

**CITY OF FALCON HEIGHTS
COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

August 9, 2023

No. 23-52

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING GRANT APPROVAL AND AUTHORIZING CITY
ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH ACTIVE LIVING RAMSEY
COMMUNITIES BE ACTIVE! BE GREEN! BENCH INITIATIVE**

WHEREAS, Active Living Ramsey Communities is an initiative dedicated to creating and promoting environments that make it safe and convenient for everyone to integrate physical activity into their daily routine; and

WHEREAS, Ramsey County has created the Be Active! Be Green! Bench Initiative as part of Active Living Ramsey Communities. It seeks to install networks of benches in parks, and link local destinations, which are geared towards people of all ages and abilities who may not typically be very active; and,

WHEREAS, the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners has approved funding for the Be Active! Be Green! Bench Initiative, and has funds available through a grant process to support bench routes; and

WHEREAS, the City of Falcon Heights desires to implement a bench route within Community Park and at Curtiss Field; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to participate in the Be Active! Be Green! Bench Initiative and Active Living Ramsey Communities


WHEREAS, the City will pay for the concrete and Public Works will install concrete pads as part of the bench project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Falcon Heights, Minnesota:

1. Hereby approves and authorizes submission of an application for a pathway for the Be Active! Be Green! Bench Initiative attached hereto.
2. Hereby accepts the terms outlined in the grant application materials, and authorizes the City Administrator to execute grant agreements with the County.

ADOPTED by the Falcon Heights City Council this 9th day of August, 2023.

Moved by: **Wassenberg**

Approved by: 
Randall Gustafson
Mayor

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Attested by: 
Jack Linehan
City Administrator