



Memo

To: Breckenridge Town Council Members

From: Aubrey Ciol, Grants Administrator

Date: 10/12/2023 (For October 24th—TC Work Session)

Subject: Colorado Department of Parks and Wildlife—Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant

The Town of Breckenridge Grants Administrator intends to submit an application with the Colorado Department of Parks and Wildlife—Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Program requesting funds to renovate the hardscape area between the North and South ballfields at Kingdom Park.

As part of the application process, the attached resolution will authorize the submittal of the LWCF application to the Colorado Department of Parks and Wildlife requesting a grant in the amount of \$1,250,000. Approval of this resolution will also demonstrate the Town's capability to provide the 50% matching funds, in the amount of \$1,250,000.

Staff will be available at the October 24th work session to answer questions.

1 RESOLUTION NO. ____

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3 Series 2023

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5 **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE GRANTS ADMINISTRATOR TO SUBMIT**
6 **A GRANT REQUEST TO THE COLORADO PARKS AND WILDLIFE**
7 **DEPARTMENT LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND GRANT.**
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10 WHEREAS, the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Land and Water Conservation Fund
11 (LWCF) program provides grants to local governments to promote the acquisition, development,
12 and protection of natural areas and outdoor recreation facilities;

13 WHEREAS, qualifying communities such as the Town of Breckenridge, are eligible to
14 apply for funds to support improvements to existing outdoor recreation sites and facilities;

15 WHEREAS, the Town will use these LWCF grant funds to cover a portion of the costs
16 associated with the renovation of the Kingdom Park Hardscape area, between the North and
17 South ballfields, to meet ADA requirements;

18 WHEREAS, specifically, the LWCF grant funds will be used to update the existing
19 hardscape to meet the needs of the community, including but not limited to concrete
20 replacement, updates to the existing restrooms, and creating ADA-compliant ramps for users.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF
22 BRECKENRIDGE, COLORADO:

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24 **Section 1.** The Town Council of the Town of Breckenridge does hereby approve the
25 submission of an application to the Colorado Department of Parks and Wildlife LWCF Grant
26 program requesting a grant in the amount of \$1,250,000.

27 **Section 2.** On October 24, 2023, Town Council of the Town of Breckenridge, with
28 the adoption of their 2024 budget, encumbered \$1,250,000 meeting the requirement of the grant
29 to provide a “Local Match” for a minimum of 50% of the total project cost.

30 **Section 3.** The Town Council of the Town of Breckenridge does hereby approve that
31 this land will be used for public recreation in perpetuity.

32 **Section 4.** The Town Council of the Town of Breckenridge does hereby approve that
33 the site and any facilities will be maintained for their reasonable life expectancy.

34 **Section 5.** This resolution is effective upon adoption.

35 **Section 6.** Minor changes to or amendments of the approved agreement may be
36 made by the Town Manager if the Town Attorney certifies in writing that the proposed changes

1 or amendments do not substantially affect the consideration to be received or paid by the Town
2 pursuant to the approved agreement, or the essential elements of the approved agreement.

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4 RESOLUTION APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of ____, 2023.

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6 TOWN OF BRECKENRIDGE

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11 Eric S. Mamula, Mayor

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18 Helen Cospolich, CMC,
19 Town Clerk

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