

# MEMORANDUM

September 4, 2012

TO:

Board of Mayor and Aldermen

FROM:

Eric S. Stuckey, City Administrator

SUBJECT:

Resolution 2012-50 - The Dooley Tract Land Acquisition Project

#### Purpose

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide information to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) regarding Resolution 2012-50, A Resolution Declaring The Intent Of The City Of Franklin To Act As A Governmental Pass-Through Entity For The Dooley Tract Land Acquisition Project As Requested By The Civil War Preservation Trust.

## **Background**

On August 24, 2012 a request was received from the Civil War Trust for the City of Franklin to act as a government pass-through entity for the land acquisition project known as the Dooley Tract. This tract is .45 acres located on Columbia Avenue just south of Battle Avenue.

Resolution 2012-50 proposes the City act as the governmental "pass-through" for funds from the National Park Service that will be deposited with the City, and then forwarded to the Civil War Preservation Trust for its purchase of certain Civil War Battlefield land – the Dooley Tract. The American Battlefield Protection Program grant amount is \$67,740.00.

Once approved, a contract between the City and the National Park Service will be brought before the Board for approval of terms and conditions of receiving the funds, and also the terms and conditions for all subcontractors and sub recipients (i.e. the Civil War Preservation Trust). The role of the City would be the same as in past grants; i.e., the City will be notified in writing by NPS that all grant requirements have been met and that funds would be transferred to the City. The City then would commence transfer of funds to the Trust.

## Financial Impact

There is no anticipated financial impact to this agreement. As described in Resolution 2012-50, the City acting as a governmental pass-through for the purchase of this battlefield property is at no cost to the City.

### Recommendation

Approval of the proposed Resolution is recommended.

#### **RESOLUTION 2012-50**

# A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN TO ACT AS A GOVERNMENTAL PASS-THROUGH ENTITY FOR THE DOOLEY TRACT LAND ACQUISITION PROJECT AS REQUESTED BY THE CIVIL WAR PRESERVATION TRUST

WHEREAS, The City of Franklin is home to numerous Civil War battlefields; and

WHEREAS, in particular, the City of Franklin is home to the Dooley Tract, which is located within the core area of the Franklin Battlefield; and

WHEREAS, the City appreciates the necessity of protecting these historic lands; and

WHEREAS, the City has been requested by the Civil War Preservation Trust to act as the governmental pass-through sponsor for the acquisition of property utilizing funds from the National Park Service American Battlefield Protection Program; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Franklin believes it is in the best interest of the City of Franklin to fulfill this request; and now therefore:

# BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF FRANKLIN, **TENNESSEE THAT:**

The City of Franklin will serve as the governmental sponsor for the Dooley Tract in the Franklin Battlefield. The City, through its Mayor and City Administrator, will execute an agreement with the Civil War Preservation Trust to provide for the fulfillment by the Civil War Preservation Trust of all requirements of any Grant Agreement with the National Park Service for the acquisition of this property. The City will be notified in writing by the National Park Service that all grant requirements have been met and that funds will be transferred to the City. The City will then commence transfer of funds to the Civil War Preservation Trust. The City will not be providing any funds toward the battlefield acquisition.

Approved thisday of	, 20
ATTEST:	CITY OF FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE
BY:	BY:
ERIC S. STUCKEY	DR. KEN MOORE
City Recorder/Administrator	Mayor
Approved as to form:	
Kristen L. Corn, Staff Attorney	

# CIVIL WAR TRUST

Saving America's Civil War Battlefields

Henry E. Simpson Chairman James Lighthizer
President

August 24, 2012

The Honorable Ken Moore Mayor City of Franklin 109 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue South Franklin, TN 37064

Dear Dr. Moore,

On behalf of the Civil War Preservation Trust, doing business as the Civil War Trust (the "Trust"), I am writing to formally request that the City of Franklin act as a government pass-through entity for the following land acquisition project utilizing funds from the National Park Service ("NPS") American Battlefield Protection Program. The project is the acquisition of the Dooley Tract, .45 acres located within the core area of the Franklin battlefield, as determined by the Civil War Sites Advisory Commission (the "CWSAC"), with an ABPP grant of \$67,740.

The State of Tennessee Historical Commission will be holding the conservation easement on this Tract. According to Eric Jacobsen, on the back portion of the Dooley Tract (its western side) stretched the right flank of Col. Joseph Conrad's Brigade and the left of Col. John Lane's Brigade, both of which was part of Gen. George Wagner's Division. Conrad's men were posted east of Columbia Pike with the exception of the 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri Infantry, which formed on the immediate west side of the pike. When Lane's Brigade arrived it was posted west of the road and the left flank regiment, the 40<sup>th</sup> Indiana Infantry, formed up on the 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri's right flank.

