

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-03-_____

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING THE MAYOR AUTHORITY TO APPLY FOR AN ARKANSAS RURAL
COMMUNITY GRANT FOR THE HARRY SBANOTTO PARK**

Whereas, the Tontitown City Council has determined that the Tontitown Community meets eligibility requirements to apply for a grant under the Arkansas Rural Community Grant; and

Whereas, the Tontitown Community has presented plans to construct needed replacement of play equipment for the Harry Sbanotto Park; and

Whereas, the City of Council of Tontitown, has presented plans to replace some of the playground equipment inside the Harry Sbanotto Park; and whereas, the City Council of Tontitown recognizes the need for the project, concurs its importance, and supports the City of Tontitown in its efforts to proceed with the same, and

Whereas, the City of Tontitown has furnished proof that they have raised \$ 27,552.00 through community cash and/or in-kind donations to be applied to the project as a local match; Therefore, be it resolved that the City Council of Tontitown hereby appropriates a sum of \$27,552.00 up to \$41,000.00 to complete the local match money requirement for the project described herein; Be it further resolved, that the Mayor of Tontitown is hereby authorized to submit an application of formal request to the Arkansas Rural Development Commission for purpose of securing state grant funds in the amount of \$_____ to aid and assist the Tontitown Community in executing the proposed project described herein and that the Mayor or Recorder/Treasurer of Tontitown is further authorized to administer the grant funds for the same project, recognizes the need for the project, concurs its importance, and supports the Tontitown Community in its efforts to proceed with the same;

Therefore, be it resolved, that the Mayor of Tontitown is hereby authorized to submit an application of formal request to the Arkansas Rural Development Commission for the purpose of securing the state grant funds in the amount of \$ 27,552.00 to aid and assist the Tontitown Community in executing the proposed project described herein and that the Mayor or Recorder/Treasurer of Tontitown is further authorized to administer the grant funds for the same project as well as matching funds for completion of said project.

THIS RESOLUTION PASSED AND APPROVED IN REGULAR SESSION this _____ day of March, 2018.

APPROVED: _____
Signature of Mayor, Paul Colvin

ATTEST: _____
Signature of Recorder/Treasurer



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