

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
JANUARY 23, 2024 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>Resolution to express the willingness of the City of Little Rock to apply for Federal-Aid Funding for Kanis Park Improvements.</p> <p><b>Submitted By:</b></p> <p>Parks &amp; Recreation Department</p>	<p>Ordinance √ <b>Resolution</b></p>	<p>Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
<b>SYNOPSIS</b>	<p>A resolution to authorize the Mayor or City Manager to apply for, and if received, execute grant agreements with the Arkansas Department of Transportation for Kanis Park Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail and ADA Improvements.</p>	
<b>FISCAL IMPACT</b>	<p>Funding for this project will be from Federal Recreational Trails Program Funds (80%) in the estimated amount of \$100,000.00, with the estimated local match (20%) of \$25,000.00.</p>	
<b>RECOMMENDATION</b>	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
<b>BACKGROUND</b>	<p>This resolution authorizes the Mayor or City Manager to apply for, and if received, sign grant applications, agreements and award documents for grant funding for the Kanis Park Improvements for a Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail loop around Kanis Park that will also serve as portions of the Tri-Creek Greenway and Central Arkansas Regional Greenway. If awarded, this grant will supplement existing funds designated for Kanis Park improvements.</p>	