



REQUEST FOR ACTION CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Date: 12/02/2024
Agenda Section: New Business

Department: Administration

Agenda Item: Approve the Resolution Accepting Donations

Approval Required: Simple Majority Vote

BACKGROUND

Attached is the donation report for November 2024.

The City of Pequot Lakes is very appreciative of all who have made these contributions. The funds from the donations and grants will be used as requested by the donor or by the requirements of the grant.

While we are thankful for all donations received, the recent generous donation from the Friends of the Pequot Lakes Library stands out for our library and its patrons.

The substantial donation not only reflects the Friends' commitment to supporting our library but also highlights the vital role the library plays in fostering literacy, learning, and community engagement. Their contribution will enable them to expand their collection, enriching the lives of our residents.

It is important that we publicly acknowledge their generosity and the impact it will have on our library's mission.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommends the City Council approve the Resolution Accepting Donations.

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED

Motion to approve the Resolution Accepting Donations. A two-thirds vote of the Council is required to adopt this resolution.

**FRIENDS OF THE PEQUOT LAKES
COMMUNITY LIBRARY**

November 20, 2024

To: Pequot Lakes City Council

Mark Jurchen, President, Pequot Lakes Library

From: Friends of the Pequot Lakes Community Library

Re: Gift to the City of Pequot Lakes

Enclosed is a check from the Friends of the Pequot Lakes Community Library in the amount of \$35,000. The funds are designated for the following purpose.

- To cover various operating expenses for running the Pequot Lakes Community Library.

The Friends are delighted to be able to continue their support of this important Community asset.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Thomas Adams

FPLCL, Treasurer

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Receipt Number	Date	Customer Name	Description	Amount	Distribution	GL Account
16.001114	11/04/2024	COMMUNITY ACTION PEQUOT LAKES	PARK DONATIONS - SPLASH PAD CONCRETE	2,250.00	PARK DONATIONS	101-36230-000
16.001115	11/04/2024	COMMUNITY ACTION PEQUOT LAKES	PARK DONATIONS-HOLIDAY LIGHTS	5,000.00	PARK DONATIONS	101-36230-000
16.001116	11/07/2024	STATE OF MINNESOTA	DEED GRANTS/LOAN	7,444.25	STATE GRANTS	101-33422-000
14.000677	11/12/2024	PATRONS	LIBRARY DONATIONS	10.00	LIBRARY DONATIONS	211-36230-000
16.001144	11/18/2024	PATRONS	LIBRARY DONATIONS	14.00	LIBRARY DONATIONS	211-36230-000
12.000525	11/21/2024	FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY	LIBRARY DONATIONS FOR VARIOUS OPERATING EXPENSES	35,000.00	LIBRARY DONATIONS	211-36230-000
16.001175	11/26/2024	PATRONS	LIBRARY DONATIONS	23.00	LIBRARY DONATIONS	211-36230-000
Grand Totals:				<u>49,741.25</u>		

**CITY OF PEQUOT LAKES
RESOLUTION 24-37**

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING DONATIONS AND/OR GRANTS FROM
NOVEMBER 1, 2024 THROUGH NOVEMBER 31, 2024**

WHEREAS, The City of Pequot Lakes is generally authorized to accept donations of real and personal property pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 465.03 for the benefit of its citizens and is specifically authorized to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of recreational service pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 471.17; and

WHEREAS, The following persons and entities have offered to contribute the cash sums set forth below to the City:

<u>Name of Donor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Requested Use of Contribution or Grant</u>
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See the attached list of donors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PEQUOT LAKES, MINNESOTA that all donations and/or grants described above are hereby graciously accepted by the City of Pequot Lakes and shall be used as requested by the donors or grant requirements.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council expresses its gratitude to the donors of the gifts.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Pequot Lakes this 2nd day of December 2024.

ATTEST:

Tyler Gardner
Mayor

Angie Duus
City Administrator