

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
MARCH 15, 2016 AGENDA**

Subject: Contract for Kanis Park Skate Facility improvements. Submitted By: Parks & Recreation Department	Action Required: Ordinance √ Resolution Approval Information Report	Approved By: Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS	Approval to authorize City Manager to enter into a contract with Hunger Skateparks, LLC, for a total amount of \$169,750.00 for park improvements at Kanis Park Skate Facility.	
FISCAL IMPACT	Funding is obtained from a grant of \$150,000.00 received from Coca-Cola Company and the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA). Parks Capital Upgrade account to be used in the amount of \$19,750.00.	
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the resolution.	
BACKGROUND	Kanis DIY (Do It Yourself) Krew, a group of enthusiast skate boarders, has been very supportive and donated time on the development of design plans for the new proposed skate facility features with parks staff. Over the past fifteen (15) years this group has raised funds and helped construct incremental skate park improvements for Kanis Skate Park. The National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA) guided Coca-Cola Company to Little Rock Parks and Recreation, and they found that our application was fitting for their marketing plans. The City of Little Rock held a Public Bid No. 16103 to solicit and obtain competitive bids in order to establish a contract for the park improvements. Two (2) bids were received and Hunger Skateparks, LLC, was low bid for a total amount of \$169,750.00.	