

**TOWN OF PARACHUTE  
RESOLUTION NO. 2023-02**

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**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE MIDDLE COLORADO WILDFIRE COLLABORATIVE GRANT APPLICATION TO CREATE A REGIONAL WILDFIRE READY WATERSHED AND ACTION PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Parachute is a political subdivision of the State of Colorado, within Garfield County, and part of the Middle Colorado Watershed Council (MCWC); and

**WHEREAS**, the MCWC is the project sponsor to create a Wildfire Ready Action Plan (WRAP) through the Colorado Water Conservation Board and their Wildfire Ready Watersheds program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Parachute wishes to participate as a stakeholder in the planning process to create a strong and resilient watershed for the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council supports the MCWC efforts and grant application, and supports completion of a grant is awarded by the Colorado Water Conservation Board.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO THAT:**

- Section 1. The above recitals are hereby incorporated as findings by the Town Council.
- Section 2. The Town Council strongly supports the Grant Application submitted by the MCWC and will sign a letter of support.
- Section 3. If the grant is awarded, the Town Council strongly supports the completion of the Wildfire Ready Action Plan.
- Section 4. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Mayor or Town Manager to sign a letter of support and Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in accordance with the MCWC, the WRAP project, and the associated grant application.

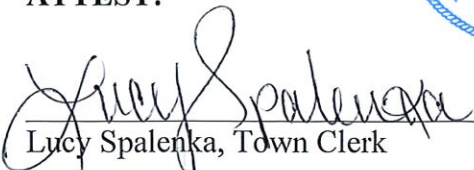
**INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED** as provided by law, by a vote of 4 to 0 of the Town Council of the Town of Parachute, Colorado, at a regular meeting held at the Town of Parachute, Colorado, on the 19 day of January 2023.

**TOWN COUNCIL OF THE  
TOWN OF PARACHUTE, COLORADO**

By:   
Tom Rugaard, Mayor



**ATTEST:**

  
Lucy Spalenka, Town Clerk