

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

RESOLUTION NO. 09-22

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE APPLICATION FOR A COMMUNITY IMPACT GRANT FROM THE STATE BOARD OF THE GREAT OUTDOORS COLORADO TRUST FUND FOR PHASE II OF THE MONUMENT TRAIL (THE MISSING LINK) AND THE COMPLETION OF THE REDLANDS LOOP

Recitals:

The Monument Corridor is a hub of the community in many ways, and it is tied together by the Monument Trail, a walk/jog/bike path that is detached from the roadway. The Colorado West Land Trust (CWLT) has once again teamed with the City of Grand Junction and several other partners to continue developing the Monument Corridor.

The project plan involves the final 1.5 mile segment of a 10 mile concrete loop connecting Downtown Grand Junction, the Lunch Loop Trail system (the busiest trailhead in Mesa County), Riggs Hill, numerous Redlands neighborhoods, the Audubon trail, and the Riverfront trail that spans nearly from Fruita to Palisade. Constructing the Redlands Loop (Project) carries out a vision laid out by One Riverfront. This is an approximately \$1,600,000 endeavor to be funded by CWLT, One Riverfront, the City of Grand Junction and hopefully Great Outdoors Colorado (GOCO).

After due consideration, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction supports the Project and desires the City to submit a GOCO grant application to obtain the necessary funding for the Project, and if the grant is awarded, to enter into such further agreements as are necessary and proper to complete the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION THAT:

1. The City Council of the City of Grand Junction strongly supports the application to GOCO to obtain funds needed to complete the Project. The City Manager is authorized and directed to work to finalize and timely submit such GOCO grant application.
2. If the grant is awarded, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction strongly supports the completion of the Project and authorizes the City Manager to sign a grant agreement in a form acceptable to the City, as grantee of the GOCO grant.

This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and adoption.

Passed and adopted this 19th day of January 2022.


C.B. McDaniel
President, Grand Junction City Council

ATTEST:


Wanda Winkelmann
City Clerk

