

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND APPROVING THE INSTALLATION OF NORTH  
CAROLINA’S FIRST WOMEN’S HOLOCAUST MONUMENT AT LEBAUER PARK**

WHEREAS, LeBauer Park, is a City-owned facility managed and operated by Greensboro Downtown Parks, Inc (GDPI);

WHEREAS, at its August 19, 2020 meeting, the GDPI Board unanimously approved accepting a gift of a bronze sculpture from local artist, Victoria Milstein titled “She Wouldn’t Take Off Her Boots;”

WHEREAS, the original sculpture builds upon the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz and the end of the Holocaust;

WHEREAS, the sculpture serves to honor the strength and resilience of all women and will be North Carolina’s First Women’s Holocaust Monument;

WHEREAS, the GDPI Board cited the LeBauer Family’s gift of the park and strong ties to the Jewish community, the need for more monuments that reflect a commitment to issues surrounding social justice, and the absence of any financial risk as the driving factors behind their endorsement and acceptance of the gift;

WHEREAS, the Greensboro Parks and Recreation Commission unanimously recommended approval of the acceptance and installation of the sculpture at LeBauer Park;

WHEREAS, the sculpture is valued at \$500,000 and funding to support installation and long-term maintenance will stem directly from private donations and an endowment established with the Community Foundation of Greater Greensboro (CFGG); and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:**

That the City Council is hereby authorized to accept and approve the installation of “She Wouldn’t Take Off Her Boots,” North Carolina’s First Women’s Holocaust Monument, at LeBauer Park.