

May 24, 2023

**WHEREAS,** Dallas County Heritage Society, has operated Old City Park on behalf of the City of Dallas and Park & Recreation Department since 1993; and

**WHEREAS,** Dallas County Heritage Society has operated a living history museum that has benefited Dallas residents and area school children for decades; and

**WHEREAS,** Dallas County Heritage Society has in recent years provided space for local artists and grown outdoor recreation programming for community residents; and

**WHEREAS,** the current contract is set to expire on May 26, 2023; and

**WHEREAS,** Dallas Park & Recreation and the Office of Cultural Affairs intends to extend the contract for 12 months and to provide an additional \$300,000.00 in order to supplement park security, maintenance and outdoor recreation programming at Old City Park.

**Now, Therefore,**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the President of the Park and Recreation Board and the City Manager are hereby authorized to execute **(1)** an additional twelve-month extension to a management agreement with Dallas Heritage Society at Old City Park for the period May 26, 2023 through May 26, 2024; and **(2)** allocation of \$300,000.00 in funding to Dallas Heritage Society at Old City Park, in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00.

**SECTION 2.** That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to disburse funds in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00 from General Fund, Fund 0001, Department PKR, Unit 5241, Object 3072, Encumbrance/Contract No. PKR- 2023-00022070.

**SECTION 3.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.