Greeley City Council

Status Report of Council Initiatives

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Council Member Zasada offered an initiative relating to the level of the use of outside consultants by the City. She requested and received consensus to proceed with seeking an internal audit for the previous two years relating to the use of outside consultants on City projects and operations, including the total costs involved.	January 19, 2021 Council Meeting	In response to Council Member Zasada's request for an audit of the usage of consultants within the City, the Purchasing Division of the Finance Department will compile an inventory of contracts of a value of \$50,000 or greater with consultants of a professional services nature between the period of 2018-2020 including cost, host department, and purpose associated with contracting services for distribution to the City Council by the end of February.	
Council Member Hall expressed a need to acknowledge and correct these issues from a safety standpoint. As the board president of the Poudre River Corridor Board, the council member requested coordination between that board, City Council, and City staff to address the issue, and asked for consensus to have the board Sustainability Chairman Mike Ketterling work with City staff on this.	February 2, 2021 Council Meeting		Andy McRoberts

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Discussion among the Council noted that the HOA for the housing development should also be included in those discussions, and that the length of the trail going through Greeley should also be looked at for other issues.			
Also related to the Poudre River Trail, Council Member Hall noted the section of the trail known as the Narrows is facing increasing risks of erosion, with some portions in danger of falling into the river, and no available alternative areas for trail placement in that vicinity. The School of Mines will do a project to work on some engineering solutions for the area, in addition to other engineering studies that have already been done. Council Member Hall requested the formation of a committee, which he would chair, to review and determine options to move forward in addressing this with the assistance of City staff. City Manager Otto added information about potential Capital Improvement Projects through this area, and Council Member Hall provided information about existing potential rough cost estimates in response to questions from the Council.	February 2, 2021		Andy McRoberts