

Resolution 17-05

Supporting the Grant Application for a Local Parks and Outdoor Recreation Grant from the State Board of the Great Outdoors Colorado Trust Fund and the completion of the Green Street Park.

WHEREAS, the Town of Ridgway supports the Great Outdoors Colorado grant application for the Green Street Park. And if the grant is awarded, the Town of Ridgway supports the completion of the project.

WHEREAS, the Town of Ridgway will be requesting up to \$350,000 from Great Outdoors Colorado to design and construct the Green Street Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF RIDGWAY THAT:

- Section 1: The Town Council of the Town of Ridgway strongly supports the application and has appropriated matching funds for a grant with Great Outdoors Colorado.
- Section 2: If the grant is awarded, the Town Council of the Town of Ridgway strongly supports the completion of the project.
- Section 3: The Town Council of the Town of Ridgway authorizes the expenditure of funds necessary to meet the terms and obligations of any Grant awarded, subject to the Colorado Constitutional requirements for annual appropriations.
- Section 4: The project site is owned by the Town of Ridgway will be owned by the Town of Ridgway for the next 25 years.
- Section 5: The Town Council of the Town of Ridgway recognizes that as the recipient of a Great Outdoors Colorado Local Government grant the project site must provide reasonable public access.
- Section 6: The Town Council of the Town of Ridgway intends to contract with a private entity to manage and oversee the Ridgway Community Garden. The Ridgway Community Garden is planned to be constructed in the Green Street Park, which is owned by the Town, and the Town Council will consider annual appropriations for the maintenance and improvement of the permanent infrastructure that is installed in the Green Street Park, and that is associated with this grant request.
- Section 7: If the grant is awarded, the Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Manager to sign the grant agreement with Great Outdoors Colorado.
- Section 8: This resolution to be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON: October 11, 2017

APPROVED BY:

John Clark, Mayor