RESOLUTION NO. 2016-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HILLIARD, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR THE FLORIDA RECREATION DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (FRDAP) TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR STATE OF FLORIDA FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Hilliard desires to submit an application to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection for a Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program Grant to benefit the local residents.

WHEREAS, there is a present and growing need for outdoor recreation opportunities among persons of all ages within the Town of Hilliard, Florida corporate limits and among those visiting the area, and

WHEREAS, the Town recognizes this need for additional recreational opportunities; and

WHEREAS, meeting the increasing demand for, recreation opportunities can best be met with the development of Town Park Phase I as detailed in the application for funding in which the Town is submitting an application in the August 17, 2016 application cycle requesting \$500,000.00 in grant funds.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Hilliard as follows:

- 1. That the Town of Hilliard hereby authorizes the filing of an application for a Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program Grant, and
- 2. That the Town Clerk of the Town of Hilliard is hereby authorized to execute all documents required in connection with the filing of said application to be submitted on August 17, 2016.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this <u>4th</u> day of <u>August</u>, 2016, by the Hilliard Town Council, Hilliard, Florida.

TOWN OF HILLIARD

John P. Beasley

Council President

ATTEST:

Lisa Purvis Town Clerk

APPROVED:

David Buchanan Mayor