One of the men likely struck down on the Dooley Tract was Capt. William Hark, 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri, who was mortally wounded and left behind. Another officer recalled Hark yelling out encouragement to the men as the regiment pulled back and saying if they held firm "our country is saved." Preservation of the Dooley Tract represents a truly unique opportunity – not only to save more of the battlefield, but also to interpret what happened along Wagner's advanced line on some of the very ground on which it occurred.

The role of the City would be the same as in past grants; i.e., the City will be notified in writing by NPS that all grant requirements have been met and that funds would be transferred to the City via the SMARTLINK system. The City then would commence transfer of funds to the Trust. Please contact me at 202-367-1861, X7236 if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Kathleen M. Robertson

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Dr. Ken Moore Mayor

Eric S. Stuckey
City Administrator

August 27, 2012

Mr. Paul Hawke, Chief American Battlefield Protection Program 1201 Eye Street, NW (2255) Washington, DC 20005

Dear Mr. Hawke:

The City of Franklin has been requested by the Civil War Preservation Trust, doing business as the Civil War Trust (the "Trust") to act as the governmental sponsor for acquisition of property that may be partnered by the American Battlefield Protection Program. We have agreed that the City will serve as the governmental sponsor on the Dooley tract,  $\pm$ .45 acres, at the Franklin Battlefield.

The role of this agency would be the same as with past grant requests. That is, all required acquisition and financial documentation would be provided by the Trust to the National Park Service ("NPS") for review and approval. The Trust will be notified in writing by the NPS that all grant requirements have been met and that funds would be transferred to the City. This agency would then transfer the funds to the City in accordance with the SMARTLINK system.

I hope this letter will help to serve and expand the vital protection of this historic land. We commend the American Battlefield Protection Program for your valued work in this regard.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ken Moore Mayor of Franklin

cc: Tom Gilmore, Civil War Trust

# Dooley Tract

The opportunity to own this tract of land is a step toward reclaiming a very important, and often unheralded, part of the Franklin battlefield. On the back portion of this property (its western side) stretched the right flank of Col. Joseph Conrad's Brigade and the left of Col. John Lane's Brigade, both of which was part of Gen. George Wagner's Division. Conrad's men were posted east of Columbia Pike with the exception of the 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri Infantry, which formed on the immediate west side of the pike. When Lane's Brigade arrived it was posted west of the road and the left flank regiment, the 40<sup>th</sup> Indiana Infantry, formed up on the 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri's right flank.

When the Confederate assault began at 4 p.m. on November 30, 1864, the two brigades of Wagner's Division were ordered to hold their ground. Wagner did finally issue an order to withdraw, but Lane later reported that by the time he got the order it made no sense to pull back since the enemy was forming into line of battle directly in his front. Over the course of the next 5-10 minutes both brigades were completely crushed. The Confederates of Gen. John Brown's Division overwhelmed the Federal troops posted west of Columbia Pike and some of the first casualties of the battle were inflicted on the Dooley Tract. There is no doubt that those of the 15<sup>th</sup> Missouri and 40<sup>th</sup> Indiana who were not shot down or captured fled for their very lives over this terrain with the Rebels not far behind.

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This property allows us a truly unique opportunity – not only to save more of the battlefield, but also to interpret what happened along Wagner's advanced line on some of the very ground on which it occurred.

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8. APPLICANT INFORMATION:				*	
*a. Legal Name: City of Franklin					
			*c. O	rganizational DUNS: 60768	
d. Address:	12000				
*Street 1: <u>City Hall</u>					
Street 2: 109 Third A	venue South				
*City: Franklin					
County: <u>Williamson</u>	Williamson				
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*Zip / Postal Code 37064					
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f. Name and contact information of person to be contacted on matters involving this application:					
Prefix: Mr.	*First Nan	ne: <u>E</u>	Eric		
Middle Name: S.					
*Last Name: <u>Stuckey</u>					
Suffix:					
Title: City Recorder/Administrator					
Organizational Affiliation:					
*Telephone Number: 615-550-6605 Fax Number: 615-790-0469					
*Email: eric.stuckey@franklintn.gov		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			

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C. City or Township Government	
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*10 Name of Federal Agency:  Department of the Interior - National Park Service - American Battlefield Protection Program	
11. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number:	
15-928	
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LWCF Battlefield Preservation Grant45 acre Dooley Tract Franklin Battlefield	

