

**STEAMBOAT SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-2  
RESOLUTION NUMBER 2026-03-01**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE STEAMBOAT SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-2 SUPPORTING NORTH ROUTT COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL'S GRANT APPLICATION FOR A COMMUNITY SCHOOLYARD GRANT FROM THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS FOR THE NORTH ROUTT COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL'S COMMUNITY SCHOOLYARD PROJECT

**WHEREAS**, the Steamboat Springs School District (SSSD) supports the Colorado Department of Local Affairs grant application for the Community Schoolyard Grant, and if the grant is awarded, SSSD supports the completion of the project; and

**WHEREAS**, the SSSD has partnered with the North Routt Community Charter School to request funds for the Community Schoolyards Program from the Colorado Department of Local Affairs to build a "park-like environment" at the North Routt Community Charter School (NRCCS) that aligns with the program's objectives to ensure the space is accessible to the broader community outside of school hours and improves opportunities for physical and mental well-being; and

**WHEREAS**, the Applicant has established the mandatory partnership with Routt County and has documented a partnership with the Community-Based Organization, Learning Landscapes Design, which possesses expertise in outdoor learning spaces; and

**WHEREAS**, the total estimated cost of the Project is \$876,140, and SSSD is applying for \$776,140 in grant funding, with the remaining \$100,000 to be committed from NRCCS's cash reserves.

**WHEREAS**, the proposed NRCCS Community Schoolyard Project will achieve project goals by June 30, 2029; and

**WHEREAS**, the NRCCS Community Schoolyard will be located at NRCCS; and

**WHEREAS**, the SSSD supports the design and construction of the NRCCS Community Schoolyard;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that:

1. The Board of Education of the Steamboat Springs School District RE-2 hereby formally supports the submission of the grant application for the Community Schoolyards Grant Program to the Colorado Department of Local Affairs in the amount of \$776,140.
2. If the grant is awarded, the SSSD Board strongly supports the completion of the project.
3. The SSSD Board will seek to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with Routt County to meet the terms and obligations of any Grant awarded.
4. The NRCCS commits to providing the local matching funds, services, or resources as detailed in the application, and to the maintenance and operation of the NRCCS Community Schoolyard for the duration of the formal community-use agreement.

Adopted this 16th day of March, 2026.

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By: \_\_\_\_\_  
President, Board of Education

Attest:

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Secretary, Board of Education