FACT SHEET

TITLE	DATE	ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF $16,000 FROM THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR THE PAINT YOUR HEART OUT PROGRAM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO	MAY 13, 2014	DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
		SPONSOR
		SAME

PURPOSE

To authorize the acceptance of $16,000 from The Community Foundation for the "Paint Your Heart Out Program".

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

By ordinance, the City has created an Enrichment Fund as a trust fund for the receipt of donations for the enrichment and improvement of city facilities, program and services. The ordinance is contained in Section 26-186, et seq of the Code of Ordinances. Section 26-187 of the Ordinance authorizes the Mayor or his designee to accept donations of funds up to $10,000 per donation from any person and to execute donation agreements to obligate the city to expend such funds for any public purpose designated by the donor. Donations over $10,000 may be accepted only with approval of the city council.

The Community Foundation ("Donor") has approved a grant of $16,000 to the City of Shreveport exclusively for marketing and materials for the Paint Your Heart Out Program. This resolution would authorize the acceptance of the funds exclusively for the purpose stated by the Donor.

TIMETABLE

Introduction - May 13, 2014
Final Passage - May 27, 2014

FINANCES

Adopting of this resolution would allow the City of Shreveport to receive $16,000 from The Community Foundation for marketing and materials for the Paint Your Heart Out Program.

ALTERNATIVES

1. Adopt the resolution as submitted.
2. Amend the resolution.
3. Deny the resolution.

CONCLUSION

Alternative number 1 is recommended.

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RESOLUTION NO. _____ OF 2014

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF $16,000 FROM THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR THE PAINT YOUR HEART OUT PROGRAM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

BY: _____

WHEREAS, the City of Shreveport has by ordinance created an Enrichment Fund as a trust fund for the receipt of donations for the enrichment and improvement of city facilities, program and services. The ordinance is contained in Section 26-186, et seq of the Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, Section 26-187 of the ordinance authorizes the Mayor or his designee to accept donations of funds up to $10,000 per donation from any person and to execute donation agreements to obligate the city to expend such funds for any public purpose designated by the donor; and

WHEREAS, this Section of the ordinance also provides that donations over $10,000 may be accepted only with the approval of the city council; and

WHEREAS, the Community Foundation ("Donor") has approved a grant of $16,000 to the City of Shreveport exclusively for marketing and materials for the Paint Your Heart Out Program; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to accept the donation of the funds from the Donor and to use the funds for the purpose stated by the Donor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in legal session convened, that the Mayor is hereby authorized to accept the donation of $16,000 from The Community Foundation, the said funds to be used exclusively for marketing and materials for the Paint Your Heat Out Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all documents reasonably requested by the Donor acknowledging acceptance and receipt of the donation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications, and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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City Attorney