

2G. Consideration of adopting Resolution 2023-76 accepting grant funding from Wright County Health & Human Services in the amount of \$35,580 for three hydration stations for Monticello Community Center and for City of Monticello Parks Master Planning

Prepared by: Parks & Recreation Director	Meeting Date: 9/11/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent Agenda Item <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Agenda Item
Reviewed by: Finance Director	Approved by: City Administrator	

ACTION REQUESTED

Motion to adopt Resolution 2023-76 accepting grant funding from Wright County Health & Human Services in the amount of \$35,580 for three hydration stations at the Monticello Community Center and for City of Monticello Park Master Planning.

REFERENCE AND BACKGROUND

The City Council is asked to accept grant funding from Wright County Health & Human Services in the amount of \$35,580.

- \$5,580 will be used for three hydration stations in the Monticello Community Center. Two stations include a traditional drinking fountain as well as water bottle filler; one station includes the water bottle filler only.
- \$30,000 will be used to help fund the proposed Parks Master Planning process. The Master Plan is intended to build on the information gathered during the Comprehensive Needs Assessment to provide a long-range vision for the future of parks, arts, and recreation in Monticello.

As required by state statute, when the City accepts the grant funds, the City Council is required to adopt a resolution specifying the amount of the grant funds and their use.

- I. **Budget Impact:** \$5,580 in funding will be used to purchase three hydration stations at the Monticello Community Center. No expenditure or revenue amounts were included in the 2023 budget, but the grant will fully offset the cost of the stations. \$30,000 in funding support will be put towards consulting services to develop the Park Master Plan. \$15,000 will be used to offset unbudgeted costs in 2023, and \$15,000 of funding is included in the draft 2024 General Fund budget to offset the cost of the consultant.
- II. **Staff Workload Impact:** Management of grant and contract agreements.

- I. **Comprehensive Plan Impact:** The Monticello 2040 Comprehensive Plan includes commitment to Maintain and enhance a City park and recreation system with a wide range of parks and recreational facilities that provide opportunities for active and passive recreation, healthy lifestyles, access to wildlife and nature, and reflects the community's value for a world-class park system and variety of recreational experiences. The City will strive to provide superior parks and recreational opportunities for all residents and visitors.

STAFF RECOMMENDED ACTION

City staff recommend adopting Resolution 2023-76 accepting the grant funds.

SUPPORTING DATA

- Resolution 2023-76

**CITY OF MONTICELLO
WRIGHT COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-76

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING GRANT FUNDING FROM
WRIGHT COUNTY HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,850**

WHEREAS, The City of Monticello was notified by Wright county Health & Human Services that the City received a grant of \$35,850; and

WHEREAS, \$5,580 of the grant will be used for three hydration stations for the Monticello Community Center; and

WHEREAS, \$30,000 of the grant will be used for the City of Monticello Parks Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, there is no local match for the grant.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONTICELLO: That the City Council authorizes accepting grant funding of \$5,850 from Wright County Health & Human Services.

Adopted by the Monticello City Council this 11th day of September, 2023.

Lloyd Hilgart, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jennifer Schreiber, City Clerk