



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, October 26, 2004

Council Session

## Item G13

**#2004-270 - Approving Interlocal Agreement with College Park for Hike/Bike Trail Development**

Staff Contact: Steve Paustian

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Steve Paustian, Parks and Recreation Director

**Meeting:** October 26, 2004

**Subject:** Approving Interlocal Agreement with College Park for Hike/Bike Trail Development

**Item #'s:** G-13

**Presenter(s):** Steve Paustian, Parks and Recreation Director

## **Background**

Monies have been budgeted for the extension of the existing Hike/Bike trail currently located at Central Community College to be extended toward Hall County Park.

## **Discussion**

This agreement allows for the City to construct the trail across College Park property before heading south across Hwy 34 and on to Stuhr Museum property.

## **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee
3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

## **Recommendation**

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the interlocal agreement allowing for the trail extension.

## **Sample Motion**

Motion to approve acceptance of License Agreement with College Park.

RESOLUTION 2004-270

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island provides and develops parks and recreation areas including hike/bike trails for public use; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island is proposing the development of Riverway Hike/Bike Trail which will connect the trail currently at Central Community College property to pass through College Park property, through Stuhr Museum property and onto the Wood River diversion canal, connecting to Hall County Park and will continue along the canal until it eventually reaches the Platte River; and

WHEREAS, such hike/bike trail will encroach on property owned by College Park; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that an Interlocal Agreement be entered into with College Park to facilitate the development of such hike/bike trails; and

WHEREAS, the City Attorney's office has prepared an Interlocal Agreement with College Park for the development of hike/bike trails across its property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the Interlocal Agreement by and between the City and College Park at Grand Island, Nebraska, a Nebraska non-profit corporation, for the development of a hike/bike trail across its property is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such Interlocal Agreement on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, October 26, 2004.

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
October 21, 2004	☐ City Attorney