ORDINANCE NO.
FILE OF CITY COUNCIL
BILL NO. 36 - 2019

JUNE 5, 2019

## AN ORDINANCE

Amending the 2019 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars from an anonymous donor to purchase a Dogwood tree in memory of Grace Packer.

## BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALLENTOWN:

SECTION ONE: That City Council authorizes an increase to the unappropriated balance of the 2019 General Fund in the amount of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars reflecting receipt of monies from an anonymous donor to purchase a Dogwood tree in memory of Grace Packer.

000-6140 Contributions \$1,000.00

SECTION TWO: That City Council authorizes a supplemental appropriation from the unappropriated balance of the Capital Fund as follows:

## Parks and Recreation Department Grounds Maintenance

000-08-0709-0001-68 Operating Materials and Supplies

\$1,000.00

SECTION THREE: That this Ordinance will take effect ten (10) days after final passage.

SECTION FOUR: That all Ordinances inconsistent with the above provisions are repealed to the extent of their inconsistency.

What Department or bureau is Bill originating from? Where did the initiative for the bill originate?

Department of Parks and Recreation

## Summary and Facts of the Bill

Appropriate \$1,000 which was donated for the purchase of a memorial tree and it's planting in memory of Grace Packer.

- Purpose Please include the following in your explanation:
  - What does the Bill do what are the specific goals/tasks the bill seek to accomplish
    - Appropriate a \$1,000 donation check from an anonymous donor.
  - What are the Benefits of doing this/Down-side of doing this
     A large, beautiful Dogwood tree will be planted in memory of Grace Packer in Lehigh Parkway.
  - How does this Bill related to the City's Vision/Mission/Priorities
     Appropriating these funds will allow for a Dogwood tree to be planted so citizens may have a quiet place to reflect in Grace Packer's memory.
- Financial Impact Please include the following in your explanation:
  - Cost (Initial and ongoing) \$1,000
  - Benefits (initial and ongoing)

An exquisite Dogwood tree will be purchased and planted in Lehigh Parkway in the memory of Grace Packer.

- Funding Sources Please include the following in your explanation:
  - If transferring funds, please make sure bill gives specific accounts; if appropriating funds from a grant list the agency awarding the grant.

\$1,000 was received from a gracious anonymous donor. The funds will be appropriated to 000-08-0709-0001-68.

- Priority status/Deadlines, if any
- Why should Council unanimously support this bill?

The funds were graciously donated by an anonymous donor to honor the memory of Grace Packer. A beautiful Dogwood tree will be planted in Lehigh Parkway in memory of Grace and serve some solace in remembrance of her.