

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-30

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING FUNDING ALLOCATION RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ACCOMMODATIONS TAX ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE DISBURSEMENT OF REVENUES FROM THE ACCOMMODATIONS TAX YEAR 2018-2019

WHEREAS, the City of North Augusta receives state accommodations tax funding from the state of South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the City receives more than fifty thousand dollars in state accommodations taxes and pursuant to Section 6-4-25 Code of Laws of South Carolina, formed a local advisory committee consisting of seven members via Resolution 2019-32; and

WHEREAS, Section 6-4-10(4) provides, in part, that the funds received by a municipality collecting more than fifty thousand dollars from the state accommodations tax must allocate the remaining balance, 65% plus earned interest, to the special fund to use for tourism related expenditures; and

WHEREAS, the local accommodations tax advisory committee received nine applications for funding for accommodations tax year 2018-2019; and

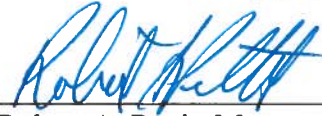
WHEREAS, the funding for accommodations tax year 2018-2019 to be allocated to applicants totals \$70,147.37; and

WHEREAS, the local accommodations tax advisory committee met and reviewed the applications, spoke with applicants and voted to recommend the following funding allocations for Council's consideration:

Project Name	Organization	Amount Requested	Allocated Amount
Vaughn Taylor Championship	Patrick Cansfield/ American Junior Golf Association	\$25,000	\$5,000
Frog Restroom	NA Forward/ Avery Spears	\$17,900	-
Palmetto Peach State Run	NA Forward/ Avery Spears	\$10,500	\$10,000
River Amphitheater Concert	FWB Fund Inc / Lisa Taylor	\$75,000	-
North Augusta Map/ Lifestyle	NA Chamber/ Terra Carroll	\$6,000	-
Jack O Lantern Jubilee	NAPRT/ Rick Meyer	\$35,000	-
Mobile Stage	NAPRT/ Rick Meyer	\$65,000	\$45,147.37
Peach Jam	Van Johnson/ Game Plan Sports	\$10,000	\$10,000
Connection with 2 nd Floor Gallery	Arts & Heritage / Mary Ann Bigger	\$30,000	-
TOTAL:			\$70,147.37

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council for the City of North Augusta, in meeting duly assembled and by the authority thereof that funding be allocated as recommended by the local accommodations tax advisory committee and that the funding source be the Accommodations Tax Fund for tax year 2018-2019.

DONE, RATIFIED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH AUGUSTA, SOUTH CAROLINA, ON THIS 20th DAY OF JULY, 2020.



Robert A. Pettit, Mayor

ATTEST:



Sharon Lamar, City Clerk