



RESOLUTION #R-__-__

Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Execute a Conditional Grant Agreement of up to \$3,000,000 with the Salvation Army for the Center of Hope Expansion Project

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Virginia has appropriated \$7,000,000 to the City of Charlottesville for development of a transitional housing and life skills training facility to increase capacity to serve individuals and families experiencing homelessness in the community; and

WHEREAS, the Salvation Army is conducting a capital campaign to expand its Center of Hope facility, and the proposed expansion is intended to increase transitional housing capacity and life skills training services available to City residents, thereby serving a public purpose; and

WHEREAS, Virginia Code § 15.2-953 authorizes the City to appropriate funds to charitable institutions providing services to City residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Charlottesville, Virginia,

1. The City Manager is authorized to negotiate and execute, in a form approved by the City Attorney, a grant agreement committing an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000 to the Salvation Army for eligible capital costs of the Center of Hope expansion project; and
2. that no funds shall be disbursed unless and until (i) the City has received and appropriated the \$7,000,000 grant from the Commonwealth; (ii) the City Manager and City Attorney have confirmed that the proposed use is eligible under the Commonwealth grant and any related grant agreement; and (iii) the Salvation Army has provided evidence satisfactory to the City Manager that sufficient funding is committed to complete the expansion project.

Date Adopted:

Certified:

Clerk of Council