

STATE OF GEORGIA
FULTON COUNTY

June 22, 2020

RESOLUTION CONDEMNING RACISM

WHEREAS, the City of Roswell, its Mayor, City Council, Police Chief, entire Roswell Police Department, and City employees, are deeply saddened and heartbroken by the tragic events that have occurred across the country recently; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge the history of racial inequity and injustice in our country and community and will seek systemic changes to institutional racism; and

WHEREAS, we will stand against racism in the City of Roswell, and are committed to actively work against all forms of racism; and

WHEREAS, racism damages the heart and soul of those who experience it and those who perpetuate it; and

WHEREAS, we are committed to safeguarding our community against the damage that racism causes and to ensuring the Constitutional rights of every person who lives, works, and visits Roswell are protected; and

WHEREAS, Roswell residents have gathered many times in the last month in protest against racism in any form, reaffirming that people of all races, ethnicities, cultures, and faiths contribute to our diverse, vibrant, and strong community; and

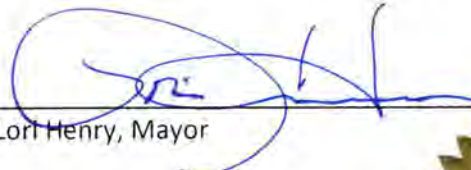
WHEREAS, the Roswell Police Department has adopted and is committed to the six pillars of 21st Century Policing which include: Building Trust and Legitimacy, Policy and Oversight, Technology and Social Media, Community Policing and Crime Reduction, Training and Education, and Officer Wellness and Safety; and

WHEREAS, the Roswell Police Department is committed to honesty and transparency and will continue to build on a culture of trust with whom they serve; and

WHEREAS, the City of Roswell appreciates the overwhelming support we receive every day from our great community; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Roswell stand steadfast with all citizens against racism and reaffirm its commitment to fighting for racial justice and human and civil rights for all.

Read and adopted in a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell, Georgia, held on June 22, 2020.


Lori Henry, Mayor

Attest:


Marlee Press, City Clerk
(Seal)



Regular Meeting

Monday, June 22, 2020

7:00 PM

3. Approval of the Final Plat for The Preserve at Roswell - Roswell Farms Drive, Land Lot 375.

Community Development

The final plat for the Preserve at Roswell contains sixteen (16) single family homes. The property is zoned RS-18.

4. Approval of a Resolution to apply for a FY2021 Project Grant from the National Endowment for the Arts in the amount of \$15,000.

Recreation and Parks

Resolution No. 2020-06-24

This Project Grant from the National Endowment for the Arts will support the Sunday Pops Series presented as part of the Cultural Arts Center's 2021/2022 season. The Roswell Cultural Arts Center will present up to three distinctive concerts featuring the Atlanta Pops Orchestra and a guest artist.

5. Approval of a Resolution to accept a Federal Land Water Conservation Fund Grant (LWCF) for Ace Sand Company Park and approve a Budget Amendment 22162000-06-22-2020 in the amount of \$200,0000.

Recreation and Parks

Resolution No. 2020-06-25

This 2018-19 Federal Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant from the Georgia Department of Natural Resources (GDNR) in the amount of \$100,000 will be used for improvements at the Roswell Ace Sand Park. This grant will fund the Fitness Circuit Trail Loop at Ace Sand Park, as identified in the Roswell River Park Master Plan finished on May 2016. The proposed fitness loop will connect the new Ace Sand Park and Don White Park.

Regular Agenda

Mayor's Report

1. Approval of a Resolution Condemning Racism.

Resolution No. 2020-06-26

This resolution condemns racism and a commitment to fighting for racial justice and human and civil rights for all.

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Marie Willsey, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Michael Palermo, Councilmember
IN FAVOR:	Hall, Judy, Palermo, Tyser, Willsey, Zapata