

RESOLUTION NO. _____

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 \$185,100 from its 2021 12% revenue award cycle for grants as follows:

\$30,000	to Mesa Arts Center (2-year grant at \$15,000/yr) for its Creative Aging programming
\$20,100	to Mesa Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities for its Fun N Fitness Mobile Recreation Unit
\$90,000	to Helen's Hope Chest (3-year grant at \$30,000/yr) for supportive services homeless foster youth aging out of the AZ State foster care system
\$30,000	to Gene Lewis Boxing Club to support the "We Embrace the Challenge!" after-school services
\$15,000	to Desert Sounds Performing Arts, Inc. for the Jeremy Project to provide musical instruments to marginalized youth

Section 3: The City Council supports these grants and authorizes the City Manager, or his designee, to accept and administer the 2021 awarded Gila River Indian Community Proposition 202 funding.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Maricopa County, Arizona this 20th day of September, 2021.

APPROVED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk