

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION FOR A
NON-MOTORIZED STATE TRAILS GRANT FROM THE COLORADO PARKS AND
WILDLIFE STATE TRAILS PROGRAM FOR THE COMPLETION OF VARIOUS
IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS ALONG THE COLORADO FRONT RANGE TRAIL IN
CASTLE ROCK**

WHEREAS, the Town of Castle Rock (the “Town”) maintains the Colorado Front Range Trail (the “Trail”) in the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town has begun the Colorado Front Range Trail Improvement Project (the “Project”) on two different sections of the Trail in the Town to address access, connectivity, and ADA accessibility; and

WHEREAS, in order to complete the Project, funding by Colorado Parks and Wildlife State Trails Program is necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to make application for a Non-Motorized State Trails Grant (the “Grant”) from Colorado Parks and Wildlife State Trails Program in the amount of \$250,000 to complete the Project.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The Town Council has appropriated matching funds for a Colorado Parks and Wildlife State Trails Program grant for the Project.

Section 2. If the Grant is awarded, the Town Council strongly supports the completion of the Project.

Section 3. The Town Council intends to authorize the expenditure of funds necessary to meet the terms and obligations of any Grant awarded.

Section 4. The Project sites are either owned by the Town or have an access easement granted to the Town that will be in place for the next 25 years.

Section 5. The Town recognizes that, as the recipient of a Grant, the Town must provide reasonable public access to the Project site.

Section 6. The Town will continue to maintain the Project in a high-quality condition and intends to provide for the appropriation of sufficient funds for maintenance in its annual budget.

Section 7. If the Grant is awarded, the Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Parks and Recreation Director to sign the Grant agreement with Colorado Parks and Wildlife.

Section 8. The Town Council hereby expresses its formal support for the Town's application for a Non-Motorized State Trails Grant from the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Trails Program and the completion of the Colorado Front Range Trail Improvement Project in Castle Rock.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of ____ 2020, by the Town Council of the Town of Castle Rock, Colorado, on first and final reading by a vote of ____ for and ____ against.

ATTEST:

Lisa Anderson, Town Clerk

Approved as to form:

Michael J. Hyman, Town Attorney

TOWN OF CASTLE ROCK

Jason Gray, Mayor

Approved as to content:

Jeff Brauer, Director of Parks & Recreation