



Folsom City Council Staff Report

MEETING DATE:	4/9/2024
AGENDA SECTION:	Consent Calendar
SUBJECT:	Resolution No. 11183 – A Resolution Approving Application for Specific Grant Funds from the Budget Act of 2023, in the Amount of \$425,000 to the City of Folsom Parks & Recreation Department, for the Johnny Cash Trail Art Experience – Cash’s Pick No. 2 and Appropriation of Funds.
FROM:	Parks and Recreation Department

RECOMMENDATION / CITY COUNCIL ACTION

Staff recommends the City Council approve Resolution No. 11183 – A Resolution Approving Application for Specific Grant Funds from the Budget Act of 2023, in the Amount of \$425,000 to the City of Folsom Parks & Recreation Department, for the Johnny Cash Trail Art Experience – Cash’s Pick No. 2 and Appropriation of funds.

BACKGROUND / ISSUE

The City of Folsom Parks & Recreation Department submitted a “Member Request” to Assemblymember Joshua Hoover, District 7 on March 2, 2023, requesting \$425,000 of State Budget funding for the landscape architecture, engineering, and fabrication of art for Cash’s Pick No. 2 on the Johnny Cash Trail. The City of Folsom is in District 7 and is represented by Assemblymember Hoover, and thus he will accept requests from members for projects in the District for his consideration to submit funding requests. In July 2023, Assemblymember Joshua Hoover, notified the Folsom Parks & Recreation Department that upon approval of the State of California budget that the requested amount had been added to the budget. Following budget approval, we were to wait to be notified by the State Department of Parks and Recreation for further steps and the process to proceed.

ANALYSIS

The Johnny Cash Trail is a 2.75-mile Class 1 trail with 12,000 users who walk, run, and bike this trail monthly. Currently, the Folsom Parks and Recreation Department is working with a contractor to begin construction of Cash’s Pick No. 1, a 7-foot-tall bronze guitar pick, and this funding will be critical in starting the landscape architecture, engineering, and art fabrication

for Cash's Pick No. 2, an identical pick to complete both the beginning and end of the Johnny Cash Trail.

The \$425,000 from the State Department of Parks and Recreation would allow staff to contract with RRM Design Group for the landscape architecture and engineering for Cash's Pick No. 2, and contract with Romo Studios, LLC and Adan Romo for the art fabrication of Cash's Pick No. 2.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The total grant funding requested was \$425,000, and there is no required local match for this grant application. This funding is exclusively allocated to the first and second phases of Cash's Pick No. 2, which includes landscape architecture, engineering, and art fabrication, with an estimated completion timeline of 10-12 months.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Cash's Pick No.2 was included in the Johnny Cash Trail Art Experience Master Plan Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The MND was approved by the City Council on September 6, 2018, by Resolution No. 10182 .

ATTACHMENT

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Submitted,

Kelly Gonzalez,
Parks and Recreation Department Director

RESOLUTION NO. 11183

A RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION FOR SPECIFIC GRANT FUNDS FROM THE BUDGET ACT OF 2023, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$425,000 TO THE CITY OF FOLSOM PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT, FOR THE JOHNNY CASH TRAIL ART EXPERIENCE – CASH’S PICK NO. 2 AND APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS.

WHEREAS, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility by the Legislature of the State of California for the administration of a grant to the City of Folsom, setting up necessary procedures governing application(s); and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the State Department of Parks and Recreation require the applicant’s Governing Body to certify by resolution the approval of project application(s) before submission of said applications to the State; and

WHEREAS, the applicant will enter into a contract with the State of California to complete the project(s); and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Folsom:

1. Approves the filing of project application(s) for specified grant project(s); and
2. Certifies that said applicant has or will have available, prior to commencement of project work utilizing specified grant funds, sufficient funds, including those provided by this grant, to complete the project; and
3. Certifies that the applicant has reviewed, understands, and agrees to the General Provisions contained in the contract shown in this Procedural Guide; and
4. Delegates the authority to the City of Folsom Parks & Recreation Department Director or designee to conduct all negotiations, sign and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, which may be necessary for the completion of the project scope(s); and
5. Agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and guidelines.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of April 2024 by the following roll-call vote:

AYES: Councilmember(s):

NOES: Councilmember(s):

ABSTAIN: Councilmember(s):

ABSENT: Councilmember(s):

Michael D. Kozlowski, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Christa Freemantle, CITY CLERK

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