resolution shall be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.
4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 9th day of October, 2019.

Washington City

Kenneth F. Neilson, Mayor

Attest:

Danice B. Bulloch, MMC
City Recorder