



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, April 22, 2003

Council Session

## Item G24

### **#2003-124 - Approving Application for Nebraska Community Improvement Program**

*The Nebraska Community Improvement Program, through the Nebraska Department of Economic Development, works with communities at the local level to meet challenges while building on their strengths and resources. NCIP recognizes the leadership, community and economic development efforts of Nebraska's communities through community recognition awards, grants and improvement programs. The City of Grand Island, Community Projects Department, plans to submit an application for the Kid Designed, Community Build Playground Project, as well as Youth Leadership Tomorrow. Approval of a Resolution indicating support for the nomination is recommended.*

Staff Contact: Cindy Johnson

## RESOLUTION 2003-124

WHEREAS, local municipal and county government must provide leadership for improving community and economic development efforts; and

WHEREAS, community and economic development needs can best be determined and solved through a cooperative effort between elected officials and the citizens they represent; and

WHEREAS, since 1963, the Nebraska Community Improvement Program has helped communities build on their strong heritage and form a vision for their future through community recognition awards, grants, and improvement programs; and

WHEREAS, the Nebraska Community Improvement Program, administered by the Nebraska Department of Economic Development, has been reviewed and found to be a means to improve our community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island is interested in participating in the Nebraska Community Improvement Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the Mayor and City Council hereby pledge their full support, endorsement and cooperation in carrying out the requirements of the Nebraska Community Improvement Program.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, April 22, 2003.

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk