RESOLUTION NO. R-2025-135

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$750,000 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PAR 3 GOLF COURSE ON CITY-OWNED PROPERTY LOCATED AT FARM STREET AND HIGHWAY 95; PROVIDING FOR A LOCAL MATCH; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) provides grant funding for the development of public outdoor recreational facilities; and

WHEREAS, discussions with TPWD staff indicate that the proposed Par 3 golf course may qualify for grant funding in the amount of \$750,000; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to construct the golf course on City-owned property located at the intersection of Farm Street and Highway 95; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires a local match, which will be funded from the proposed \$15 million bond for park improvements, which includes \$10 million for bridge rehabilitation and other related improvements citywide; and

WHEREAS, the City has allocated \$600,000 of the proposed bond funds to this potential golf course project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to prepare and submit a grant application to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for funding in the amount of \$750,000 for the construction of a Par 3 golf course on City-owned property located at Farm Street and Highway 95.

SECTION 2. That the City Council authorizes a local match in the amount of \$600,000 to be allocated from the proposed \$15 million bond for park facilities.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

APPROVED:

Ishmael Harris, Mayor

ATTEST:

Michael Muscarello, City Secretary

