

PARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SPECIAL MEETING

AGENDA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2023

11:00 AM CALL TO ORDER

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AGENDA APPROVAL

CONSENT ITEMS:

.I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

.II. APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS

.III. APPROVAL OF THE LETTER OF SUPPORT

Documents:

[PC support letter. CSFS,grant,SLB.pdf](#)

PRESENTATION OF THE DRAFT BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024

CONSIDERATION AND/OR DECISION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

PUBLIC HEARING(S)

PUBLIC COMMENTS

EXECUTIVE SESSION IN REGARD TO LEGAL & PERSONNEL MATTERS (CLOSED SESSION)

- .I. PURSUANT TO C.R.S. SECTION 24-6-402(4)(B) FOR A CONFERENCE WITH THE COUNTY ATTORNEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING LEGAL ADVICE ON SPECIFIC LEGAL QUESTIONS RELATED TO PENDING ARBITRATION, LITIGATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS TO THE STATE BOARD OF ASSESSMENT AND APPEALS

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October 10, 2023

Forest Restoration and Wildfire Risk Mitigation (FRWRM) Grant – Advisory Committee
Colorado State Forest Service, Forest Planning & Implementation Division
5060 Campus Deliver
Fort Collins, CO 80523-5060

RE: Castle View Forest Restoration
Forest Restoration and Wildfire Risk Mitigation (FRWRM) grant program

Dear FRWRM Grant Advisory Committee,

Please accept this letter of support from Park County of the Colorado State Land Board's application, **Castle View Forest Restoration**, for the 2023-2024 FRWRM Grant Program. The implementation of this project promotes forest resilience, watershed & community protection, wildlife management and recreation resources in a high priority area as determined in the 2020 Forest Action Plan.

Disturbances such as wildfire and insect & disease have had negative social and economic impacts to the Upper South Platte Watershed in the past – and are likely to do the same in the future. The 2020 wildfire season is an indicator of the potential for severity of and damage to the people and resources of Colorado. This community of 5 landowners and the Jefferson County Public school system is engaged in proactively managing the risks, threats and impacts of disturbance from and to the natural environment.

The funds from this grant will reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfire in a critical watershed and protect human life, property, natural resources. This project will build off previous state and federal treatments, and contribute to the goal of creating an effective fuel break across the landscape aimed at protecting communities, forests, and essential water resources. It will also be a great opportunity for cross-boundary collaboration with involvement from the Upper South Platte Partnership, Rocky Mountain Restoration Initiative, and the United States Forest Service on the Pike National Forest and serve as a catalyst for future mitigation projects in the area.

The Park County Board of County Commissioners supports this application and highly encourages your consideration for funding. Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

Amy Mitchell
Chair
Park County Board of County Commissioners
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