

**TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN
R-33-22**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPLY
FOR A RECREATION GRANT**

WHEREAS, the Township of Franklin desires to apply for and obtain a grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs for approximately \$100,000.00 to carry out a recreation areas improvement project to:

- Resurface the street hockey and basketball courts at the Pennsylvania Avenue Sports Complex. Additionally install a community walking area around a portion of the complex area. Approximate cost \$50,000.00
- Update, renew and replenish the children’s playground area and equipment at Malaga Lake Park, including but not limited to removal of all playground materials, replacement with new wood chips, mulch or shredded rubber. Additionally, separate areas for active play, such as swinging, and for quiet play, such as digging in sandboxes. Install spaces for preschoolers located away from areas where older, more active children play. Establish a "use zone" around equipment, with adequate space for entering and exiting. Approximate estimated costs \$25,000.00
- Update, renew and replenish the beach area at Franklinville Lake and playground area. Rake and level beach area, add additional sand where needed to the beach area. Add security lighting and update, reposition playground equipment for more use and establish better sight lines for adult supervision of children in play areas. Approximate estimated costs \$25,000.00

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township of Franklin does hereby authorize the application for such a grant; and recognizes and accepts that the Department of Community Affairs may offer a lesser or greater amount and therefore, upon receipt of the grant agreement from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, does further authorize the execution of any such grant agreement; and also, upon receipt of the fully executed agreement from the Department, does further authorize the expenditure of funds pursuant to the terms of the agreement between the Township of Franklin and the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs.

BE IT THEREFORE FURTHER RESOLVED that the persons whose names, titles, and signatures appear below are authorized to sign the application, and that they or their successors in said titles are authorized to sign the agreement, and any other documents necessary in connection therewith:

Signature

Signature

Print Name

Print Name

Title

Title

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin on January 10, 2023.

Adopted: January 10, 2023

COMMITTEE MEMBER	MOTION	2 nd	YES	ABSTAIN	NO	ABSENT
T. Doyle						
H. Flaim						
J. Keen						
M. Marsh						
J. Bruno						

Attest:

Township of Franklin

Barbara Freijomil, Clerk

John Bruno, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, Barbara Freijomil, Clerk of the Township of Franklin, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Township Committee at a meeting held on January 10, 2023.

Barbara Freijomil, Clerk