

**TOWN OF SILT
RESOLUTION NO. 19
SERIES OF 2021**

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE GRANT APPLICATION FOR A GARFIELD COUNTY FEDERAL MINERAL LEASE DISTRICT GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000.00, FOR A TOTAL PROJECT COST OF \$65,000.00, IN ORDER TO OFFSET THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PURCHASE OF A NEW WORK/PLOW TRUCK FOR THE TOWN OF SILT, GARFIELD COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

WHEREAS, the Town of Silt ("Town") is a municipal corporation, i.e. political subdivision, of the State of Colorado, and therefore is an eligible applicant for a grant awarded by the Garfield County Federal Mineral Lease District ("GCFMLD"); and

WHEREAS, the Town has submitted a Grant Application for the Town of Silt Plow/Work truck, requesting a total award of \$25,000 from GCFMLD, with an overall budget of up to \$65,000.00 for such project; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to increase the efficiency and cost-effectiveness of plowing streets, and for the Town uses for maintenance within the Utilities Department, the Public Works Department, and the Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, the Town currently runs an older truck that is close to the end of useful life, and is unable to haul its own supplies, which is costing the Town more, creating operational conflicts, and limiting the effectiveness of the Town's departments; and

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that such grant would help relieve the Utilities Department, the Public Works Department, and the Recreation Department of the cost of such contract services so that the Town can budget for other vital services; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of Trustees ("Board") supports staff in its grant application for the Federal Mineral Leasing District Mini Grant and if funded, ensures that such project will be complete as per the grant guidelines: and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF SILT COLORADO, that:

Section 1

- 1) The above recitals are hereby incorporated as findings by the Town of Silt;

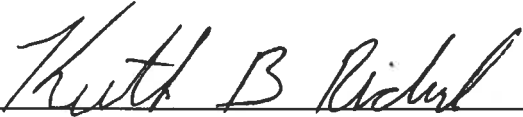
- 2) The Board strongly supports the Federal Mineral Leasing District Mini Grant application in the amount of \$25,000 for the Town of Silt Plow/Work Truck Project with a total project cost of \$65,000.00;
- 3) If the grant is awarded, the Board strongly supports the purchase of a new Plow/Work truck that can serve the Town's needs for many years to come, and will augment the difference between the cost and the grant, as needed;
- 4) The Board authorizes the expenditure of in-kind labor necessary to meet the terms and obligations of any grant awarded pursuant to a Grant Agreement with the GCFMLD for the Town of Silt Plow/Work Truck Project;
- 5) The streets, alleys, parks and open space, rights-of-way, water/wastewater plants, Town Hall, Town Center, Community Center, Town shop, and other Town properties for which the Plow/Work truck will be used, are wholly owned and/or under the control of the Town of Silt;
- 6) The Town will continue to maintain any purchased Plow/Work truck in perpetuity;
- 7) If a grant is awarded, the Board hereby authorizes Town Administrator Jeff Layman to sign a Grant Agreement with the GCFMLD.

Section 2

This resolution will be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED THIS 9th day of August 2021.

TOWN OF SILT



Mayor Keith Richel

ATTEST:



Town Clerk Sheila M. McIntyre, CMC

