

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2019-2020 BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUMS SET UP THEREIN TO THE OBJECTS AND PURPOSES THEREIN NAMED.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:**

**I.**

That the City of Deer Park's budget for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020 was duly prepared and filed with the City Secretary, where it was available for inspection by any taxpayer.

**II.**

That the City has the opportunity to purchase real property located in the 600 block of West 13th Street that adjoins multiple properties owned by the City, including the western entrance to the Jimmy Burke Activity Center, the Battleground Golf Course, and the Ella & Friends Dog Park, for future use.

**III.**

That the real property is described as a tract of land containing 1.4538 acres of land, more or less, lying in the Thomas Earle Survey, Abstract No. 18, in Harris County, Texas, said 1.4538 acre tract of land being part of that certain 11.8049 acre tract of land conveyed by Brad C. Thompson, Trustee to Lonnie D. Harrison by a General Warranty Deed dated June 30, 1972 and recorded on film code number 146-31-1069 of the Deed Records of Harris County, Texas.

**IV.**

That this 1.4538 acres of land, more or less, located in the 600 block of West 13th Street, is owned by the Port of Houston Authority of Harris County, which has recently agreed to sell this 1.4538 acres of land, more or less, to the City for its appraised value of \$205,000.00.

**V.**

That the City recommends the purchase of the 1.4538 acres of land, more or less, located in the 600 block of West 13th Street and adjoining multiple properties owned by the City, for future use.

**VI.**

That, if approved, it is necessary to amend the budget for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020 to appropriate an additional \$205,000.00 for the purchase of the 1.4538 acres of land, more or less, located in the 600 block of West 13th Street and adjoining multiple properties owned by the City.

**VII.**

That funding for the amendment to the expenditures of the adopted budget for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020 will include the total amount of \$205,000.00 from the contingency of the Capital Improvements Fund, which is available for this purpose.

**VIII.**

That the regular budget of the City of Deer Park, Texas, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, be, and the same is hereby, in all respects finally approved and amended as so described and shall be, and is hereby, filed with the City Secretary of said City.

**IX.**

That the amounts specified are for the purposes named in said budget, and they are hereby appropriated to and for such purposes.

**X.**

That the City Secretary file copies of this Ordinance and of such budget with all public officers as required by the laws of the State of Texas.

**XI.**

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Government Code of the State of Texas.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, **passed, approved and adopted** on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 **by a vote of** \_\_\_\_\_ **“Ayes” and** \_\_\_\_\_ **“Noes”**.

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**MAYOR**, City of Deer Park, Texas

**ATTEST:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Secretary

**APPROVED:**

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City Attorney