

PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE

10-0047R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR AND, IF SELECTED, ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY THROUGH THE GREAT LAKES RESTORATION INITIATIVE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$375,000 FOR A PROJECT ENTITLED RESTORING STREAM TROUT IN BUCKINGHAM CREEK.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are hereby authorized to execute an application for, and if selected, implement a grant from the environmental protection agency through the Great Lakes restoration initiative and administered by the Minnesota pollution control agency in the amount of \$375,000 for a project entitled: *Restoring Stream Trout in Buckingham Creek*, funds to be deposited in Fund 0535-500-1915-4210-01, and to execute any documents required to be executed to accept such grant.

Approved:

Approved for presentation to council:

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Department Director

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Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

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Attorney

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Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution authorizes city application for a \$375,000 grant from the environmental protection agency and, if selected, implementation of the grant to fund the restoring stream trout in Buckingham Creek project. Native brook trout are unable to survive in the stream due to a lack of base flow caused by connection to an irrigation pond in Enger Golf Course. The project will separate the pond from the stream by creating a new channel. Second phase will be to remove sediment from Upper Twin Pond and restore it to original depth.