

CHARLES MARTIN DIRECTOR WATER QUALITY

TO:

Mayor Linda Gorton

Urban County Council

FROM:

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Division of Water Quality

DATE:

March 4, 2021

SUBJECT:

Recommendation for a FY21 (Class A Neighborhood) Stormwater Quality Projects

Incentive Grant for Neighbors United for South Elkhorn Creek, Inc.

Request

The purpose of this memorandum is to request approval of a FY21 (Class A Neighborhood) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant for Neighbors United for South Elkhorn Creek, Inc., in the amount of \$1,890.00.

Purpose of Request

The purpose of the project is to improve water quality by collecting and removing debris and other floatables in and around the Brannon's Run tributary of South Elkhorn Creek in Dogwood Park. Project objectives are to encourage neighborhood participation, alongside other community groups and volunteers; to recognize and remove trash and materials harmful to the water quality of Brannon's Run and the greater South Elkhorn Watershed; and to educate the area neighborhoods, and others, about the South Elkhorn Watershed and the need to protect it. The project elements include a streamside cleanup event, repair of an existing educational sign, and installation of new educational signage.

Project Cost in FY21 and in Future Budget Years

The grant has been approved for FY 2021 funding by the Water Quality Fees Board in the amount of \$1,890.00.

Are Funds Budgeted

Funds are budgeted in: 4052 - 303204 - 3373 - 78112 - WQINCENTIVE_21 - WQ_GRANT

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