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## HUERFANO COUNTY GOVERNMENT GRANT APPROVAL MEMORANDUM

**Date:** June 13, 2023  
**To:** Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners  
**From:** Carl Young, County Administrator  
**Re:** Gates Family Foundation Capital Improvement Grant  
**Attachments:** Grant Application

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**Summary:** This is a request for approval to apply for a Gates Family Foundation Grant in the amount of \$16,667 for equipment at the 611 Main Street Gym. If successful, the awarded funds will be passed through to Two Peaks Fitness who will purchase the equipment using these funds to match a Grant from USDA Rural Development. Gates Family Foundation requested the County submit this application after rejecting a similar application from Two Peaks Fitness because it did not encompass the full scope of the capital improvements.

### **Requested Motion/Action:**

- Motion to approve the application to the Gates Family Foundation for a grant in the amount of \$16,667 for equipment at the 611 Main Street Gym.

**Background:** This grant application will help acquire some new equipment for the gym at 611 Main Street. Equipment provided from the Huerfano Parks and Recreation District is an important part of this effort that helps reduce startup expenses. However, many of the pieces are in need of repair. TPF has identified the equipment that most needs repair, replacement, or upgrades, and has applied to USDA-Rural Development for a Communities Facility Grant of \$50,000 towards purchasing this equipment. The grant requires a 25% match.

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Signature of the Chair

Approved

Denied