

## CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS, NEW YORK

**TO:**City Council

**FROM:**Mayor Paul A. Dyster

**DATE:**March 28, 2019

**RE:City Council Agenda Item: State Contract Purchases (PC 67834) for city parks**

The Community Development Department has undertaken an aggressive plan of park improvements throughout the City of Niagara Falls. This council agenda item would allow the purchase of ancillary park equipment/structures that have been approved by the Niagara Falls City Council as part of past Niagara Falls Community Development Action Plans. It is NFCD's recommendation that the items be purchased via the New York State Office of General Services Playground Equipment, and Related Products Statewide Contract. MRC Companies, Inc. is a qualified vendor as part of the statewide contract (**NYS CONTRACT PC 67834**). The total amount that the Niagara Falls City Council is being asked to authorize is as detailed below. These items would be fully funded by United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds

Item	Cost
Modular Restroom - Gill Creek Park	\$50,000
Park Shelter (Replacement) - Hyde Park	\$31,000
Picnic tables and benches	\$37,000
Signage - Center Court Park	\$3,500
Signage - Garden Avenue Park	\$3,500
Signage - Hyde Park	\$15,000
Park wayfinding, bike racks	\$14,000
Trash receptacles	\$18,000
Total	\$172,000

Will the Council vote to approve this purchase and Mayor to execute any documents necessary to effectuate the same?

Respectfully submitted,

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Paul A. Dyster, Mayor

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Nicholas Melson, City Administrator

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