

RESOLUTION NO. 12076

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 AS PASS-THROUGH GRANTS TO DESIGNATED AWARDEES.

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 \$442,888 from its 2023 12% revenue award cycle for grants as follows:

- \$65,888 City of Mesa Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities to install the Eagles Center Gymnasium Curtain Divider to increase community space
- \$17,000 Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc. for the Jeremy Project to provide musical instruments to marginalized youth
- \$75,000 Central Arizona Shelter Services (3-year grant) for CASS Senior Haven in Mesa
- \$75,000 Gene Lewis Boxing Club (2-year grant) for Saving Tomorrow, Serving Today after school services program
- \$200,000 Child Crisis AZ (2-year grant) for their Fostering Bright Futures Expansion
- \$10,000 Family Promise – Greater Phoenix for their Family Promise Emergency Shelter Program to provide services to Mesa families

Section 3: The City Council supports these grants and authorizes the City Manager, or his designee, to accept and administer the 2023 awarded Gila River Indian Community Proposition 202 funding.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Maricopa County, Arizona this 21st day of August, 2023.

APPROVED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk