

From the Interim Executive Director of the Department of Parks, Recreation and Culture, requesting authorization to approve sPark Matching Fund Spring 2020 request from ImagineMKE in the amount of \$12,195 to support Tay Remembrance Murals in Moody Park, by recommending adoption of the following:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, ImagineMKE is engaging the community and local youth by facilitating a community-designed remembrance mural on the basketball courts in Moody Park, in honor of the life of Quanita “Tay” Jackson; and

WHEREAS, the project will support residents in the Amani neighborhood of Milwaukee; and

WHEREAS, youth will be meaningfully engaged throughout the process, and have the opportunity to work directly with local artists to honor of the life of Jackson, who was a victim of gun violence near Moody Park in August 2019, a day after hosting a community basketball tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Parks, Energy, and Environment, at its meeting of June 12, 2020, recommended adoption of File No. 20-320 (vote 5-0); now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Culture is hereby authorized to award a \$12,195 sPark Matching Fund award to ImagineMKE, to support the Quanita “Tay” Jackson Remembrance Mural installation in Moody Park.

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