

RESOLUTION 2016-31

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT AN APPLICATION TO THE MESA COUNTY FEDERAL MINERAL LEASE DISTRICT REQUESTING GRANT FUNDS FOR THE NORTH ASPEN ALLEY IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, the City of Fruita is a political subdivision of the State of Colorado, and therefore an eligible applicant for a grant awarded by the Mesa County Federal Mineral Lease District, and

WHEREAS, the City of Fruita has prioritized completion of paving and drainage improvements to the alley north of Aspen Avenue between Mulberry Street and Peach Street which meets a variety of the City's goals for the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fruita intends to submit a Traditional Grant application to the Mesa County Federal Mineral Lease District requesting an amount, when combined with matching funds, is sufficient to cover the costs of constructing the alley improvements for drainage and paving in accordance with the City Council's goals; and

WHEREAS, the Fruita City Council fully supports the completion of the project if a grant were to be awarded by the Mesa County Federal Mineral Lease District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, THAT THE CITY COUNCIL HEREBY STRONGLY ENDORSES THIS GRANT APPLICATION AND FURTHER RESOLVES THAT:

1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated as findings by the Fruita City Council.
2. The Fruita city Council strongly supports the grant application submitted by the City of Fruita.
3. If a grant is awarded, the Fruita City Council strongly supports the completion of the project.
4. The City Council of the City of Fruita authorizes the expenditure of funds necessary to meet the terms and obligations of any grant awarded pursuant to a grant agreement with the Mesa county Federal Mineral Lease District.
5. The project site is within public right-of-way owned by the City of Fruita and will be owned by the City of Fruita for the next 25 years.
6. If a grant is awarded, the Fruita City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to sign a grant agreement with the Mesa County Federal Mineral Lease District.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE FRUITA CITY COUNCIL
THIS 16th DAY OF AUGUST, 2016.**

CITY OF FRUITA, COLORADO

Lori Buck, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margaret Sell, City Clerk