

City of Missoula, Montana Item to be Referred to City Council Committee

Committee:	Parks and Conservation	
Item:	Agreement for Administration of Westside Park Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant	
Date:	November 2, 2021	
Sponsor(s):	David Selvage	
Prepared by:	David Selvage	
Ward(s) Affected:	 ✓ Ward 1 ✓ Ward 2 ✓ Ward 5 ✓ Ward 3 ✓ Ward 6 	

Action Required:

Approve an Agreement between the City of Missoula and Missoula County Public Schools specifying the City is responsible for administration of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant for Westside Park Improvements.

Recommended Motion(s):

I move the City Council: Approve an Agreement between the City of Missoula and Missoula County Public Schools specifying responsibilities for administration of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant for Westside Park Improvements and authorize the Mayor to sign.

Timeline:

Referral to committee: November 8, 2021 Committee discussion: November 10, 2021

Council action (or sets hearing):

Public Hearing (if required):

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Background and Alternatives Explored:

The National Park Service awarded a \$445,059.84 Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant jointly to the City of Missoula and Missoula County Public Schools (MCPS). This agreement clarifies that the City will be responsible for grant implementation and administration ensuring that our respective partnership project roles are clear. The terms of the agreement have been reviewed and are acceptable to both the Parks Department and City Legal as well as by MCPS leadership. This agreement is desired to clarify the respective partnership responsibilities of the City and Missoula County Public Schools specific to this grant.

Financial Implications:

None. The agreement does not change the grant amount, the match requirements, funding sources, or the anticipated City staff workload for implementation of the Westside Park project.

Links to external websites: