



# Town of Johnstown

## TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA COMMUNICATIONS

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**AGENDA DATE:** November 6, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Resolution 2023-47 - A Resolution authorizing the Town of Johnstown to enter into a grant award agreement with the Colorado Division of Homeland Security & Emergency Management concerning funding for updates to the Town of Johnstown Stormwater Master Plan.

**ACTION PROPOSED:** Consider Approval of Resolution 2023-47

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Resolution 2023-47
2. Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Award

**PRESENTED BY:** Jason Elkins, PE, Public Works Director

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### AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

The current Johnstown Stormwater Master Plan, which was adopted in 2001, has become outdated due to the significant growth in Johnstown's population and area, having more than quadrupled in size since then. Recognizing this need, the former Public Works Director, Troy White, successfully secured a Hazard Mitigation Grant from the Colorado Department of Public Safety, amounting to \$458,060.00, with a local match requirement of \$50,340.00, resulting in a total project budget of \$508,400.00.

The primary objective of this grant is to modernize the existing Stormwater Master Plan by identifying flow patterns, assessing current and projected stormwater runoff, pinpointing areas of concern, locating local and "regional" drainage facilities, and evaluating the condition of storm drain systems, catch basins, open channels, and other storm drain facilities that contribute to the discharge of stormwater into the Big Thompson and Little Thompson Rivers. The updated Master Plan will not only guide us in making informed decisions regarding future land development and capital improvement projects, but also serve as an essential tool for effectively communicating risk to the Town Council and residents alike.

### LEGAL ADVICE:

The Town Attorney reviewed Resolution 2023-47.

### FINANCIAL ADVICE:

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The Town has budgeted \$50,340.00 of the required local match funds in the proposed 2024 fiscal year budget in the Storm Drainage Fund.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Approve Resolution 2023-47 as presented.

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**SUGGESTED MOTIONS:**

**For Approval**

I move to Approve Resolution 2023-47 – A Resolution authorizing the Town of Johnstown to enter into a grant award agreement with the Colorado Division of Homeland Security & Emergency Management concerning funding for updates to the Town of Johnstown Stormwater Master Plan.

**For Denial**

I move to deny Approve Resolution 2023-47 – A Resolution authorizing the Town of Johnstown to enter into a grant award agreement with the Colorado Division of Homeland Security & Emergency Management concerning funding for updates to the Town of Johnstown Stormwater Master Plan.

*Reviewed and Approved for Presentation,*



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Town Manager