

RECREATION, LIBRARIES AND AUTHORITIES COMMITTEE

13-0578R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING DISBURSEMENT OF GRANT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$56,000 FROM PARKS FUND NEIGHBORHOOD GRANTS PROGRAM.

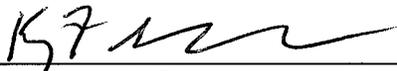
CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that the city council hereby authorizes the disbursement of grant funds from the Parks Fund Neighborhood Grants Program to the following organizations in the following amounts, and further authorizes the proper city officials to execute a grant agreement, substantially the same as that on file in the office of the city clerk as Public Document No. _____, with each organization receiving funds, amounts to be payable from Fund 205-130-1219-5439 (Parks, Community Resources, Parks Operating, Special Projects & Events):

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Rec Amt</u>
Chester Bowl Improvement Club (CBIC)	Chester Bowl Youth Programming Improvements	\$4,500
COGGS	Duluth Multi-Use Trail Improvements and Construction	\$5,000
Courage Kenny Northland	Courage Kenny Northland "Mobility Mat" Project	\$3,000
Duluth Area Horse Trail Alliance	Master Equestrian Trail Plan for Western Duluth	\$5,000
Duluth YMCA	Tot-Time Upgrades	\$5,000
Hartley Nature Center	Year-round Environmental Education Classroom	\$5,000
Healthy Duluth Area Coalition	Cycle Aid Station Project	\$5,000
Lincoln Park Business Group	Cross City Trail	\$5,000
Park Point Community Club	Lafayette Summer Youth Program	\$3,500

Valley Youth Center	Memorial Park Ice Rink	\$5,000
Woodland Hills - Neighborhood Youth	Winter Warmth	\$5,000
Youth of Duluth	Youth of Duluth Study Ball Program	\$5,000
	TOTAL	\$56,000

Approved:



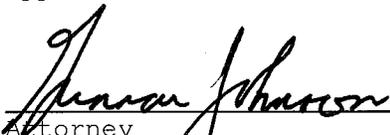
 Department Director

Approved for presentation to council:



 Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:



 Attorney

Approved:



 Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution authorizes the disbursement of grant funds from the Parks Fund Neighborhood Grants Program. Program fund monies are intended to provide funding for neighborhood-based parks enhancements and recreation services on Duluth's parks, recreation, and trails system for parks and recreation equipment, supplies, improvements, and programs. Organizations seeking funds must complete an application process facilitated by the Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation. A committee of foundation board members, parks and recreation commissioners, a city councilor, and city staff reviewed the applications and selected proposals to recommend to the parks and recreation commission. The commission reviewed and voted to recommend the organizations and disbursements authorized by this resolution at their meeting on November 13, 2013.