

RESOLUTION 2017-03

Be it resolved by the City Council of Brookland, State of Arkansas a resolution entitled: City of Brookland Storm Shelter.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor of Brookland to apply for a grant on behalf of the citizens of Brookland.

Whereas, the Brookland City Council has determined that the Brookland community meets eligibility requirements necessary to apply for a grant under the Arkansas Rural Community Grant Programs, and

Whereas, the Brookland Community has presented plans to build a 1,000 square foot concrete storm shelter; and whereas, the City Council of Brookland recognizes the need for the project, concurs its importance and supports the Brookland Community in its efforts to proceed with the same, and

Whereas, the Brookland Community has furnished proof that they have raised \$56,700 through community cash and/or in-kind donations to be applied to the project as a local match;

Therefore, be it resolved that the City Council of Brookland hereby appropriates a sum of \$50,000 to complete the local match money requirement for the project described herein;

Be it further resolved, that the Mayor of Brookland is hereby authorized to submit an application of formal request to the Arkansas Rural Development Commission for purpose of securing state grant funds in the amount of \$15,000 to aid and assist the Brookland Community in executing the proposed project described herein and that the Mayor of Brookland is further authorized to administer the grant fund for the same project.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ON THIS 27th DAY OF February, 2017.

ATTEST:

Kenneth D. Jones, Mayor

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Billy W. Dacus, City Clerk