RESOLUTION NO. 8311

A RESOLUTION introduced by City Manager Norton N. Bonaparte, Jr., authorizing Zoo Improvement Project No. T-301023.00 which provides for the improvements to the Kansas Carnivore and Hippo exhibits as more specifically described herein.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Topeka, Kansas, that it finds the following described public improvement to be necessary and in the public interest and does hereby authorize Project No. T-301023.00 with a project budget summarized herein and fully set forth on the attachment hereto:

A. GENERAL NATURE OF IMPROVEMENT:

This project consists of improvements to the current Kansas Carnivore and Hippo exhibits to comply with current USDA and AZA governing guidelines. These improvements are to provide design and construction services for secure roofing enclosures for the Kansas Carnivore exterior exhibit, replacement of the river otter pool, and wall structure improvements to the Hippo exterior enclosure.

B. TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET COST:

$213,675.00

C. SOURCE OF FUNDS:

Friends of the Zoo

ADOPTED and APPROVED by the City Council February 8, 2011.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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William W. Bunten, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Brenda Younger, City Clerk