

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-R-45**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER TO PLAYPOWER LT FARMINGTON, INC., AS THE SOLE SOURCE PROVIDER OF LITTLE TIKES PLAY EQUIPMENT, FOR REPLACEMENT PARTS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE KEYSTONE PARK TOT-LOT, AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY-TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR DOLLARS AND EIGHTY-FOUR CENTS (\$32,344.84) IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 7-143 OF THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of North Miami, Florida (the “City”) is desirous of issuing a purchase order to PlayPower LT Farmington, Inc., (“PPLT”) for the purchase of replacement parts and equipment for the Keystone Park Tot-Lot; and

**WHEREAS**, the City’s Parks and Recreation Department has determined that the Keystone Park Tot-Lot requires immediate attention and repair to several of its equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 7-143 of the City Code, the Purchasing Director has determined that there is only one (1) reasonable source of the product, and the contract by its very nature, is not suitable to competitive bids or proposal; and

**WHEREAS**, PPLT is the exclusive and sole source for Little Tikes commercial play equipment in the State of Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to purchase these replacement parts and equipment to prioritize safety and to enhance the overall play experience for both residents and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, City Administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council authorize the City Manager to issue a purchase order to PPLT in an amount not to exceed Thirty-Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Four Dollars and 84/100 Cents (\$32,344.84); and

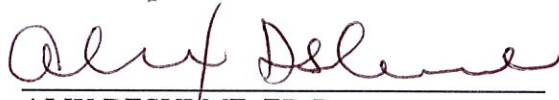
**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council find that this purchase is in the best interest of the residents of the City of North Miami and should be authorized.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**


**Section 1.**      **Authority of the City Manager.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue a purchase order to PlayPower LT Farmington, Inc., as the sole source provider of Little Tikes play equipment, in an amount not to exceed Thirty-Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Four Dollars and 84/100 Cents (\$32,344.84) to purchase replacement parts and equipment for the Keystone Park Tot-Lot in accordance with Section 7-143 of the City Code of Ordinances.

**Section 2.**      **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 5 - 0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 26th day of March, 2024. .

  
ALIX DESULME, ED.D.  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Charles

Seconded by: Desulme

**Vote:**

Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.

X (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No)

Vice Mayor Mary Estimé-Irvin

X (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No)

Councilman Scott Galvin

X (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No)

Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA

X (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No)

Councilman Pierre Frantz Charles, M.Ed.

X (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No)