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TITLE: Consider/Discuss/Act on Prospective Projects and Application to MCDC for Grant Funding

COUNCIL GOAL: Enhance the Quality of Life in McKinney
(5A: Create affordable recreational and cultural arts activities for all ages throughout the city)
(5B: Develop Parks strategy to preserve green space for future park land)
(5C: Continue to market and highlight McKinney as a unique destination for residents and visitors alike)
(5E: Develop sustainable quality of life improvements within the City of McKinney)

MEETING DATE: July 9th, 2020

DEPARTMENT: Parks and Recreation

CONTACT: Michael Kowski, Director of Parks and Recreation

RECOMMENDED PARK BOARD ACTION:

- Approve the submission of a \$5.5 million grant application to MCDC

ITEM SUMMARY:

- MCDC is a primary funding source for parks and recreation projects through their annual grant program.
- A joint meeting was held in May between the MCDC and Park Board to discuss potential funding and projects.
- The grant application will be presented to the MCDC board at their July meeting.
- Staff is requesting approval to submit a grant for \$5.5 million.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- The PROS Board and MCDC Board yearly review prospective projects for

MCDC funding within the context of :

- The 2017 Park Master Plan
- Council goals
- MCDC, Parks Board and staff priorities
- Projects identified in the 2019 Bond Election

SUPPORTING MATERIALS: