

RESOLUTION 2018-107
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS
SUPPORTING THE GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE PLANNING GRANT
FROM THE STATE BOARD OF GREAT OUTDOORS COLORADO
FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN

WHEREAS, the City created a Parks and Recreation Policy Plan in 2008 (“the Plan”) and is working to update and revise the Plan to align with current policy objectives and priorities that provide efforts to evaluate, update, and create a clear vision of the future of our parks and recreation system (“the Project”);

WHEREAS, the Plan provides policy guidance for three City departments: Parks, Recreation, and Park Planning & Development; and

WHEREAS, the City is applying for a planning grant from the State Board of Great Outdoors Colorado (“GOCO”) to help offset costs of the Project; and

WHEREAS, as part of its grant application process, GOCO requires that the governing body of any entity applying for grant funds passes a resolution to show that it is aware of and supports the application, and recognizes the financial and other obligations the grant creates; and

WHEREAS, the planning grant helps local governments execute a wide range of planning efforts, including department master plans, with a grant amount up to \$75,000; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the funding will be used to help fund community outreach efforts for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the entire cost of the Project is approximately \$200,000; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires a 25% match from the City and at least 10% of the match must be from cash sources; and

WHEREAS, the funding sources for the City’s contribution to the GOCO Grant have been identified and are already appropriated, and the City’s in-kind contributions would be provided by already existing City staff resources.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS as follows:

Section 1. That the City Council hereby makes and adopts the determinations and findings contained in the recitals above.

Section 2. That the City Council strongly supports the application for the GOCO Project and will provide any required matching funds or in-kind contributions for the Project.

Section 3. That if the grant is awarded, the City Council strongly supports the completion of the Project.


Section 4. That the City Council has authorized the expenditure of funds necessary to meet the City's obligations under the terms of any grant awarded.

Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Fort Collins this 6th day of November, A.D. 2018.



Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk

