

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-6

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF MONTICELLO LEAGUE OF SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS, INC.

Whereas, The Miracle League of Southeast Arkansas, Inc. is a non-profit corporation that proposes to construct facilities for and operate a sports league for handicapped citizens of Monticello and Southeast, Arkansas, as part of the Miracle League national organization;

Whereas, Miracle League of Southeast Arkansas, Inc. has requested of the City of Monticello, a Ground Lease Agreement for the playing field at Ross Field, so that it may raise funds for the installation of the playing surface necessitated for such a league, which is estimated to cost as much as \$250,000;

Whereas, the operation of a Miracle League for the citizens of Monticello is in the best interest of the City of Monticello and a Ground Lease Agreement is reasonably necessary for such league to become operational.

It is, therefore, by the City Council Monticello resolved as follows;

1. That a Ground Lease Agreement in form and substance consistent with that proposal as circulated among the City Council members (a true and correct copy of which being attached is "Exhibit 1" to this resolution) is authorized and the Mayor and the City Clerk are authorized and directed to enter in to said Ground Lease Agreement on behalf of the City of Monticello.

2. That the City Council of Monticello states of record, its strong approval of and support for the creation of a Miracle League for handicapped youth and citizens and their families in Monticello and Southeast Arkansas.

Adopted by the City Council of Monticello on this 18 day of March, 2014.


Clerk/Treasurer