

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

Public Works Committee: October 16, 2023

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR BEATTIE.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR FRANCIS.....

New Play Equipment for Green Acres Park, Corman Park, and Valley Park (Wards 5, 9 and 10)

WHEREAS, Green Acres Park is located at 880 Queenston Road, Hamilton, Ward 5;

WHEREAS, Valley Community Park is located at 970 Paramount Drive, Hamilton, Ward 9;

WHEREAS, Corman Park is located at 23 Teak Street, Hamilton, Ward 10;

WHEREAS, Green Acres Park is in need of a junior and senior play structure, as there is currently only a swing set at this park location;

WHEREAS, the Parks Capital Program is not currently funded for the addition or replacement of the above noted park play equipment;

WHEREAS, Valley Park and Corman Park have play structures that require replacement due to end of life condition, and the Parks budget has limited funding to replace; and

WHEREAS, the three identified parks are candidate sites for application of the Stoney Creek Compensation Royalties (Terrapure) reserve.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That \$350,000 in funding from the Stoney Creek Compensation Royalties (Terrapure) reserve #117036, not to exceed \$1,050,000 in total, be approved for new play equipment for each park as follows:
 - (i) Green Acres Park, located at 880 Queenston Road, Hamilton, Ward 5;

- (ii) Valley Park, located at 970 Paramount Drive, Hamilton, Ward 9;
- (iii) Corman Park, located at 23 Teak Street, Hamilton, Ward 10;
- (b) That staff be directed to undertake community engagement through the Play Your Way-Engage Hamilton digital platform in 2024 for Green Acres Park, Corman Park, and Valley Park; and
- (c) That the Parks section undertake the addition of new play equipment at Green Acres Park, Valley Park and Corman Park in 2025.