

District Improvement Program Review Committee

Meeting Minutes – 3/14/2024 at 12:00 p.m. via Zoom

I. **Attendees**

Voting Members:

- Lucy Frank, proxy for Council President Carrie Hartman
- District Councilmembers Vanice Williams and John Hobbs
- Director of Economic Development: Brandon Sehlhorst

Non-Voting Members:

Director of Parks & Youth Services: Joe Fausnaugh

II. **Applications**

a. Detwiler Baseball Complex Arch Project Application

Fausnaugh provided a comprehensive overview of the overall project which is utilizing ARPA funding and a Nature Work Grant to install drainage, improve restrooms and renovate the press box. The proposed project will enhance the entry plaza for the complex creating a sense of place for pride for residents and visitors.

Williams expressed support for the project.

Motion: Motion was made by Sehlhorst and seconded by Williams to recommend approval of the Detwiler Baseball Complex Arch Project District Improvement Program application to Toledo City Council authorizing the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$25,000 from District 4's available DIP balance to install an archway and improve the entry plaza to the complex.

Vote:

Yeas: Frank, Williams and Sehlhorst

Nays: None

Abstentions: None

b. Ottawa Park Ice Rink Restroom Project Application

Fausnaugh provided an overview of the project that will install a flush restroom along the Bancroft side of Ottawa Park. Fausnaugh explained that it is a relatively simple project and a much more cost effective approach then building a new facility.

Hobbs expressed support for the project and gratitude to Director Fausnaugh for finding a solution to this challenge for Ottawa Park that has persisted for over

2.5 years where porta-potties have been used as a temporary solution. Sehlhorst asked when the project would be under construction to which Fausnaugh explained that it would be under construction this summer.

Motion: Motion was made by Hobbs and seconded by Frank to recommend approval of the Ottawa Park Ice Rink Restroom Project District Improvement Program application to Toledo City Council authorizing the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$60,000 from District 1's available DIP balance to install a flush restroom facility at Ottawa Park.

Vote:

Yeas: Frank, Hobbs and Sehlhorst

Nays: None

Abstentions: None