



**STAFF REPORT**  
**City of Dripping Springs**  
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**Submitted By:** Shawn Cox, Finance Director/City Treasurer

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**Council Meeting Date:** Tuesday, March 15, 2022

**Agenda Item Wording:** **Approval of a Donation Agreement between the City of Dripping Springs and Weston Kirk related to a Native Propagation Nursery to be installed at Charro Ranch Park. Sponsor: Council Member Sherrie Parks.**

**Agenda Item Requestor:**

**Summary/Background:**

Westen Kirk applied for and was approved for proup to \$1,000.00 from Dripping Springs Education Foundation to be used for the creation and installation of a propagation station in Charro Ranch Park.

The objective of this project is to create a high-fenced area to propagate seeds of plants gathered from local ecotypes in order to bolster native populations and increase species diversity within Charro Ranch Park.

Mr. Kirk presented his request to the Parks and Recreation Commission on March 7, 2022. The Commission recommended approval of his request.

**Commission Recommendations:** The Parks and Recreation Commission Recommended approval.

**Recommended Council Actions:** City Staff Recommends approval of this item.

**Attachments:**

- Kirk Donation Agreement
- Propagation Area Specifics

**Next Steps/Schedule:**