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AGENDA ITEM HISTORY SHEET

ITEM TITLE	AGENDA NO.
Alcoa 40 Park Field Lights	AGENDA DATE: 6/24/2025

FUNDING CERTIFICATION (Finance Director) (Signature, if applicable)

MANAGEMENT STAFF REVIEW (Signature)

MAYOR (Signature)

ITEM HISTORY (Previous Council reviews, action related to this item, and other pertinent history)

ITEM COMMENTARY (Background discussion, key points, recommendations, etc.) Please identify any or all impacts this proposed action would have on the City budget, personnel resources, and/or residents.

The City of Bryant is applying for the Arkansas Community Assistance Grant Program through the Arkansas Economic Development Commission (AEDC) to fund lighting improvements at Alcoa 40 Park. The project includes demolition and installation of new field lights for the lacrosse field and two softball fields. A quote range has been provided by Musco, and the City is applying based on the higher estimate to ensure full project coverage. The estimated total cost is approximately $530,000, with $185,000 allocated for the lacrosse field and $345,000 for the two softball fields. This is an 80/20 grant, with $424,000 in requested grant funds and a 20% City match of $106,000. (Capital Assets - Infrastructure GL#: 001-0430-5816)

(This section to be completed by the Mayor)

ACTION PROPOSED (Motion for Consideration)

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF BRYANT TO APPLY FOR AND PARTICIPATE IN THE ARKANSAS COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Bryant City Council has determined that the City of Bryant meets the eligibility requirements necessary to apply for a grant under the Arkansas Community Assistance Grant Program, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant has presented a plan to apply for funding for lacrosse and softball field lights at Alcoa 40 Park, and

WHEREAS, Bryant City Council recognizes the need for the project, concurs with its importance, and supports the City of Bryant in its efforts to proceed with the same, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant understands that, if selected, the Arkansas Community Assistance Grant Program funds are available at 80% with a 20% local match.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY BRYANT CITY COUNCIL THAT:

SECTION I: Bryant City Council agrees to include the local match requirements within its budget for FFY 2025 and subsequent years as necessary. The Capital Assets - Infrastructure account (GL Line: 001-0430-5816) will cover the local match requirement.

SECTION II: the City of Bryant will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility, including maintenance of this project.

SECTION III: Mayor Chris Treat is hereby authorized to submit and administer an application of formal request to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission for purpose of securing state grant funds to aid and assist the City of Bryant in executing the proposed project.

SECTION IIII: Bryant City Council pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Economic Development Commission to initiate action to implement this project.

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 24th day of June, 2025.

Signed: _____
Chris Treat
Mayor of Bryant

ATTEST: _____
(SEAL)