



City of Greensboro

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300 W. Washington Street
Greensboro, NC 27401

Agenda Report

File Number: 2025-57

Agenda Item# G.4.

Agenda Date: 2/4/2025. **Department:** Parks & Recreation
Meeting Type: Council Meeting **Category:** Consent Agenda

Title: 2025-57 Ordinance in the Amount of \$10,000 Grant from North Carolina Amateur Sports for Penn Wright Stadium Fence Replacement

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

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PURPOSE:

The Greensboro Parks and Recreation Department received a grant from the North Carolina Amateur Sports grant program for fence replacement at the Penn Wright Stadium. To accept this grant, a budget amendment is requested from the Greensboro City Council in accordance with current city fiscal procedures.

BACKGROUND:

The Greensboro Parks and Recreation Department applied for a youth sports grant from the North Carolina Amateur Sports for fence replacement at the Penn Wright Stadium. North Carolina Amateur Sports (NCAS) is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization that operates with the goal of promoting health and wellness for all ages and skill levels, enriching the quality of life, and enhancing economic well-being of North Carolina communities. The Parks and Recreation Department has been awarded the grant in the amount of \$10,000 and there is no cash match necessary to accept the grant.

Penn Wright Stadium is located at Barber Park and was built in 1991. This complex serves as a host location for the spring and fall youth baseball program operated by Greensboro Parks and Recreation. Over the last year 18,245 youth have participated in youth baseball program from ages 5-12. The complex also is the home of Greensboro College's softball program. Athletic

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organizations occasionally rent the complex for tournaments. The fence replacement will improve aesthetics and functionality while enhancing participant and visitor experiences.

BUDGET IMPACT:

No match was required from the City to secure this grant. A budget ordinance is required to establish the grant account for this project. Additional operational funding will be utilized to fund the balance of this project.

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

220-50-5098104

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

It is recommended that City Council accept the North Carolina Amateur Sports grant and adopt the attached budget ordinance to establish funding in the amount of \$10,000 for fence replacement at the Penn Wright Stadium.