AMENDED RESOLUTION NO. 04 - 21

By: Matt Klingler

A Resolution approving the 2021 Havenwood Park Landscape Plan

Whereas, Havenwood Park is a unique and important park within the City's greenscape, and has historically functioned as a passive neighborhood park; and

Whereas, It has been several decades since the City invested in landscape design within the park, and a variety of landscape features have declined over the years; and

Whereas, City of Bexley design staff worked with a group of interested residents to arrive at a landscape plan to refresh the existing landscape and preserve the park's historical context as a passive park for the enjoyment of adjacent residents and visitors to the park; and

Whereas, Numerous public workshops and opportunities for public engagement have been conducted, including onsite tours of the park; neighborhood outreach; review and approval by the Tree and Public Gardens Commission; and presentation to the South Bexley Neighborhood Association; and

Whereas, The process for approval by City Council provides additional venues for resident engagement and feedback, and provides the administration with the confidence to pursue funding opportunities for the proposed landscape plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

Section 1. That the 2021 Havenwood Park Landscape Plan, attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby approved, amended as follows: that the hardscape patio on the east side of the park be placed at the grade of the surrounding park, and that prior to finalizing any construction plans the designer study options to lessen the overall patio space in a way that continues to provide an accessible route and perspective from which to enjoy the park, while honoring the park's natural and passive character.

<u>Section 2.</u> That this Resolution shall go into full force and effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed ______, 2022

William Harvey, Clerk of Council

Cori Ann Feibel, President of Council

5/11/21

Benjamin Kessler, Mayor

First Reading: 04-13-21

Second Reading: Third Reading:

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