

Office of the Administrative Services Director

To: Mayor Welch, Common Council Members
From: Inga Cushman, Administrative Services Director
Date: April 21, 2020
Subject: Discussion and possible action on Resolution 2020-08 Authorizing the Submittal of a Grant Application to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to Assist in Funding Story Gardens at the Milton Public Library

Summary

At the March 9, 2020 Parks & Recreation Commission meeting, the commission authorized staff to apply for grants available through the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for the Story Gardens project at the Milton Public Library. The grants available are matching grants up to 50%. The application will outline costs for a walking path around the open space, surfacing around the raised garden beds and in the outdoor learning space, and the outdoor learning space structure. The grant would cover up to 50% of these costs. The remaining funds would be required through fundraising, grants, or other resources.

Resolution 2020-08 is one of the requirements for the grant application to move forward. The grant application is due on May 1, 2020. The Parks & Recreation Commission will make a recommendation to Council for the resolution at their meeting on April 20, 2020.

Recommendation

To approve Resolution 2020-08 Authorizing the Submittal of a Grant Application to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to Assist in Funding Story Gardens at the Milton Public Library

Attachments

- Resolution 2020-08