

STRATEGIC PRIORITY: Quality of Life

AGENDA DATE: June 13, 2018

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S): 2

DEPARTMENT: Office of Cultural Affairs
Department of Convention and Event Services

CMO: Joey Zapata, 670-3009

MAPSCO: 45P

SUBJECT

A resolution to ratify emergency work performed by van Enter Studio, Ltd. to remove and relocate ten bronze steer and equestrian statues from Pioneer Park located at 1428 Young Street, due to the unstable foundations compromising the stability of the sculptures - Not to exceed \$42,000 - Financing: Convention and Event Services Current Funds

BACKGROUND

On May 10, 2018, a conservation review of the steers and equestrian sculptures at Pioneer Park located at 1428 Young Street, indicated that nine bronze steers and one equestrian statue were in urgent need of conservation treatment that required the immediate removal of the bronze sculptures. Due to the unstable foundations compromising the stability of the sculptures, they were removed by van Enter Studios, Ltd. between May 30, 2018 and June 1, 2018 and relocated to a secure site at Hensley Field, a City property where the conservator will address condition issues and restore the foundations prior to reinstallation of the sculptures.

The areas where the steers have been removed has been covered with gravel. The expected timeline for treatment and reinstallation of the entire group is 8-9 months. Once repaired, the steers will be reinstalled in groups of three, so they will not all be gone for the entire time.

Signage to inform the public about the removal of the steers for conservation has been installed.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)

Information about this item will be provided to the Quality of Life, Arts and Culture Committee on June 11, 2018.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Convention and Event Services Current Funds - \$42,000

June 13, 2018

WHEREAS, on May 10, 2018, a conservation review of the steers and equestrian sculptures at Pioneer Park, located at 1428 Young Street, indicated that nine bronze steers and one equestrian statue were in urgent need of conservation treatment that required the immediate removal of the bronze sculptures; and

WHEREAS, due to the unstable foundations compromising the stability of the sculptures, which posed a risk to public safety and the possibility of additional expenses should structural failure occur, they were removed between May 30, 2018 and June 1, 2018 and relocated to a secure site at Hensley Field, a City property where a conservator can address condition issues and restore the foundations prior to reinstallation of the sculptures.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That emergency work and expenses to remove and relocate bronze steer and equestrian statues from Pioneer Park located at 1428 Young Street, rendered by van Enter Studio, Ltd. during the period May 30, 2018 through June 1, 2018, in an amount not to exceed \$42,000, is hereby ratified.

SECTION 2. That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to disburse funds in an amount not to exceed \$42,000 to van Enter Studio, Ltd. from Convention and Event Services Current Fund, Fund 0080, Department CCT, Unit 7821, Activity PUBA, Object 3099, Encumbrance/Contract No. CX-OCA-2018-00006599, Vendor VS0000022723.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.

STRATEGIC PRIORITY: Quality of Life

AGENDA DATE: June 13, 2018

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S): All

DEPARTMENT: Park & Recreation Department

CMO: Willis Winters, 670-4071

MAPSCO: Various

SUBJECT

Authorize a Sub-Grant Memorandum of Understanding with the Dallas Parks Foundation for the implementation of a community outreach outdoor program – Financing: No cost consideration to the City

BACKGROUND

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) is offering a CO-OP grant in the amount of \$45,509 to agencies, through its Community Outreach Outdoor Program, for the purpose of providing outdoor education and programming to underserved populations. This is the second time the Dallas Park Foundation (DPF) has been awarded the CO-OP grant from TPWD. The City of Dallas, through its Park and Recreation Department will implement a community outreach outdoor program pursuant to the grant agreement between the DPF and TPWD.

The City of Dallas Park and Recreation Department (City) staff has identified the following program categories: Overnight Camping, Fishing, Geocaching, Kayaking, Mountain Biking and Nature Photography. This program will serve low income and physically and/or mentally challenged youth.

The Memorandum of Understanding shall be subject to the following terms:

The grant performance period is from May 1, 2018 to November 1, 2019.

DPF Responsibilities:

1. DPF shall accept grant from TPWD on behalf of the City.
2. DPF shall purchase items as directed by the City.

BACKGROUND (continued)

3. DPF shall utilize award funds from TPWD in the amount of \$45,509 for the purposes of:
 - a. Paying registration fees for City staff trainings;
 - b. Purchasing lodging and travel expenses for City staff for training and implementation of the program; and
 - c. Purchasing supplies and equipment to support the community outreach outdoor program on behalf of the City.

City Responsibilities:

1. City shall implement the community outreach outdoor program.
2. City shall provide staffing for the community outreach outdoor program.
3. City shall make all purchasing decisions.
4. City shall determine any needs for amendments to the fund utilization from the original grant application.
5. City shall be responsible for completing quarterly reports.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)

On May 17, 2018, the Park and Recreation Board authorized a Sub-Grant Memorandum of Understanding with the Dallas Parks Foundation.

Information about this item will be provided to the Quality of Life, Arts and Culture Committee on June 11, 2018.

FISCAL INFORMATION

No cost consideration to the City.

June 13, 2018

WHEREAS, the City of Dallas Park and Recreation Department (City) and the Dallas Parks Foundation (DPF) would like to increase the number of outdoor education program offerings; and

WHEREAS, the City and the DPF, desire to enter into a Sub-Grant Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the purpose of implementing a community outreach outdoor program pursuant to the terms of the MOU; and

WHEREAS, the City will provide staffing to support the community outreach outdoor program and target specific audiences to participate in the program; and

WHEREAS, DPF will make purchases for the community outreach outdoor program as directed by the City in an amount not to exceed \$45,509, pursuant to the terms of the MOU.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PARK AND RECREATION BOARD AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to sign a Sub-Grant Memorandum of Understanding with the Dallas Parks Foundation, approved as to form by the City Attorney, for the implementation of a community outreach outdoor program.

SECTION 2. That the President of the Park and Recreation Board and the City Manager are hereby authorized to execute a Sub-Grant Memorandum of Understanding, approved as to form by the City Attorney.

SECTION 3. That this contract is designated as Contract No. PKR-2018-00006516.

SECTION 4. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.