Contract No. 009-106
“Community Gathering Place Phase I: Playground Equipment & Amenities; Phase II: Basketball Court Refurbishment”
Submitted by City of Flaxton
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PARTICIPANTS

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<td>North Dakota Industrial Commission</td>
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<td>Total Project Cost</td>
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Project Schedule – 5 months
Contract Date – 8/19/2017
Start Date – 8/19/2017
Completion Date – June 30, 2018

OBJECTIVE/STATEMENT OF WORK:
Purchase of playground equipment, installation of basketball court and backboards. The Contractor had requested $28,650. The Board/Commission awarded funding in the amount of $6,673. Some of the items that were requested for funding were not affixed to the ground and could not be funded through this program. The Outdoor Heritage Fund dollars are to be used only for playground equipment.

STATUS:
A contract has been partially executed and forwarded to the City of Flaxton for their consideration.

The contract has been fully executed.

September 2018
The Final Report was received. The report states in part:

Prior to this project’s completion the community of Flaxton was severely lacking in playground equipment options. Residents had to travel either 13 miles to Bowbells or 7 miles to Lignite to be able to safely utilize similar facilities. Providing playground equipment and eventually a basketball court in our own community will allow residents the opportunity to take ownership and pride in their hometown including their own well-being.

This project addressed the lack of outdoor physical activity opportunities in not only the community of Flaxton but also Burke County. The project is focused on the elements of promoting both mental & physical health. The purpose of the project is to encourage residents and visitors to reconsider the
amount of time spent in a sedentary environment and promote physical activity for residents and visitors of all ages.

The City of Flaxton partnered with Burke Divide Electric Cooperative to remove the existing swing set structure. They generously donated their employee’s time and labor as well as equipment to assist with the removal. The city also collaborated with Strengthen ND to assist with the grant writing application process. The equipment was purchased and installed from SafetyFirst Playground Surfacing, LLC based out of Grand Forks, ND.

Phase I of the project has officially been completed as of May 10, 2018. The next phase(s) includes funding for a basketball court, picnic shelter area and restroom facilities. A new round of grant funding will be applied for and various donors will be approached for financial assistance.

The funding provided thru the ND Outdoor Heritage Fund was instrumental in this project’s success. Your generosity is greatly appreciated, and our council looks forward to the possibility of working with your board again in the future!

This contract is now closed.

Dated 10/22/2018