

**CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO**

**RESOLUTION NO. 21-22**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT REQUEST TO THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS (DOLA) ENERGY AND MINERAL IMPACT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE RIVERFRONT AT DOS RIOS**

**RECITALS.**

Recitals:

Dos Rios, 58 acres of land that has been used historically as a landfill and junkyard, is undergoing a dramatic transformation with conversion to a mixed used development including 16 acres of developed parkland.

The "Project" plan centers around the expansion of public realm amenities partly funded in 2022 including riverfront improvements, a splash park and playground. These amenities complement the recently built and installed horizontal infrastructure including utilities, roadways and curb gutter and sidewalk. The additional of expanded park components beyond the basic park design depends on the receipt of grant funding from the Department of Local Affairs (DOLA).

After due consideration, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction supports the Project and desires the City to submit a DOLA grant application in the amount of \$600,000 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:**

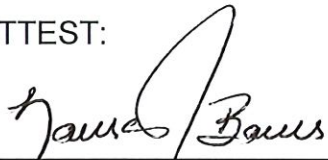
- 1: The City Council of the City of Grand Junction strongly supports the application to DOLA to obtain funds needed to complete the expanded Project. The City Manager is authorized and directed to work to finalize and timely submit such DOLA grant application.
- 2: If the grant is awarded, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction strongly supports the completion of the Project, and authorizes the City Manager to sign an appropriate grant agreement on behalf of the City as grantee of the DOLA grant.

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

Passed and adopted this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February 2022.

  
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Chuck McDaniel  
President of the Council

ATTEST:

  
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Laura Bauer  
Interim City Clerk

