

**RESOLUTION 07-23-01**

**APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR A SOUTH CAROLINA PARKS, RECREATION, AND TOURISM (SCPRT) GRANT.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hartsville desires to apply for SC Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism (SCPRT) reimbursement grant funds via the Undiscovered SC grant program for up to 50% reimbursement of the budgeted splash pad renovations at Neptune Island Waterpark; and,

**WHEREAS**, Undiscovered SC seeks to fund improvement of self-sustaining tourism projects that will attract visitors from outside a 50-mile radius to the community and increases visitor spending; and,

**WHEREAS**, the city seeks a reimbursement grant in the amount of up to Two Hundred Thousand dollars (\$200,000) with a commitment to fund the project; and,

**WHEREAS**, renovations to the Neptune Island Waterpark splash pad due to aging and needed repairs are necessary with the estimated cost of Four Hundred Thousand dollars (\$400,000) included in the 2023-2024 fiscal year budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hartsville that the application for the SCPRT Undiscovered SC grant program is hereby approved.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute all required documents.

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, in meeting duly advertised and assembled the 11th day of July 2023.

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Casey Hancock, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Andrea D. Crenshaw, CMC  
City Clerk