

RESOLUTION NO. 2021 - 33

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH GAMETIME FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF PLAYGROUND/RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT WITHIN VOLUNTEER PARK

WHEREAS, State law requires governmental entities when purchasing goods or services in excess of \$50,000 to award such purchase by competitive bidding, which at times can add unnecessary delays and unnecessary cost to such routine contract procedures; and

WHEREAS, State law recognizes a number of exemptions to competitive bidding when advantages may be gained by participating in a Cooperative Purchasing Program, including a joint purchasing program operated by or through a national or state association of political subdivisions in which the local municipal entity is a member; and

WHEREAS, Membership has been offered to the Village of Golf Manor to join the Cooperative Purchasing Program with the National Intergovernmental Purchasing Alliance Company, d/b/a Omnia Partners, to enable the Village to take advantage of competitive bidding under a Master Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement; and

WHEREAS, GameTime, a PlayCore company, is the authorized Ohio service provider within Omnia Partners for the purchase and installation of playground and recreational equipment, and GameTime has offered to contract with the Village for the installation of playground/recreational equipment within Volunteer Park under the discounted terms of such national program which provide an advantage to the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Program and the competitive bid solicited and awarded by Charlotte, North Carolina for playground/recreational equipment through Omnia Partners meets the recognized exceptions to competitive bidding under R.C. § 9.48.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Golf Manor, Hamilton County, Ohio, that:

SECTION I. Council hereby confirms the Village of Golf Manor's Membership in the National Intergovernmental Purchasing Alliance Company, d/b/a Omnia Partners, and the Master Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase Agreement made available to participating public agencies.

SECTION II. Council does authorize the Village Administrator to enter into a contract through Omnia Partners with GameTime, a locally based PlayCore company, for the purchase and installation of playground/recreational equipment within Volunteer Park at a contract price not to exceed \$100,000.

SECTION III. Further, the Village Administrator is authorized to execute such additional documentation as may be required to allow the Village to participate in certain

available grant programs to support the cost of the purchase and installation of this playground/recreational equipment.

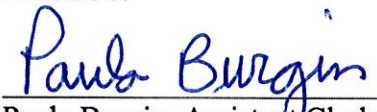
SECTION IV. This Resolution shall take effect the earliest opportunity as allowable by law.

PASSED this 30th day of September, 2021.



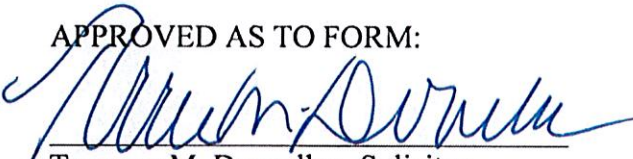
Mayor Stefan C. Densmore

ATTEST:



Paula Burgin, Assistant Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Terrence M. Donnellon, Solicitor