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18. Estimated F	unding (\$):			
*a. Federal	\$67,740.00			
*b. Applicant	\$67,740.00	<u></u>		
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*20. Is the Appli ☐ Yes	cant Delinquent On Any Fed	deral Debt? (If "Yes", pro	vide explanation.)	
21. *By signing this application, I certify (1) to the statements contained in the list of certifications** and (2) that the statements herein are true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also provide the required assurances** and agree to comply with any resulting terms if I accept an award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties. (U. S. Code, Title 218, Section 1001)  ** I AGREE  ** The list of certifications and assurances, or an internet site where you may obtain this list, is contained in the announcement or				
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Middle Name:				
*Last Name:	Moore			
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*Title: Mayor				
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*Signature of Auth	norized Representative:			*Date Signed:

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SF-424**

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This is a standard form (including the continuation sheet) required for use as a cover sheet for submission of preapplications and applications and related information under discretionary programs. Some of the items are required and some are optional at the discretion of the applicant or the Federal agency (agency). Required items are identified with an asterisk on the form and are specified in the instructions below. In addition to the instructions provided below, applicants must consult agency instructions to determine specific requirements.

Item	Entry:	Item	Entry:
1.	Type of Submission: (Required): Select one type of submission in accordance with agency instructions.  Preapplication Application	10.	Name Of Federal Agency: (Required) Enter the name of the Federal agency from which assistance is being requested with this application.
i	<ul> <li>Changed/Corrected Application – If requested by the agency, check if this submission is to change or correct a previously submitted application. Unless requested by the agency, applicants may not use this to submit changes after the closing date.</li> </ul>	11.	Catalog Of Federal Domestic Assistance Number/Title: Enter the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number and title of the program under which assistance is requested, as found in the program announcement, if applicable.
2.	Type of Application: (Required) Select one type of application in accordance with agency instructions.  New – An application that is being submitted to an agency for the first time.	12.	Funding Opportunity Number/Title: (Required) Enter the Funding Opportunity Number and title of the opportunity under which assistance is requested, as found in the program announcement.
	<ul> <li>Continuation - An extension for an additional funding/budget period for a project with a projected completion date. This can include renewals.</li> <li>Revision - Any change in the Federal Government's financial obligation or contingent liability from an existing obligation. If a</li> </ul>	13.	Competition Identification Number/Title: Enter the Competition Identification Number and title of the competition under which assistance is requested, if applicable.
	revision, enter the appropriate letter(s). More than one may be selected. If "Other" is selected, please specify in text box provided.  A. Increase Award B. Decrease Award C. Increase Duration D. Decrease Duration E. Other (specify)	14.	Areas Affected By Project: List the areas or entities using the categories (e.g., cities, counties, states, etc.) specified in agency instructions. Use the continuation sheet to enter additional areas, if needed.
3.	Date Received: Leave this field blank. This date will be assigned by the Federal agency.	15.	Descriptive Title of Applicant's Project: (Required) Enter a brief descriptive title of the project. If appropriate, attach a map showing project location (e.g., construction or real
4.	Applicant Identifier: Enter the entity identifier assigned by the Federal agency, if any, or applicant's control number, if applicable.		property projects). For preapplications, attach a summary description of the project.
5a	Federal Entity Identifier: Enter the number assigned to your organization by the Federal Agency, if any.	18.	Congressional Districts Of: (Required) 16a. Enter the applicant's Congressional District, and 16b. Enter all District(s)
5b.	Federal Award Identifier: For new applications leave blank. For a continuation or revision to an existing award, enter the previously assigned Federal award identifier number. If a changed/corrected application, enter the Federal Identifier in accordance with agency		affected by the program or project. Enter in the format: 2 characters State Abbreviation – 3 characters District Number, e.g., CA-005 for California 5 <sup>th</sup> district, CA-012 for California 12 <sup>th</sup> district, NC-103 for North Carolina's 103 <sup>rd</sup> district.
6.	instructions.  Date Received by State: Leave this field blank. This date will be assigned by the State, if applicable.		<ul> <li>If all congressional districts in a state are affected, enter "all" for the district number, e.g., MD-all for all congressional districts in Maryland.</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>c. Organizational DUNS: (Required) Enter the organization's DUNS or DUNS+4 number received from Dun and Bradstreet. Information on obtaining a DUNS number may be obtained by visiting the Grants.gov website.</li> <li>d. Address: Enter the complete address as follows: Street address (Line</li> </ul>		included on appropriate lines, as applicable. If the action will result in a dollar change to an existing award, indicate only the amount of the change. For decreases, enclose the amounts in parentheses.
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