

**SMALL GRANTS FOR COMMUNITY PARTNERING**

**2016 Grants**

**Committee Recommendations**

Applicant	Project Title	Project Location	Project Description	Main focus	Items Requested to be Funded	Total Project Cost	SGP Dollar Request	Subcommittee's Recommendation
<b>Audubon Rockies *</b>	Habitat Hero	Fort Collins	Install a Habitat Hero demonstration garden at Creekside Park that offers both environmental benefits and is aesthetically pleasing.	Enhancement	Fabrication of Interpretive Signage & Native Plants	\$4,470.80	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Bird Conservancy of the Rockies *</b>	Colorado Bluebird Project	DBBOS	Provide artificial nest sites in suitable habitat to increase Mountain Bluebird and Western Bluebird populations.	Enhancement/Education	Research, t-posts, PVC tubing & supplies & manuals	\$7,728.88	\$1,586.80	\$1,586.80
<b>Bruns HOA</b>	Bruns Open Space Project	East Loveland	Enhance and improve habitat for aesthetically attractive and wildlife friendly area.	Native Vegetation Planting	Weed removal herbicide, native shrubs, wildflower seeds & juniper seedlings	\$959.75	\$399.00	\$399.00
<b>CO Foundation for Agriculture</b>	Understanding Water for classrooms	Poudre School District	Promote agriculture literacy in Colorado	Education	Understanding Water activity books	\$3,506.08	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Colorado Youth Outdoors</b>	CYO Swift Ponds Interpretive signs	Eastern Larimer county	Create, purchase and install directional and educational signs	Education	Signs	\$4,072.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Dean Acres HOA</b>	Lee Lake Health	NW Fort Collins	Improve lake health by pulling, cutting & treating pond weeds	Enhancement	Removal of pond weeds	\$3,544.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
<b>Estes Valley Community garden</b>	Irrigation component of EVCG	Estes Park	Promote gardening enjoyment and provide greater understanding of high altitude gardening	Agriculture/Education	Purchase & installation of drip watering system for raised beds	\$18,779.00	\$1,372.00	\$1,372.00
<b>Grayhawk Knolls HOA</b>	Grayhawk Knolls Trail	North of Fort Collins	Develop a walking trail that will create a loop for exercise and appreciation of surrounding open space	Connection/Education	Recycled asphalt and fill dirt	\$4,261.36	\$1,890.00	\$1,890.00
<b>Kate Wilkins</b>	Bison Research	Soapstone & Red Mtn Open Space	Evaluate the effects of bison reintroduction to RMOS & SPNA on bird and mammal habitat use, species interactions and vegetation composition and structure.	Research	Research hours to monitor bison	\$22,607.89	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>The Growing Project</b>	The Growing Project Educational Garden/Teens for Food Justice	Fort Collins	Expansion of The Growing Project Educational Garden/Teens for Food Justice	Education/Agriculture	lumber for shade structure, journals for teens, gardening & activity supplies	\$23,742.40	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Soaring Eagle Ecology Center</b>	Little Observatory at Soaring Eagle Ecology Center	Red Feather Lakes	Little Observatory at Soaring Eagle Ecology Center to house telescopes	Education	10'x12' wood shed	\$8,902.20	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Springs at Mariana HOA</b>	Enhancing Common Area	South Loveland	Enhance and improve common areas for attractiveness, interest, sustainability and proper habitat for native birds	Enhancement	Bird houses, rocks & native shrubs	\$3,004.35	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>						\$105,578.71	\$20,747.80	<b>\$20,747.80</b>

\* Pending staff approval on project location