

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CITY MANAGER TO UTILIZE ARPA FUNDS TO
CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL FEATURES AT BUSCHER PARK**

WHEREAS, the City of Mankato was awarded \$10,097,143 as part of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Coronavirus State & Local Fiscal Recovery Funds Final rule the funds can be used for government services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mankato has previously allocated \$50,000 to the Parks Capital fund for the purpose of completing Buscher Park; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mankato would like to utilize the \$50,000 in ARPA funds plus an additional \$10,000 of ARPA interest for two additional features at Buscher Park including a swing set and a volleyball court.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MANKATO,
MINNESOTA:

1. The Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to allocate ARPA funds not to exceed \$60,000 for the purpose of a swing set and a volleyball court at Buscher Park.

This resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

Passed this 12th day of August 2024.

Dated this 12th day of August 2024.

Najwa Massad
Mayor

Attest: _____
Renae Kopischke, MMC
City Clerk