

**RESOLUTION NO. 12243**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT PROPOSITION 202 FUNDS FROM THE GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY AND ADMINISTER AWARDED FUNDS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Arizona’s Indian Gaming Compact provides that an Indian Tribe make twelve percent (12%) of its net annual State contribution to cities, towns or counties for government services that benefit the public. Private, not-for-profit organizations wishing to access Indian Gaming Funds (“Gaming Funds”) to provide public benefits must secure sponsorship from a city, town, or county before making application. This sponsorship must be expressed in a resolution passed by the local government sponsor.

Section 2: The Gila River Indian Community wishes the City of Mesa to receive and distribute \$540,000 from its 2024 12% revenue award cycle for grants as follows:

- \$40,000      Mesa Arts Center, (2-year grant at \$20,000/yr) for their Opportunities for 55+ program.
  
- \$500,000    i.d.e.a. museum (3-year grant term) to support “The BIG idea” Experience (Capital) Campaign.

Section 3: The City Council supports these grants and authorizes the City Manager, or his designee, to accept and administer the 2024 awarded Gila River Indian Community Proposition 202 funding.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Maricopa County, Arizona this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2024.

APPROVED:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk