

**Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services**  
**Memorandum #1-2012**

**DATE:** January 26, 2012

**TO:** Honorable Mayor Joyce Downing and City Council Members

**FROM:** William A. Simmons, City Manager *WAS*  
Amanda J. Peterson, Director of Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services *ajp*

**SUBJECT:** CR-8- Adams County Open Space Grant Application – Danahy Park

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends that Council approve the attached resolution, supporting the submission of a grant application in the amount of \$92,770.00 for Danahy Park improvements, to Adams County Open Space in the active use category for the spring 2012 grant cycle.

**BACKGROUND:** Funding in the amount of \$125,000 is identified in the five-year Capital Improvement Program for the purpose of making basic improvements to ensure the safety and comfort of users at Danahy Park, and has been appropriated in the Capital Projects Fund in 2012. The source of funds is Adams County Open Space discretionary funds.

The proposed improvements include replacing the playground equipment, making an appropriate fall zone around existing boulders that are incorporated into the playground, replacing cracked concrete, replacing the fence surrounding the basketball court, replacing picnic tables and trash receptacles and general landscaping improvements. In addition, the tennis courts are in need of repair, as users have indicated that the prior patches are uneven and the courts have dead spots. Staff agree with the users that these problems need to be addressed. A complete copy of the draft of the application is attached for your reference.

In addition to City Council, staff has sought letters of support from organizations and individuals in the community through the use of a direct mailing to the residents in the immediate vicinity of Danahy Park, an article in the Northglenn Connection and a notice on the City's website. All letters that are received by Friday, January 27 will be included in the final application.

**BUDGET/TIME IMPLICATIONS:** There is currently an appropriation of \$125,000 in the Capital Projects Fund for this project. If the grant application is approved, then the project will be expanded to include improvements to the tennis courts, for a total project cost of \$154,616. The grant request is in the amount of \$92,770. This is 60% of the total project costs, which is within the current guidelines provided by the granting board. The city's portion for this project would then decrease to \$61,846, with the remaining \$63,153 to remain in the Capital Projects Fund balance for future Parks and Recreation projects. The complete grant application is due to Adams County by February 1, 2012.

**STAFF REFERENCE:** Please contact Amanda Peterson at [apeterson@northglenn.org](mailto:apeterson@northglenn.org) or by phone at 303.450.8727 for any further questions.

SPONSORED BY: MAYOR DOWNING

COUNCILMAN'S RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO.

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A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A GRANT APPLICATION TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE ADAMS COUNTY OPEN SPACE FOR FUNDING FOR THE DANAHY PARK RENOVATION PROJECT

WHEREAS, funding in the amount of \$125,000 has been identified in the five-year Capital Improvement Program for the purpose of making basic improvements to ensure the safety of users at Danahy Park; and

WHEREAS, the Northglenn City Council believes that improvements to Danahy Park will enhance the recreational amenities to users of all ages and provide a play space that is in compliance with current safety standards; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to express its support of the submission of an Adams County Open Space Grant Application to obtain funding for the Danahy Park Renovation Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTHGLENN, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Northglenn is in full support of submitting a grant application to Adams County Open Space to obtain funding for the Danahy Park Renovation Project.

DATED, at Northglenn, Colorado, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

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JOYCE DOWNING  
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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JOHANNA SMALL, CMC  
City Clerk

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COREY Y. HOFFMANN  
City Attorney



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**PART I: ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

Project Information	
Applicant Organization Name:	City of Northglenn
Sponsoring Jurisdiction:	_____
Name of Project:	Danahy Park Renovation
This project is priority <input type="text" value="2"/> of <input type="text" value="2"/> project(s) submitted.	
* Prioritize project separately if you are submitting joint projects with another jurisdiction, special district, or organization.	

Contact Information			
Primary Contact Name:	Amanda J. Peterson	Title:	Director of Parks, Recreation & Culture
Phone:	(303) 450-8950	Email:	apeterson@northglenn.org
Address:	11701 Community Center Drive		
City:	Northglenn	State:	CO Zip: 80233
The contact name provided above will be used for all official correspondence. In the event that the primary contact is not available, please list any additional contacts for this project.			
Name:	Title:	Phone:	Email:
Pam Acre	Stormwater Coordinator	(303) 450-8792	pacre@northglenn.org
Greg Yanker	Civil Engineer I	(303) 450-8780	gyanker@northglenn.org

Project Summary	Budget Summary										
<p><i>Briefly describe your project (&lt;100 words).</i></p> <p>This renovation project includes the replacement of the playground structure and the site amenities at Hugh Danahy Park, creating a playspace that is in compliance with current safety standards. The renovation also includes improvements to the basketball court, tennis court, fencing, and the picnic pavilion. In addition, concrete trail segments will be added to provide easier access to existing picnic tables and the basketball court.</p>	<table> <tr> <td><b>Grant Request (this cycle only):</b></td> <td><b>\$92,770.00</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Previous ADCO Grants (this project only):</td> <td>\$0.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Matching Funds (cash + in-kind):</td> <td>\$61,847.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Total Project Costs:</b></td> <td><b>\$154,617.00</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Grant Request: 60 % of Total Project Costs</b></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>Complete the Project Budget labeled <b>Attachment A</b> at the end of this application.</p>	<b>Grant Request (this cycle only):</b>	<b>\$92,770.00</b>	Previous ADCO Grants (this project only):	\$0.00	Matching Funds (cash + in-kind):	\$61,847.00	<b>Total Project Costs:</b>	<b>\$154,617.00</b>	<b>Grant Request: 60 % of Total Project Costs</b>	
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**Summary of Funding**

**1. Previous Funding**

a. Pursuant to the Open Space Policies and Procedures, a project can be submitted for funding consideration up to three (3) times.

i. Has this grant been submitted for funding consideration in a previous grant cycle?

Yes  No

ii. If yes, please list the grant cycle(s) and the amount of the award(s), if any:

Grant Cycle:	Award Amount:

**Property Location Information**

Project Site Address: South east corner of Roseanna Drive and Livingston Drive

Nearest cross streets: Roseanna Drive and Livingston Drive

Parcel ID# (REQUIRED): 171,909,410,016

Include a Location Map and label as **Attachment E**. Location Map should clearly identify the location of the project (including the nearest cross streets) and should provide directions to the project site.

**Land Acquisition Summary (if applicable)**

Number of acres: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost per acre: \_\_\_\_\_

Appraised price per acre: \_\_\_\_\_

If the purchase price is more than the appraisal price, please explain:

Attach a copy of the appraisal summary page and label as **Attachment J**.

Are there any known existing easements on the project site?  Yes  No  
 If yes, attach copies of the easement and label as **Attachment K**.



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## PART II: SELECTION CRITERIA

The criteria listed below will be scored by the Open Space Advisory Board.

### Grant Fund Use Category (0-100 point total)

#### 1. Project Description (0-25 points)

- a. Please describe each component of the project and scope of work in detail. Attach a Project Timeline and label as **Attachment B**.

This project includes the removal of the existing playground equipment, and re-design of the playground perimeter. The playground perimeter currently has small boulders embedded directly into the concrete path that surrounds the playground, creating a safety concern if a child were to fall from one of the boulders onto the concrete, rather than onto wood fiber mulch on another appropriate playground surface. The new design will enlarge the playspace to safely incorporate the boulders into the play area, with a new path added beyond the necessary safety zones. A new playground structure will be installed, along with new wood fiber mulch in the entire play area.

At the pavilion, the severely cracked concrete slab will be removed and replaced. New picnic tables, including an accessible table, will be added, along with new waste and recycling receptacles.

At the basketball court, cracked concrete will be replaced, and the damaged fencing will be removed and replaced. The current fencing only has a top rail, and a standard gauge mesh. Regular basketball activities, including players and the ball repeatedly making contact with the fence have loosened posts and disfigured the mesh. The new fencing will include a bottom and middle rail, along with a larger gauge mesh that is more able to withstand the physical activities that occur on the basketball court.

At the Tennis Courts, work will be completed to repair the cracked playing surface, smooth previous repairs, and eliminate "dead" spots on the court. The nets and straps will be replaced, and screening will be installed at the bottom of the perimeter fence to decrease debris from neighboring trees from entering the court.

Short concrete trail segments will be added throughout the area to provide improved accessibility from the main trail to the basketball court, the pavilion and the free-standing picnic tables.

There are also several areas throughout the park that need new landscaping. These areas include three shrub beds and two former picnic table pads. There are also several trees that will need to be removed in the area surrounding the playground, due to the expansion of that space. These trees will be replaced in new locations within the park.

- b. Attach a Project Site Plan that identifies all project components and label as **Attachment D**.  
c. Does this project contain areas that will help separate park amenities from surrounding neighborhoods, roads, schools, etc.? If yes, clearly identify these areas on the Project Site Plan.

The Hugh G. Danahy Memorial Park is an existing park, originally deeded to the City by the North Glenn Metropolitan Recreation District as Livingston Park in 1973. To the south east of Danahy Park lies the Croke Reservoir Nature Area. As can be seen on Attachment D, there is an existing trail segment that runs along the perimeter of the park, and connects to the Bill Gillespie Nature Trail at Croke Reservoir. The playground, pavilion, tennis courts and basketball courts are located inside that trail, and are well protected from the surrounding residential roadways.

#### 2. Community Need/Urgency (0-25 points)

- a. Clearly describe how this project will fulfill needs of the community (i.e. the project provides recreation opportunities for underserved areas, addresses health and safety issues, etc.).



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The play space does not meet current safety standards, as per the National Playground Safety Institute. The fall zones surrounding a set of boulders on the perimeter of the space is insufficient, as is the fall zone around the swings. The boulders require a minimum of 8 inches of wood fiber or other approved play surfacing in an area extending a minimum of 72 inches between the swings and the boulders. In addition, the boulders are imbedded directly in the concrete, creating a hazard if a child falls from the boulder to the concrete below. A copy of the most recent playground safety inspection form is included as attachment F.

Danahy Park is a well used neighborhood park, and at 4.7 acres is one of the largest developed parks in our community. This space is within walking distance (less than 1 mile) from approximately 3,775 homes, six school buildings and seven apartment complexes, providing residents with a variety of options for physical and social activity.

- b. Explain the urgency to complete this project, including how the scope of the project will be affected if Adams County Open Space Grant funds go unsecured and what, if any, opportunities will be lost if the project does not receive grant funding this cycle.

This play structure is aging, and due to the safety concerns it is important to make these renovations in a timely manner. The cracked concrete, bent fences, damaged picnic tables and poorly landscaped areas make the area look unappealing.

The need for park and open space renovations within the community far outweighs the resources that are available. Just one or two large projects can consume the allocation that is available for Parks and Recreation Capital Improvements for several years, generally causing those large projects to be pushed even further into the future. Receiving grant funding for this project will allow for the City to maintain the existing playground replacement schedule, continue to make improvements to the parks and recreation facilities in the community, and eventually provide new amenities to members of the community.

**3. Uses/Users (0-25 points)**

- a. Describe all current and anticipated future uses of the project, including all programmed and non-programmed activities.

Danahy Park is utilized primarily for non-programmed activities. The playground, picnic area and turf field are well-utilized by individuals and families living in the surrounding neighborhood.

The space is occasionally used for organized sports practices, and the pavilion is available for private events through a reservation process.

- b. Explain how this project will appeal to a broad diversity of users.

This neighborhood park is located within a large established neighborhood on the west side of town. The park offers passive picnic areas and walking trails that connect to the Croke Reservoir Nature Area, as well as a large grassy area, volunteer-maintained flower and shrub beds and mature trees. "Friends," a bronze that is a part of the "People's Choice" sculpture program has a permanent home under a shade tree near the playground. The space also offers a variety of active elements, including tennis courts, a children's playground and a basketball court. This is one of the few parks in the community with a drinking fountain and permanent port-o-let structure, with port-o-lets in place during the spring, summer and fall. This allows for longer family outings in this park, making it a more desirable destination even to those for which the park is not within walking distance of home. The addition of the trail segments to the pavilion and basketball courts make these areas ADA accessible, providing an ease of use for those who may not have previously used these spaces.



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**4. Connectivity (0-20 points)**

- a. Explain how this project fits into a regional or master plan. Attach relevant portions of the plan(s) and label as **Attachment G** (limit 3 pages).

The City of Northglenn has recognized that much of the infrastructure within the city is aging. To ensure that there are safe, clean, well-maintained playgrounds for the community, the City has developed a playground replacement program, identifying a schedule that includes the replacement or renovation of one playground each year. The Danahy Park renovation project is identified as a priority for 2012 in the current Parks and Recreation Master Plan.

- b. Will this project link to other trails, parks, or open space properties in the applicant's jurisdiction or in another jurisdiction, now or in the future? If not, explain the significance of the project location.

Although no additional trail connections will be made through this project, the existing trail system through Danahy connects to the Bill Gillespie Memorial Nature Trail at Croke Reservoir, as well as Huron Street, Northwest Open Space and 104th Avenue.

**5. Open Space Sales Tax Goals (0-5 points)**

- a. Open Space Sales Tax dollars are to be used in accordance with Resolution 99-1, Section 8 (C). Please describe how the project complies with the Tax.

The use of Adams County Open Space funds to complete this project meets the definitions provided within section 8(c) iii, "Active open space lands may include lands for park purposes and other recreational uses... Park purpose should be defined as the construction, equipping, acquisition and maintenance of park and recreation improvements and facilities for the use and benefit of the public."

The Danahy Park renovation project includes the maintenance of an existing park space through a major renovation. This renovation includes equipping the park with new playground structures, picnic tables, fencing and landscaping. These amenities are open to any individual, and exist for the use and benefit of the public.

**Project Funding (0-30 points)**

**1. Funding Summary**

Grant Request	\$92,770.00	(this grant cycle only)
Previous ADCO Grant Awards	\$0.00	(combined total - for this project only)
Cash Match	\$62,500.00	
In-Kind Match		
<b>Total Project Costs</b>	<b>\$154,617.00</b>	

Grant Request = 60 % of the Total Project Costs

**If total leverage (cash match + in-kind match) is not equal to or greater than 50% of the total project costs, please explain.**



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As per the guidelines provided by the Adams County Open Space Advisory Board, a request of up to 60% of the total project cost is allowable for this grant cycle.

Please use the space below to provide additional information regarding the costs included in the project budget included as **Attachment A**.

The budget has been broken down into individual line items, and cost estimates have been determined based on current market, recent projects with similar components and construction quotes for unique components. As a part of any construction project, there are mobilization and demobilization costs, as well as warranty, bond and insurance costs. These expenses are included in each line item, as is a small contingency that accounts for slight variances in materials costs or quantities. The budget is developed based on estimates, and has not yet been bid. The contingency is only used if it can be appropriately justified to meet the needs of the described project, and is not used to expand the scope of work.

**2. 30% Distribution**

Will the applicant be using any of its 30% distribution as part of the cash match for this project?

Yes  No  Not Applicable

If yes, please list the amount being used: \$62,500.00

**3. Partnerships and Sources of Funds**

Please complete **Attachment C - Source of Funds**. See example at the end of this application for guidance.

**4. Letters of Commitment**

Please provide a letter of commitment from each partner that is providing cash or in-kind contributions for this project and label as **Attachment H**.

**Project Support (0-30 points)**

**1. Community Outreach**

Briefly describe any effort made on the part of the applicant to gain support for this project (i.e., community surveys completed, neighborhood meetings, solicited comments, etc.).

This project has been included in the five-year Capital Improvement Plan, which is reviewed annually by both the City Council and the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board. Both offer the public opportunity for input through formal public hearings. As a part of the five-year Capital Improvement Plan, this project has also been included in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan since 2009, which is also discussed, reviewed and adopted annually.

An article regarding the Danahy Park renovation was included in the December issue of the Northglenn Connection. In addition, a description of the proposed renovation was posted at Danahy Park during the month of January. As a result of this outreach, 7 community members submitted a letter of support for this project, these letters are included as Attachment I.

In September 2010, a group of 1,000 volunteers was gathered by Crossroads Church for a day titled "GoSERVE." On this day, Danahy Park was used as a staging area. A tremendous amount of work was done in this park, as well as in the surrounding area by these volunteers. Crossroads Church provided the funding and volunteer work to replace the barbeque grill and the pavilion roof at Danahy Park - both components that would have otherwise had to be funded as a part of this project. In addition, the group painted, weeded, and pruned many elements in the park that day. A letter of support from this group is also included, for as much work as was completed that day, not all of the park's needs could be addressed.

A local school, Westview Elementary, utilizes this park as it is within walking distance of the school. The principal and several teachers recently approached City staff, asking what they could do to contribute to the upkeep of this park. Letters of support for this project are also included from students, teachers and parents at this school.





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As is required by the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, all of the projects on the Playground Replacement schedule go through a formal public input process. Members of the community, including both adults and children, are invited to discuss their interest in the park with staff. Those who participate - whether it be in person, via e-mail, through their school or over the phone - have input about each of the park components, right down to which pieces of playground equipment are selected. Once funding for this project is identified, a series of at least two public meetings will be scheduled to gather this additional input.

## 2. Letters of Support

Provide letters of support from at least two of the categories listed below and label as **Attachment I:**

- Adjacent landowners
- Adjacent cities or counties
- Federal or state agencies
- School districts or special districts
- Individual users or user groups

- \* Letters must have been written within the past 12 months.
- \* Form letters will not be accepted.
- \* All letters of support must be submitted with grant applications. Letters received after the application deadline will not be accepted.

## Project Management and Applicant's Past Performance of Awarded Projects (0-15 points)

### 1. Long-term Management

- a. Describe how this project will be managed for long-term sustainability. Include in your answer the entity responsible for maintenance, the available resources, and the typical maintenance schedule.

As an existing park, Danahy is and will continue to be maintained in accordance with the Park Maintenance Standards identified in the Master Plan. These standards include the following:

Daily: Trash receptacles emptied, pavilions cleaned, playgrounds cleaned

Bi-Weekly April through September: Turf mowed, flower beds weeded, irrigation systems checked

Weekly: Playgrounds inspected, minor spot repairs completed, targeted weed control

Monthly: Edging, minor pruning, touch-up painting, irrigation clocks adjusted

Bi-Annually: Turf fertilized, chemical and biological weed control

Annually: Pruning & mulching trees, perennial plants and shrubs pruned

These are basic functions of the parks division, and are funded through the City's General Fund. The same maintenance standards are applied to each manicured park throughout the city.

- b. Describe how safety issues will be addressed during this project. Include how safety will be considered during design and construction, as well as long-term safety issues (i.e., annual safety inspections).

This project addresses existing safety concerns regarding the perimeter of the playground. The standards have changed since the play structure was originally installed, and the design of the renovation will ensure that current standards are followed. The existing boulders are a great amenity, however, they do need to be installed with a safety zone.



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Construction will be scheduled for the fall months, when many children are in school and the use of the park declines during the day. Appropriate safety fencing will be erected to identify the work area, and uninstalled equipment is not left unattended.

The City of Northglenn now has two individuals who are Certified Playground Safety Inspectors. These individuals evaluate each playground within the City, including the playground at Danahy Park, quarterly. In addition, Parks Maintenance Staff conduct a visual inspection of each playground on a weekly basis. Wood fiber mulch is re-distributed to the appropriate areas, as it does tend to migrate during normal play, swing chains and wear points are checked and any vandalism or other damage to the park is identified and repaired in a timely manner.

The concrete is inspected on an annual basis, and concrete slabs that are or may become a tripping hazard due to heaving or cracking are prioritized and placed on the annual replacement schedule.

- c. Is there a written agreement or Intergovernmental Agreement for things such as access or maintenance?
- Yes  No
- If yes, please provide a copy of this agreement and label as **Attachment F**.

**2. Past Performance**

In the space provided below, list similar projects that have received ADCO grant funds and have been successfully completed by the applicant (limit 5 projects). For example, if this is a trail project, list completed trail projects.

Project Name:	Project Manager:	Award Date:	Completion Date:
Ballfield Renovations	Mark Hofmeister	Spring 2010	Summer 2011
E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park Sensory Playground Improvements Phase I	Nestor Fedak	2002	2003
E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park Sensory Playground Completion Project	Mark Hofmeister	2008	2009
Croke Reservoir Nature Area Improvement Project	Joliette Woodson	2007	2008

**3. Pending Projects**

Please list all projects that have been awarded ADCO grant funds but have not yet been completed.  
 -- If an extension has been granted, please list the new due date in the "Due Date" column.  
 -- If a project is past due, explain why the project has not yet been completed.

Project Name:	Award Amount:	Due Date:	Explain:
Northglenn Skatepark	\$550,000.00	February 4, 2012	Project is complete, awaiting follow-up from contractor on punchlist items before making the final payment.
Northglenn Recreation Center Roof and HVAC Renovation	\$500,000.00	Spring 2013	



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Project Name:	Award Amount:	Due Date:	Explain:

Please mail **12 sets** of the application and one electronic version (either through email to [relsner@adcogov.org](mailto:relsner@adcogov.org) or on a CD) to the Adams County Open Space Staff no later than **4:30 P.M. on August 1, 2011**. Please bind all 12 copies with either binder clips or rubber bands (no staples please). **Applicants are strongly encouraged to use both sides of the paper when printing completed applications.**

**Please include the following attachments at the end of the application - not to exceed 11" x 17":**

- Attachment A - Project Budget**
- Attachment B - Project Timeline**
- Attachment C - Source of Funds**
- Attachment D - Project Site Plan**
- Attachment E - Location Map**
- Attachment F - Access or Maintenance Agreements (if applicable)**
- Attachment G - Master or Regional Plan (limit 3 pages)**
- Attachment H - Letters of Commitment from Project Partners**
- Attachment I - Letters of Support**

**If this request is to acquire land, please include the following attachments - not to exceed 11" x 17":**

- Attachment J - Buyer's Appraisal. Provide one complete copy of the appraisal. Attach a copy of the appraisal summary to each of the 12 copies of the application.**
- Attachment K - Easement(s) (if applicable)**

All facilities or land must be accessible to the public, except for conservation easements for agricultural and/or wildlife habitat preservation. All accessible facilities and land must comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and any applicable state or local regulations.

The Applicant understands that no land or interests acquired with revenues of the Opens Space Sales Tax may be sold, leased, traded or otherwise conveyed, nor may an exclusive license or permit on such land or interest be given, without the approval of such action by the BoCC. See resolution 99-1, Section 8(C)(iv).

I, the undersigned, having the authority to act on behalf of, acknowledge the receipt of the Adams County Open Space Policies and Procedures and agree to abide by the same.

Upon award of the Open Space Sales Tax funds, all participants are required to enter into a Grant Agreement with Adams County. In the case of land acquisitions, a conservation easement or Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions will be required prior to receiving reimbursement.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: February 1, 2012 \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: Joyce Downing \_\_\_\_\_

Print Title: Mayor, City of Northglenn \_\_\_\_\_

**Attachment A - Project Budget**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Name: Danahy Park Renovation

Amount Requested: \$92,770.00

% Total Project Costs: 60

*All organizations or individuals providing in-kind contributions are required to provide a letter of commitment outlining their contribution(s) as stated in the Project Budget.*

Description of Item/Expense	Grant Request	Previous ADCO Award	Applicant Match	Partner Match	In-Kind (funds/services to be provided by applicant or partner)	Total Project Costs
Playground Removal and Replacement	\$32,400.00	\$0.00	\$21,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$54,000.00
Playground Wood Mulch Replacement	\$2,736.00	\$0.00	\$1,824.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,560.00
Playground Rock Decor Rehabilitation	\$3,240.00	\$0.00	\$2,160.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,400.00
New Concrete Trail Around Playground	\$5,400.00	\$0.00	\$3,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,000.00
Pavilion Concrete Replacement	\$7,128.00	\$0.00	\$4,752.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11,880.00
Park Table Replacement	\$3,240.00	\$0.00	\$2,160.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,400.00
Park Trash Can Replacement	\$1,620.00	\$0.00	\$1,080.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,700.00
Basketball Court Concrete Replacement	\$216.00	\$0.00	\$144.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$360.00
Basketball Court Chain Link Fence Replacement	\$1,836.00	\$0.00	\$1,224.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,060.00
Basketball Court Restriping	\$720.00	\$0.00	\$480.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,200.00
Tennis Court Surface Restoration	\$21,000.00	\$0.00	\$14,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$35,000.00
Tennis Court Wind Screen	\$3,240.00	\$0.00	\$2,160.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,400.00
Tennis Court Post and Net Replacement	\$922.00	\$0.00	\$615.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,537.00

**Attachment A - Project Budget**

Description of Item/Expense	Grant Request	Previous ADCO Award	Applicant Match	Partner Match	In-Kind (funds/services to be provided by applicant or partner)	Total Project Costs
Drinking Fountain Replacement	\$2,520.00	\$0.00	\$1,680.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,200.00
Concrete Trail and Sidewalk Replacement	\$3,672.00	\$0.00	\$2,448.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,120.00
Park Bench Replacement	\$2,880.00	\$0.00	\$1,920.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,800.00
<i>Budget Total</i>	<i>\$92,770.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i>\$61,847.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i><b>\$154,617.00</b></i>

**Attachment B - Estimated Project Timeline**

Project Name: Danahy Park Renovation

Date: February 1, 2012

*Timeline should reflect scheduling for each task of your project over the next 24 months. Describe each task of your project and put an X in the column to the right for the month that task will occur.*

Description of Task	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Public Meetings			X	X	X							
Bidding and Contract						X	X					
Construction								X	X	X	X	
Project Punch List and Final Close out											X	X

Description of Task												

**Attachment C - Source of Funds**

Project Name: Danahy Park Renovation

Amount Requested: \$92,770.00

% Total Project Costs: 60

In the chart below, please list all sources of funds. For partners, please provide a brief description of the contribution.

With regard to the Applicant's contribution, only fill out the "Brief Description of Contribution" if the Applicant is making an in-kind contribution.

Source of Funds	Date Secured	Grant Request	Previous ADCO Grant Awards	Cash Match	In-Kind Match	Total Funding	Brief Description of Contribution (<10 words)
City of Northglenn	12/8/2011			\$61,847.00		\$61,847.00	
Adams County Open Space Grant				\$92,770.00		\$92,770.00	
<i>Total</i>				<i>\$154,617.00</i>		<i>\$154,617.00</i>	



Attachment D-1: Project Site Plan





Attachment E-1: Location Map

# Introduction

## Purpose

As per Chapter 17-2-7(d) of the Northglenn Municipal Code, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board has the following responsibility:

“To assist and advise the City Manager and the City Council in determining the community’s needs and desires for parks, programs and facilities in relationship to the Park’s Master Plan and to continually update the Parks Master Plan on a yearly basis to achieve an equitable balance, within reason, of parks, programs and facilities in the city.”

The following document is submitted in accordance with Chapter 17-2-7(d) of the Northglenn Municipal Code.

## Background

In 1986, City Council adopted the City’s first comprehensive Parks and Recreation Master Plan. In addition, upon adoption of the Master Plan, the Council appointed a Task Force to develop a ten (10) year Implementation Plan for the Master Plan. Membership on the Task Force included representatives of City Council, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, the Planning Commission and City Staff. The ten (10) year Implementation Plan was adopted by City Council in 1987.

The authors of both the Master Plan and the Implementation Plan recognized that the parks and recreation desires and preferences of the community are continually evolving and recommended that

an annual evaluation be conducted to address and consider revisions to the plan. The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board are thus charged with conducting an annual review of the Master Plan and making recommendations for its update and revision.

The 2011 revision includes a new format, with a focus on compiling a complete, current inventory of existing parks and facilities, as well as a 5-year Capital Improvement Plan and an extended list of future capital improvement needs and desires.

## Goals and Actions

This Master Plan seeks to complement City-wide efforts and organizational direction as it relates to the roles and functions of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and staff to achieve near-term and long-term capital improvements to the City’s parks, public grounds, and recreational assets and amenities. Existing plans and goals, such as the City’s Comprehensive Plan and City Council Goals are referenced to ensure consistency across departments.

It is hoped and anticipated that the community at large will support the efforts of staff and the public process that occurred to have identified and listed the noted and desired improvements to our recreational and leisure time assets. This document is intended to serve as a roadmap to guide staff toward the successful completion of multiple projects, pending the availability of required financial resources, to help assure the achievement of Council goals and the City Manager’s goals and the expressed wishes of the public, and in so doing



Figure 1: Winburn Park Gazebo and Ascension sculpture

practices. This park is home to “Ascension,” a sculpture gifted to the City by the Northglenn Arts and Humanities Foundation. In 1987, the park was named in honor of former Mayor Charles C. Winburn.

### **E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park**

The City’s flagship park, E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park is over 28 acres in size. Located just to the east of the Northglenn Recreation Center, this park offers fishing, walking trails, pedal boats, and the Sensory Playground. Amenities also include restrooms, barbeque grills and water fountains. This park is often used as a community gathering place for both private and public functions – on any given day throughout the year there may be a wedding, a birthday party or a city event taking place in one of the pavilions. This park hosts the Race for a Cure, the July 4th Family Festival, the Summer Concert Series and the Kids Fishing Derby on an annual basis. There are many flower beds cared for by volunteers, including the Peace Garden and the high-impact “Triangle” bed. This park is also the location of the City’s “Art on Parade” program, with six sculpture pads placed along the trail throughout the park. This park’s newest feature, a Skate

Park recommended to be named after former Parks & Recreation Advisory Board member Don Anema, is scheduled for completion in mid-2011. The playground is scheduled for minor renovations in 2010 and 2013, with a major playground replacement scheduled in 2018.

### **Fox Run – North, Central & South Parks**

These three, two acre, parks located throughout the Fox Run Subdivision were established in 2000. Each of the parks primarily serves the surrounding neighborhood, and includes a children’s playground, picnic tables, benches and basketball courts. These three playgrounds are scheduled for renovation in 2013.



Figure 2: Fox Run North Park sign and tower bed with playground in background

### **Hugh Danahy Park**

This park and playground are located at the corner of Roseanna Drive and Livingston Drive. The playground equipment and other park amenities are scheduled for renovation in 2012.

### **Huron Crossing Park**

This small neighborhood playground and park consists of just under 2 acres of turf

## **Replacement Vehicles**

Vehicles have been rated using a scoring system to help determine which vehicles are due for replacement. This scoring system includes the age of the vehicle, its current condition, the type of use it receives, and the cost associated with existing needed repairs. For many years, the budget for these replacements has been limited, and the fleet is aging. It is recommended that in the future at least two vehicles are replaced each year to improve the condition of the fleet.

## **Playground Replacements**

These projects include replacement of the play structure and/or other park amenities. The type of playground equipment and other park amenities that are installed will be selected through a public input process as identified in this Parks and Recreation Master Plan. The typical life span of a play structure is approximately 10 to 12 years.

### **Al Thomas**

Al Thomas park equipment was last replaced in 2002, however some of the equipment has been removed due to vandalism and the remaining equipment is not currently ADA accessible.

### **Danahy**

This project includes replacement of the play structure and associated amenities. Danahy park equipment was last replaced in 2002 and the typical life span of a park is 10 to 12 years.

The pavilion roof was replaced/repaired through a volunteer effort. The concrete slabs, drainage, grills, and picnic tables and

other amenities are still in need of replacement.

The cost estimate still includes replacement of the pavilion as this work was just completed on 8/29/10. A new cost estimate will be developed in 2011, once the full scope is developed based on 2011 cost data.

### **Fox Run Playground Replacement**

The playground equipment at the Fox Run parks was initially installed in 2001 and 2002.

### **Larson Park Playground Replacement**

The playground equipment at Larson Park was last replaced in 2004.

## **Equipment Purchases**

Although the estimates on most of these equipment purchases are not high enough to warrant inclusion as capital projects or capital outlay, they are unable to be purchased from regular operating funds without significant impact. These items are recommended as additions to the operating budget in the years to come.

### **Mowers**

Evaluation has occurred with existing equipment, and it has been determined that additional large mowers are needed to efficiently maintain large turf areas such as those at Northwest Open Space and E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park.

### **Pool Inflatables**

Large inflatables are used to add an interesting element to an otherwise basic pool. This is a fairly cost effective means of creating a leisure component in a lap

**Amanda Peterson - Danahy Park improvements**

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**From:** TOM RUDD <tdrudd@comcast.net>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/14/2012 8:30 AM  
**Subject:** Danahy Park improvements  
**CC:** <jdemay@frii.com>

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Dear Amanda,

My home on Livingston Drive faces the park and the location was a strong factor in buying here in 1979. The park is a tremendous asset for all of us in the neighborhood. My kids and grandkids now use the park year round. I see parents with young children in the play and swing area when the weather permits and even the Northglenn High Powder Puff football team practices there in the Spring. The equipment can't be expected to last forever, especially considering the amount of use it gets. It is time to replace and improve what we can. I am very much in favor of the grant to upgrade the park.

Very importantly, the picnic area serves as shelter for the kids waiting for the school buses and a place to play when they get home from school. I would also recommend the city look at some traffic mitigation during bus pick up and drop off. There is a lot of traffic on Livingston anyway and with the parents picking up kids I have seen first hand some "near misses".

Please feel free to share this with whomever it is appropriate.

Sincerely,

Tom Rudd

10681 Livingston Drive

## **Amanda Peterson - Letter of Support to Improvements to Hugh G. Danahy Memorial Park**

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**From:** "MALISSA LUCERO" <malissalucero@msn.com>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/17/2012 9:57 AM  
**Subject:** Letter of Support to Improvements to Hugh G. Danahy Memorial Park

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing the letter in support of improvements to Hugh G. Danahy Memorial Park. I live across the street from this park as well as run a licensed home child care for the past 6 years. We spend many, many hours at this park year round as do other home-base child cares in this neighborhood. We would love and believe it would be a great asset to the city of Northglenn to make the appropriate improvements to this park as it is a place of solace for many kids, families and business such as mine. Not only that but we believe that since the upgrades to the lake behind the park this would only enhance the scenery and improvements to the lake. I hope that it would also be taken into consideration the beautiful neighborhood surrounding this park. As a resident we take pride in caring for our homes and the surrounding area. I as well as many neighbors take time from our busy day to day lives to maintain the park area. whether it be picking up trash or planting flowers and so much more. You can rest assure that a new and improved area would be maintained properly!

Thank you for taking the time to consider this letter.

Appreciatively,

Malissa Lucero  
720-629-2844  
10732 Santa Fe St.  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Attachment I-1: Letters of Support  
Adjacent Landowners

## Amanda Peterson - Fwd: Park Support

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**From:** Pam Acre  
**To:** Peterson, Amanda  
**Date:** 1/12/2012 4:39 PM  
**Subject:** Fwd: Park Support

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>>> Kym Dennhardt whatley <kymann dennhardtwhatley@yahoo.com> 1/12/2012 2:05 PM

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I am writing in response to the upgrades to Hugh Danahy Park. This is truly a park that needs the upgrades. We live just up the street on Livingston and use the park and the lovely walking trail. We would support any improvements.

Thank you

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Whatley  
10906 Livingston Dr.  
Northglenn CO 80234

Attachment I-2: Letters of Support  
Individual Users & User Groups

To: Adams County Open Space Board,

I am eager to register my support for The City of Northglenn application for open space grant for improvements to Danahy Park at Livingston Dr. and Roseanna Dr. Danahy Park is a stable force in providing unity and cohesiveness to our neighborhood.

As a volunteer for the city parks and recreation department, I have occasions to visit all of the parks within the city. Our city personnel take great pride in maintenance and care of our parks. I believe I have become acquainted with all of the parks personnel. The dedication and hard work of these people is something to behold - a job well done within the constraints of today. I am proud of them!

It is of course necessary periodically to repair or replace well used and thus well worn facilities to maintain safety and the integrity of the neighborhood. I would fear to think of any other alternative.

I meet and talk with many of the neighbors at the park and I am sure they would agree and join me in inviting you to come share the pleasures of Danahy Park and Croke Res.

Thank you for your hard work and dedication to Adams County.

Sincerely,



Virgil Hall  
Block Captain/Volunteer



January 6, 2012

Re: Letter of Support for the Danahy Park Renovation Project

To Whom it May Concern,

On behalf of Crossroads Church, I would like to express my support for the renovation at Danahy Park in Northglenn, Colorado, located between Roseanna, Livingston and Naiad Drives.

Danahy Park is a very utilized and active part of the Northglenn community. As a church we often use the park for local gatherings and find that the pavillion area is reserved every weekend during the summer.

In the summer of 2010, Crossroads Church accessed the park with the City of Northglenn and found there was much needed repair. In coordination with the City of Northglenn, we were able to coordindate 150+ volunteers to work on the park in a given time period.

During this volunteer-based rennovation, we re-landscaped two areas (1) around the tennis courts and (1) near the current playground. We tore out and cleaned up a large area of overgrown brush along the backside of the tennis courts. We replaced the roof on the pavillion and tore up sections of cement pad, replaced the pad and repositioned the grills. We also repaired and placed new planks on the pier at Croke Reservoir (the reservoir attached to Danahy Park) as well as repainted the bridge and signs, took out gate doors that were no longer being used. We were grateful to the City in that we could work as partners to help give this park a much-needed makeover.

During our assessment however, we realized that his was just the first phase and there was still much work yet to be done. The pavillion cement pad and grading along the north side needed to be redone. The grills and picnic tables were in very bad shape and the playground equipment was long overdue for an upgrade.

As a vital part of this caring community, we would be very thrilled to know that the second phase of rennovation would be completed and the park restored to a fully functioning and safe park.

Thank you for your consideration,

Michele Gerbrandt  
Director of goServe

## Amanda Peterson - Danahy Park remodel

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**From:** PAUL ZADRA <zadratwins@msn.com>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/16/2012 7:17 PM  
**Subject:** Danahy Park remodel

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Dear City of Northglenn,

I would strongly suggest that you should remodel Danahy Park. I go to Danahy park about every Thursday on summer vacation. I do Roving Rec. So, I'd like to watch the park get remodeled.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Paul G. Zadra

Attachment I-2: Letters of Support  
Individual Users & User Groups

**Amanda Peterson - Hugh Danahy park project**

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**From:** Anita <aml317537@aol.com>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/16/2012 9:21 AM  
**Subject:** Hugh Danahy park project

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To Whom It May Concern:

I support this project because I think Northglenn is a beautiful city with some really nice parks and I'd like to see it stay that way. So any improvements/upgrades/maintenance is worth it, in my opinion.

Sincerely,

Anita M. Leslie

11053 Northglenn Dr.

Northglenn, CO 80233

Attachment I-2: Letters of Support  
Individual Users & User Groups

## Amanda Peterson - Renovation

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**From:** PAUL ZADRA <zadratwins@msn.com>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/16/2012 7:38 PM  
**Subject:** Renovation

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I am writing in regards to the proposals for upgrades to Danahy Park.

My family and I utilize many of the area parks throughout the year. We often walk around the lake and then go to the park. During the Summer months my sons are enrolled in Roving Rec., a program offered through the recreation center. Each year the children use this park at least once a week. New playground equipment would be a wonderful addition for the children. This program is geared towards tweens so something a bit more up to date and age appropriate would be more engaging for the kids. Giving kids of all ages a safe, fun place to be is a win, win for all concerned.

Thank you,

Christina L. Kaup

Attachment I-2: Letters of Support  
Individual Users & User Groups

## **Amanda Peterson - Danahy Park Open Space Grant**

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**From:** Mary Peck <maryandstevepeck@gmail.com>  
**To:** <apeterson@northglenn.org>  
**Date:** 1/18/2012 1:39 PM  
**Subject:** Danahy Park Open Space Grant

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in support of a grant to provide improvements to Danahy Park in Northglenn, Colorado. Our family lives just 1/2 a block north of park and use it frequently. With two children in our home under age 10, it was one of the reasons we decided to move to the neighborhood five years ago. The age of the park, with its beautiful, large trees makes it especially appealing.

A major source of concern for me as a parent, however, is the graffiti and profanity that is on the play structure. I believe that a new structure, as well as new picnic tables and basketball court improvements, would renew a sense of community pride and respect in the park as well as encourage more families - especially those with young children - to enjoy it.

Please consider the far-reaching impact that a quality neighborhood park has on the surrounding community.

Sincerely,  
Mary Peck  
10534 Kalamath Street  
Northglenn, CO 80234

January 12,2012

Att: Amanda Peterson:

Re: Adams County Open Space grant funds

Just a note to let you know we support the project for up-grading the Danahy Park area. We live on Roseanna Dr. and the park is at the end of our block.

Sometimes we take our grand children to the park & also walk on the trails. We enjoy the beauty of the lake & the wild life as our back yard opens out to view the area.

It would be nice to see improvements on the play ground & basketball court. Hope the necessary funding can be secured.

Sincerely,

David & Colleen Kenfield

10748 Roseanna Dr.

Northglenn, CO 80234

Attachment I-2: Letters of Support  
Individual Users & User Groups

January 18, 2012

To the Adams County Open Space Advisory Board:

I would like to support the City of Northglenn's request for grant funding for improvements to Danahy Park in Northglenn. This park is adjacent to Croke Reservoir, and is a well-used amenity embedded in a neighborhood.

The park has a long history of use, including children on the play equipment, youth football practice in the open spaces, adult and teen use of the tennis courts, and frequent family gatherings at the shelter and grills. Additionally, the Northglenn Arts and Humanities Foundation chose this park to install the permanent sculpture "Friends" in the children's play area. A citizen flower bed partner maintains one of the park's beautiful flower beds. This is a park that is treasured by the local community, and is in dire need of upgrades. I live in this neighborhood, and there isn't a day that passes when the park is empty.

I would strongly encourage you to fund this grant, which will greatly assist the City of Northglenn to maintain this charming and beautiful park amenity.

Rosie Garner

Citizen and Former City Councilmember

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing this letter to implor you to give the city of Northglenn me to improve Hugh Danohy Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary.

These are some reasons why you should improve the play structure at Hugh Danohy Park. One reason is that the play ground is rusty, and some one can get tetanus. Also there is graffiti by the slide opening, and a little kid can learn bad language. Maybe you should remove the large and little rocks because babies can fall off the big rocks and get serious injuries. Also you should remove the little rocks because kids have to stop, take off their shoe, and then dump out all the rocks from their shoe.



Next these are some reasons why you should improve the basketball court. The fence surrounding the basketball court is low and has a place for a basketball to roll out. Also the paint on the basketball court is faded, and when someone is practicing they might need to see the lines. I think the benches by the basketball court are too close and someone can get hit by a ball.

Here are some reasons why the picnic area can be improved. At the picnic area the tables are burnt and drawn on. The burn marks also kind of make a pothole in the table and someone can spill. My last reason why the picnic area should be improved is because I have tripped on the concrete by the table.

My little siblings and I always go to the park when it is sunny outside. We stay there for 2 or 3 hours every time we go. Also I go to Hugh Dan

the school year all the classes go  
with more than 500 students it ge  
really boring with nothing to play  
I hope you will give Northglenn the  
grant money. Thank you for your t

Sincerely,  
Kandra Love

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to persuade you to give money to the city of Northglenn for improving Hugh Danahy Park. I am a student at Westvie and I sometimes go there to play, its alot of FUN! When I was there the last few times, the play structure there had water all over the slides, and I LOVE slides, but think that NASTY! Also there are only two big swings there and I am imploring you to get more swings, because when we go there I always play on the swings with my mom and brot! Also my brother always fights over who's got to sit with my mom. Then if my brother get mad a me he throws sand at me then we have to go home! I am, asking if you can please replace the sand with squishy rubber flooring, and it would be safe if someone falls off the play structure. The <sup>basketball</sup> courts are way

and when someone runs across the <sup>basketball</sup> court a person can trip and fall. When I was at Hugh Danahy Park there was no bathrooms. So then my brother and my mom and I had to go home and use the bathroom, so can you put in a bathroom? When I throw away my trash, there are BEE'S all over the place. Also, there are bees all over the trash can, inside are a lot of bees. I am scared of BEE'S. So, if you could please put trash can lids on all the trash cans, that would be GREAT. Also, some people are scared and allergic to bees. The water fountain is old and rusty and I use it but, when it's old and rusty I don't drink out of it because I think it's contaminated. The grill is the most disgusting thing at the park because there are BB'S in it and leaves and sometime bird poop is on it and birds sometimes land to get a rest break, and squirrels too, also since these animals do that someone can get very sick from eating something that's been on the nasty grill. There is a big crack by the

when I wasn't looking I triped and  
got hurt. Also the tables are gross  
and dirty, and there are HOLES all  
over the tables! One time my brother  
got cut once, and I NEVER sit on  
the tables because it's uncomfortable and  
dirty. This is why I am persuading you  
to change Hugh Danahy Park.

Your persuader,  
Brandon Bounie

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to implore  
you to give money to the  
city of Northglenn for impro  
Hugh Danahy Park. I am  
student at Westview Elementary  
and I have been using  
park during the summer and  
at the end of the sch  
year for 5 years. I use  
during the summer once and  
sometimes see my friends there.

There are problems about  
the play structure. There is  
water on the slide. I don't  
want water on the slide beca  
I think it's gross. There is  
trash. I don't want trash  
because it's gross.

scratches on the slides. I want  
new slides because it looks  
cleaner. There is graffiti. I  
want the graffiti to be  
cleaned because it looks clean and  
protects kids from bad language.

There are problems about  
the basketball court. There  
scratched paint. I want you  
all to paint over the  
scratched paint because it looks  
clean. I want you all  
clean the hoops because it  
looks clean.

There are problems about  
the park. I don't like the  
holes in the tables and chairs  
because ones with holes are  
uncomfortable and hard to eat.

Sincerely,  
Nick

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To Whom it concerns:

I am writing this letter to inform you that Hugh Danahy Park should be renovated. I am a student of Westview and use the park for school celebrations, field trips, bike rides with my family and freinds and I have been using this park for two years.

I think Hugh Danahy Park should be renovated because when park users use the slide they get dirty and screws, bolts, and nails are missing from play structures and could colapse. Also there are not enough swings and the old ones are about to break.

In the name of the student



cracked and people and  
mothers with infants could trip  
and get hurt. And the  
grill is old so we need a new  
one with a lid because the old  
one is very dirty and could  
transmit diseases.

The basket ball court needs a  
higher fence. We need a higher  
fence because a basket ball  
could bounce over the fence  
and hit a car and could  
cause major injuries.

One more thing the play  
area needs a mat instead of sand.  
And the play area need more  
play structures. We would be  
very grateful if you

Sincerely,  
Meera Kumari  
Parent

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I'm a student at Westview Elementary, a school near Hugh Danahy Park. I've used the park for three years for end of the year celebrations. Even though I don't use the park much I think it could use some attention. I'm writing this letter to implore you to give a grant to improve Hugh Danahy Park.

Frist, here are the few things that could get attention on the play structure. There are old swing chains and if it broke it would cause people to fall and get hurt. Maybe you could get new ones and even more swing sets. since a lot of people love swinging. The slides have a little bit of graffiti on it and kids get bad influence off of it. That is all the things that could be changed on the play equipment.

Next, the basketball court has low fences, so I think

the street and hurt someone. Also there isn't enough benches for when there's a lot of players playing. Another thing is there could be new nets. To make the court perfect it could use bolder lines and brighter. That's it for the courts.

Last, the picnic area. The grills are very dirty with leaves and dirt. It needs a cover so it wouldn't be able to get dirty, and families can enjoy grilling in the summer. The picnic tables have rusted spots and the tinnest bit of graffiti. There should be new picnic tables so it is much easier to eat on. Finally, the concrete it is bad because there's cracks and holes. Kids or adults could fall while walking, so it could use some new concrete. Those are the few reasons why Hugh Danahy Park needs some attention. I hope you can help and give a grant.

Sincerely,  
Anne Williams  
Anne Williams

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I'm a student from Westview Elementary and I've been using Hugh Danahy Park for five years. I'm writing to implore you to give a grant for Hugh Danahy Park, here are some reasons why:

The pavement is crack and uneven, people could trip or fall, and get an injury. For example, an adult holding a child, not writing about the pavement, so they both fall. If there's uncracked and even pavement there wouldn't be that problem.

The basketball court fence is too short. People playing basketball could lose their ball easily, causing an injury by children going out into the street.

think there should be a higher fence.

I use the park a lot! Help it look good!

I will be leaving Westview soon, but I have two other siblings. I don't want them to go to a park that has problems. My brother, John is into basketball and I don't want him getting hurt because the basketball fences are too short.

Once again I implore you to give a grant to Hugh Danahy Park!

Sincerely,

Jessica Wassmer

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to ask if you can give a grant for Livingston Park. I am a student at Westview. I have used the park for 5 years. The park is great, but it can be better.

The concrete is uneven and cracky. Kids on their bikes crash because of the concrete. You should fix that.

The play place needs attention! I love the slides! I don't love graffiti. Litt kids are learning bad stuff from the graffiti. Swings are awesome! Falling isn't. Please fix the play place.

The grills in the picnic area have leaves in them. People can get sick. Please fix them or get a tarp for them.

Sincerely,  
Anthony V

Westview Elementary  
300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn Co, 80034

To those with concerns

I am a student from Westview Elementary and I am asking you to fix up Hugh Danahy Park. My brothers and cousins and I play at the park almost every day and we are encouraging you to fix a place where kids play and hang out.

Lets start with the picnic area. I love having a bog in the summer with my family, but the grill is dirty and when we start to eat there are bugs and leaves that get in to the food. A built in cover would be nice. While we are on the topic the tables are burned and wiggly. for example my friends where on one side and my friend and I where on the other side. My friends stood up and the table started to tip. Slide. My brothers love to go down the slide. The slide has some writing on it and my brother is learning how to read and that would be good. Maybe you can put a sign that says "Don't write on slide". I love to swing but there arent enough so that my cows dont swing. I dont think that's a good idea. I would like to see a playground that is safe and fun.



The water fountain by the tennis court is dirty and the water comes out warm. The tennis court needs some more benches and the fence need to be fixed it has a big hole at the bottem. I won't be here next year but my brothers and maybe my cousins!

From,  
Mahayla

West View Elementary  
1300 Ro Seanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 19, 2012

To Whom it concerns:

I am a fifth grader in a student at West View Elementary and I am imploring you to give the grant to reconstruct Danahy High-Park. One of the reasons are all of fifth grade go to the park at the end of the year party for fifth grade. My second reason is my friends and I go and play there and when we play games and the bridge squeaks and they find me and my friends really fast and that isn't fun. The paint is getting off and there's graffiti on the slides and there's really not nice words to say and little kids can climb on anything there's

Why you should reconstruct Danahy  
Hugh Park.

Sincerely,  
Erick

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn CO, 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am a student at Westview. I am writing to encourage you to give money to The City of Northglenn for Hugh Danahy Park. I would like to have a better park because, every summer, biweekly, my family and I go for a picnic. When my cousin and I play basketball there, my parents have trouble using the grills so we really need a replacement for them. The grills are also very dirty and greasy so we need to clean them before using them. My mom doesn't let me use the swing because she says that it's dangerous and the chains are old and they might break anytime. So we really need a new replacement there. I hate the swirly slide because it has so much graffiti written on it. I also think the park might look nicer and brighter with different colors. The basketball court isn't bad but, the fences near it are because when kids are playing basketball, the ball might bounce out the court, out to the streets or

Very serious can happen. We really need some longer and taller fences. Some of the tables are a little burned and very bumpy so people would really love better tables. Some people might get gross out or never return to the park. That's because people like things nice and clean. I have another suggestion for the grills. Can maybe put some lids on them or cover them so that they don't get dirty, messy and nasty. I hope I persuaded you to give money to The City of Northglenn for Hugh Danahy Park.

Sincerely,  
Mayte R.

P.S. I really love going to Hugh Danahy Park and I hope that we can all make a park, a better place for all.

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I'm writing this letter to ask you to give us money to the City of Hugh Danahy Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary. I been using the park for six years. I been going to play with my friends or go hang out with them. I live close by I use it everyday. I go in my free time. I go with my cousins and with my friends. These are the things we do at the park play on the playground, on the swings, play basketball and eat snacks on the picnic tables. I stay for about two to three hours.

This is what I see on the play structure. There is a pole in the middle of the ground and sometimes people run into it really bad. Maybe you can remove that. There are only

Also the black coating is chipping off on the chair.

The basketball net is falling apart and I know a lot of people that play basketball. When the ball goes into the net it will rip even more. Next thing you know the net will be ripped.

When we eat snacks with my friends or cousins. We always see rusty broken stuff on the table. I always think if these tables will be ever nice tables.

Sincerely,  
Bre

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn Co. 80234  
January 18, 2016

To Whom it Concerns:

I am writing to implore you to improve Hugh Danahy Park. I have been playing at Hugh Danahy Park for eight years and I love this park.

The playground is kind of rusty and we need this grant to have new equipment and a rusty free park.

Also picnic area, the tables are torn and scratched and hard to eat on. The grills are also rusty and dirty and that makes our food gross and disgusting, so we should put a cover over our new grill.

Even the basketball court has whiped off paint and gets our ball blue. The hoops don't have a orange square to shoot at, not the hoops also have



makes the ball bounce off the back  
different. I use the park at least, three  
times a week and I would want the  
basketball court fixed. About the lines on  
the court are maybe to light. Also  
one more thing about the basketball  
court the fence is ripped and dogs can get  
stuck people can get cut.  
That is why I think Hugh Danahy Park  
needs this GRANT.

Sincerely,

ZEREK Student from Westvi

Westview Elementary  
1300 Rossanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concern:

I'm writing to encourage you to give money to the city of Northglenn for improving Danahy Park.

I am a student from Westview Elementary School. I use the park a lot, I see a lot of people uses it too. You should come and see how the table and slides look, they have graffiti written all over, and all the tables have holes and it is not comfortable at all. Once I hit my head on the table it wasn't fun trust me. Ochh! The way it happened was because the sidewalk, I tripped. Can you come and see how bad it is? We really need money.

Also it would be good if you can plant trees so we can have more shade. Some times people eat and the grills are dirty and the dirt can get in

the food which can be a problem.  
I hope can fix the park.

Sincerely,

Arcelia Guerrero

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to implore you to give money to the city of Northglenn for Hugh Danahy Park. I'm 11 year old boy that goes to Hugh Danahy Park. I have been celebrating my birthdays and my 5 year old brother birthdays at Danahy park as well. We been doing that for 4 year and we are there 4 hours long. My little brother, big sister and me use the whole play structure and the basketball court. We take friends there (Hugh Danahy Park) and they say that the park was no use to use any more because it looked broken. Here are some ideas that might at least renew the play structure, basketball court and the picnic area. Grill-The grill of Livingston Park could be repaired or cleaned. Then after that put a cover on the grill so it won't gain leaves, dirt and cigarettes. I'm afraid a other family will get contaminated with diseases or illnesses.

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concern about is the true colors of the park.

Rusty paint-The rusty paint of the park is a problem for attention. Why? Well because some people look for attention to play on the park. Also because the rusty paint makes the play structure and doesn't grab attention.

Picnic tables-The picnic tables don't really work, because if you have to do work the wholes won't let you work.

Fences of basketball court-When the ball of basketball go thru the fence and might cause injuries to players or drivers.

Lines of basketball court-If the lines of the basketball court start getting rusty, it may cause problems to the player cause they might not know where are the rebound.

Graffiti on big slide on cone-this is the thing I'm the most worried about because some 4 or 5 year old boys/girls might not know how to read and might start saying those words. I was thinking to repaint it or get a slide. This are the reasons why I think High Danger Park should get the gear for improvement.

Sincerely,  
Helen C.

Westview Elementary

1300 Roseanna Dr.

Northglenn, CO 80234

January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing this letter to ask you to implore money to the city of Northglenn for improving Hugh Danahy Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary. I have been to the park for only two years, but I still love playing at the park. Also my school has celebrations for the end of the school year. (We spend about two hours at the park.) Even though I don't spend a lot of time at the park, you should still fix or change it for other peoples enjoyment.

One thing you should pay attention to is the playground. There are some bolts missing and the structure could collapse. There are also some old and rusty chains on the swings that could break. There is also graffiti on the slides and picnic tables. (Bad language can be exposed to kids.) People can change the bolts, replace the chains and get graffiti-free slides and picnic tables.

I don't have much to say about the basketball court, but I think you should replace the fences. The problem with a short fence is that when the boys

and hit a car or a person.

Another place you could change is the picnic area. The pavement is cracked and people could fall or trip. There is also the grill, it is very dirty and can be full of germs. People can get sick if they eat food from the dirty grill. I think that people can clean it and buy a lid to cover it. That's some of the reasons why you should give money to the city of Northglenn.

Sincerely,

Diana Trang Nguyen

January 18, 2012  
Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to implore you to give a grant to Hugh Danahy Park. I am a Student at Westview Elementary by Danahy Park. I use the park as much as possible. I think the park could use a grant. I use the park as much as I can.

I think you could fix the basketball courts. The basketball court needs new lines because the old lines are faded. The Park definitely needs new higher fences because if the ball goes over the fence the ball will cause an injury to drivers, That would not be good.

The play structure. The floor for the playground is rocks It could use Squeaky cubes like in front of the stairs. The main thing is the graffiti on the slide that is really bad for kids to see. I don't want my young child to see that



bad language.

The picnic area, needs a water fountain that works all year long. The grill is so dirty that is why it needs a cover, so dirt will not get in there food.

Truly Yours,  
Adam Young

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr  
Northglenn, Co 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I'm a student at Westview Elementary. I'm writing to inform you this thing so you will give us the grant money. For starters your grills are dirty so clean them. Then get a tarp and put it over it so when people are done using it they can put it back on so you can't be sued for people getting sick. Do not forget about the picnic tables get new ones because people write on them. So get new ones so you won't get sued for marker poisoning. And there's a crack in the slide and graffiti. So kids won't learn bad words. And people can't rip their pants on cracks. So in Northglenn Park...

be better,

Sincerely,  
Roman Luceo

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO, 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing this grant to implore you to give the city of Northglenn money to improve Hugh Danaby Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary School, I've been using the Hugh Danaby Park for 5 years and over the years I see going there almost every week and I can hang out there for 2 hours with my friends.

Here what I see on play equipment. There's a lot of graffiti, the side is really scratched. It's a safety hazard because it helps your kids see / bad words, and if you slip on the side you can hurt your self.

On the bottom left of court there are a lot of problems. When I go to shoot I can't see the ball and the ball is in the net.

Dark blue and put orange tape shaped in a shape of a square so it can be easier to shoot baskets. There are holes in the back board and I don't like that because the ball won't bounce back hard.

The last thing I wanna talk about is the picnic area, for the the tables I think you should put aluminum tables and seats because it would be easier to eat and so your butt won't hurt. The grill has leaves in it and people can get sick, because when the fire starts the smell of leaves can get in whatever your cooking. I think you should get a cover so when it's windy leaves won't fall in the slits of the grill. That's why we need this grant.

Sincerely,

Kris S

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roscanna Dr.  
Northglenn, Co 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing this letter to persuade you to make improvements of Hugh Danahy Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary, and I have been using the park for about six years. I go to the park with my friends, and at the end of the year celebrations.

In the basketball court the fence is too short, and if the ball goes over the fence it might go on the streets. Also there is a hole in the fence, and when people's ball get stuck in the fence people might hurt their hands trying to get it. So, can you please fix those things in the basketball court?

Can you please also clean the tables. So when people eat on them they don't get sick, because the table is dirty. Also can you clean the grill so that it looks clean, because people can think that it is dirty and then...

won't use it. Another thing for the grill is to get a lid for it, so bugs don't go on it.

One last thing is that can you clean the slide, because it has graffiti on it, and I don't want anybody to see it. Especially, little kids.

That is why I am writing this letter.

Sincerely,  
Kaitlyn Pham

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, Co. 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing, to encourage you. To give a grant to help fix our great park, Hugh Danahy Park on Roseanna Dr. Near the school I go by, Westview Elementary.

I use the park three times a week. And I do not admire the dirty ness of the park.

I love the swings but I hate the dirty sand that gets my shoes muddy. what I would like is a speaul mat under the swings. Maybe just recycled tire pieces instead. All so there is yoran on the slide which is gross and kids might pick at it which is bad. I would like a new slide with a to pointer thing. Why? because there is graffiti on the tower part. And little kid might be able to read it.



The basketball court has faded  
paint which makes it hard to play  
some b-ball.

I hope I encouraged you a bout  
giving a grant to Northglenn.

Sincerely,  
Taylor Donohue.

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

Dear Employees of Adams  
County Open space,

I am a student  
at Westview Elementary School.  
This letter is trying to convince  
you to give the money to the city of  
Northglenn. Sometimes I go to the  
Danahy after school and on the weekends  
too.

My mom likes cooking BBQ there,  
but I was thinking that if the dirt  
and pieces of leaves get in the  
food, people will get sick. There are  
dirt, leaves, and pellet gun bullets in  
the grill. So I was thinking that they  
should get a cover to keep the grill  
clean.

I took my cousin to the park  
and he love slider but on the



slides there is graffiti on there and other bad things. Also my cousin is 5 years old so I don't want him cursing and others.

I adore basket ball, but there is water and other stuff on the platform. So the water and other stuff on the platform can make people slip and get a injury. I was wondering if they can get a new clean platform.

So that is why I'm trying to convince you to give the money to Northglenn city.

sincerely,

Chaney C Lieu

1300 Roseana Dr  
Northglenn CO  
80234

Dear Adams County open space  
Advisory board,

I have been living in Northglenn  
since I can remember. My classmates  
and I have always **Loved**  
spending time at the park. Well it  
has seen better days.

First, the swing set is rusty. Which  
makes it look nasty.

Secound, basicaly everything has graffiti.  
Which is bad because their is bad words  
and other things that would be a bad  
influence for little kids.

Thired, I feel that the grills are in  
a way nasty. I mean why do we have  
them? Also I feel that they are a  
helth hazered.

Also, I would like it if you repainted  
everything, to make the park feel fresher.

After that, We want new cement because the old cement has cracks that make people trip.

Next, we would Love it if we could get better tables because they're always getting pushed over.

Finally, We would like it if you could possibly get a grant for all that we asked. I hope that you will put our ideas into action. Please, do these requests for the children.

Sincerely,

Rachel Marie Chadez

P.S, Thank you for taking time out of your day to read this.

January 18, 2012

Dear, Adams County Open  
Space Advisory Board,

I dont live in Northglenn,  
but when my friends, and I  
go to Dandey park we have  
an amazing time, it's just  
that we would like the park  
to have a few upgrades.

Some good upgrades for  
the park would be to repaint  
the slides because the slides  
are vandlized with bad things  
written on them, which would  
make the park a bad role  
model.

The basketball court is  
not at high quality, and the  
hoops aren't at high quality  
too. The hoops are showing  
their age by having holes in  
them, and the court needs  
to be repaved, and repainted.

So for the basketball court, everything could possibly be repaired, repainted, redone, and replaced.

The fences have holes in them, which would be dangerous for little kids that try to crawl under, so you would need to redo the fences.

Another nice upgrade would be to redo the food court, because the tables are burned and dented, so if all you did was paint over the tables then the dents would still show, so you would need to remove the tables they have now.

Please accept my upgrades.

Sincerely,  
Josh Merilatt

1/19/12

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory  
Board,

We the City of Northglenn would like the grant because we want to make the Duncany park a better and safer place for children and adults. The park needs a lot of repair on almost everything.

The concret is cracked so people of every age can fall and get hurt. There are problems with the concret in the basketball court and where the picnic tables are. The picnic tables need to be replaced, they are burned up. There are holes in the tables and people won't want to go and use it for parties. The grill should have a lid on it because leaves get in and it is gross. The basketball court needs a new fence because it has a hole in the fence and the ball can go to the street and a car can go over it and the ball will be flat. Also people can get hurt with the sharpe wire or rip their cloths. The equipment is broken and vandalized. One of the slides is like half way broken.



The inside of the cone of one of the slides has graffiti in it. The swings almost have no rubber so people can hold on to it. People can get hurt and rip their cloths.

That's why I think you should give the City of Northglenn the grant. They really need to fix the park. A lot of people love that park and really want to see it fixed.

Sincerely,  
Viviana Delgado

Joseph Pao Pao  
10488 Quivas St.  
Northglenn Co. 80234

Dear Addams County Open Space Advisory Board

The city of Northglenn it would really benefit from grant money to make some changes to Danahy Park so kids and family would love to have fun with their children and that's why I'm writing a letter to let you know that Danahy Park cause there's a lot of graffiti inside the slide.

Like, when you slide down there's a wet rock pile sitting on edge of the slide and you would get your clothes wet mostly pants cause you slide with your legs straight and sometimes you lean back and you would get even wetter.

And, about the basketball court needs a new paint job so you could see where can shoot the ball and you would have a better chance to block your opponents and.

Your ball won't just fly threw  
that hole it will just bounce back  
to you then you could start  
and play again and if your good  
enought you could shoot it from  
halfcourt and make it.

but, about the pinich tables  
are so nasty and when you leave  
food around it get raw and if you  
try an eat that's nasty.

Sincerely

JOJO ~~PROPERO~~

10988 Quivas Street  
Northglenn Co. 80234

Timmy Aragon  
10412 Santa Fe St  
North Glenn Co 96024

Dear Adams County Open Space Board

The City of North Glenn would really benefit from your grant money to improve Danany Park. I think this because this park is run down and there are holes every were. There is graffiti and writing every were. Cracked in the side walk. The sand should be removed with something new. The swing have frade rubber hang off the sides. The big rocks should be removed also because a littel kid could fall off and get hurt really bad. The basket ball quarter fence has a hole in the in it a persons ball can go throw it a they could get hit by a car. these thing are hazard to all ages.

Next, I think that the play ground be replayed too maybe a park for kid 5 and lower. Then I think that a park for kids 6 and up. Seprit new Swings would be

Nice to. New lites to keep  
bees away and litter to.

We would really  
benefit to your grant  
money for this run down  
park, thank you.

Sincerely,  
Timmy aragon

January 18<sup>th</sup> 2012

Haeley Williams-Smith  
10958 Lambert Lane  
Northglenn Co. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

Danahy Park is a safe place for children and families. But looking at the condition it's in now, I'm starting to doubt my self. One reason for this is the large cracks and holes in the concrete, side walks and slides. This is a large safty hazard because it could hurt someone badly.

Another reason is the burnded picnic tables. If you where to scrach your self on the sharp, rusted metal you could end up in the hospital getting a Tetnus shot.

The biggest safty hazard is the hole in the fence. If a child's ball was to enter through the hole and roll into the street a child could risk getting hit by a vehicle.

To benefit the park you should add a clean and fresh water fountain, to help kids who need a water break!

Vandizlem. There was some nonexpectible words on the slide and picnic tables. I don't think that there should be words and drawings on the play set or anywhere at the park.

When my family passes the park we always see the trash cans knocked over with trash on the ground. So please consider getting new stabbic trash cans.

Finally new backboards. The ones we have now have quater sized holes in them. We need new ones before the holes get bigger.

Please give Northglenn the grant I think it will benefit our community!

Sincerely,  
Haley  
L. Smith

January 18, 2012

Chayse Enriquez  
1000 W/ 112<sup>th</sup> #304  
Northglenn CO. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Spaces Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would very much appreciate the grant money to improve Danahy Park. Danahy park is always being used so you would understand why it is not the most well built park. The local school, Westview Elementary uses Danahy park very often so we want to make sure that the park is at its safest.

Examples of safety hazards are, the holes in the fencing around the basketball court where children are able to cut themselves on the sharp ridges that stick out, the cracks and bumps on the concrete can make children trip and hurt themselves while they are playing. Also, the cracks on the slides do not make it fun for children to go down. Another problem is the rusted metal on



the picnic tables just waiting to  
cut someone.

If these issues could be resolved,  
the community around Danahy  
park would be very thankful.

Sincerely,

Chayse Enriquez

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would really benefit from grant money to fix Donahy Park. This park gets a lot of visitors, like Westview Elementary and families.

Currently, there are safety hazards throughout the park to all ages. There are cracks all over the concrete and people could trip and hurt themselves. There are holes in the fencing on the basketball court, allowing your ball to go into the street. Also there are sharp edges on the fence, that can cut skin. The swings cover have torn off, exposing metal, and the metal can pinch skin. The sun beats down on the metal and can burn skin. There are bad words scratched into the equipment's paint. Also, there are bolts missing in the slides. They can fall and hurt someone.

Thank you in advance if

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You want the City of Northglenn to fix  
Dunahy Park.

Sincerely,

Travel Kehmeier

11-18-12

Paige Johnson  
10611 Livingston Drive  
Northglenn, Co, 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

I think the City of Northglenn should be granted so Danahy park can be in better shape because the little kids love to play there and so do big kids. Danahy park has a lot of safety hazards for people all ages. The most important safety hazards that immediately need to be fixed are the cracked concrete on the canopy, the burned tables on the canopy, the sticking up wire on the basket ball court. The things that don't immediately need to be repaired is new hoops for the basket ball court, new nets for the tennis court, new slides, repaint/remodel the playground and some new swings. The wire on the basket ball court that is sticking up could cut someone really bad. Also the cracked concrete on the canopy could have someone trip or fall. There is just two more things that can wait on is new gravel and putting in a turn table. I hope Danahy park can have all these things put in and fixed.

P.S. I would like it if Danahy Park had a dog park.

Sincerely,  
Paige

Sincerely,  
Paige Johnson

1/18

Yasmeen Guerrero  
10774 Kalamath St.  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would really appreciate it if the benefit grant could be given to help fix Danahy park located by Westview Elementary. The kids at Westview use this park a lot for field trips and picnics, as well as the public and their families. The fifth grade took a field trip and noticed that most of the concrete by the canopy is cracked, and if someone is not looking where they are going they may trip. The fence by the basketball court has a hole in it where the ball can easily go through, and onto the street. The basketball hoops don't have a target square on it. Most of the playground is vandalized, and the small slide has a crack on it. Here are some ideas of what the public would like to be changed at Danahy park. . . . .  
A new playground with a teeter totter, monkey bars, a tube slide, and a turn table. For the field some soccer

goals, and for the tennis court a little  
shady area. The city of Northglenn  
would really appreciate those changes to  
Danahy park.

Sincerely,  
Yasmeen  
Guerrero

1-18-12

Westview Elementary  
1300 Resenda Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,  
The city of Northglenn would like a grant for Dababy Park. This park Westview Elementary School uses it a lot. There need to be changes because it is a safety hazard for both kids and other people.

The concrete by the table is cracked all over and when people are running they could easily trip and fall. The basketball court net has a hole in it so it can catch on skin and clothing. There are also leaves, plastic beads and bottles in the grill. You can clean it out then put a cover over it so it does not get so dirty. Another thing is the tables bent and it is now sharp. Some one could get cut. There also needs to be more equipment like swings slides and other stuff. If you have some extra then



I would repaint it because the color  
is fading. In advance thank you!

Sincerely,  
Macayla  
Victory

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseann Dr,  
Northglenn CO 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I'm writing this letter to persuade you to make changes to Danahy Park. I'm a fifth grader and when I go to the park I see graffiti on playground equipments. So paint over the graffiti and bad words. I use the park alot. One time there was a kid and he ran straight into a pole. Please remove the pole that is not connected to anything. Put new benches beacus these ones have holes and it is not confortbul. You should reapeace the concreat with sawshy stuff.

From,  
Andrew

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, Co 80234  
January 18, 2012

To Whom it concerns:

I want to change  
the park especially the big side, it has a lot  
of graffiti you don't want kids saying  
bad words. I also think there should be more  
swings so people don't have to wait! you could  
clean the slides and the grill.

because if people get sick they will  
never come to the park. My baby cousin  
goes to the park and he loves the slide  
but he can't go on it because it had wax  
on it then we could not play at the park

This is why you should give a grant to  
Hugh Danahy Park.

Sincerely  
Tyler Kite

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn, Co 80234  
January 18, 2012

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to implore you to give money to the City of Northglenn to help improve Danahy Park. I'm a student at Westview Elementary and I love going to Danahy Park and play with my friends almost everyday. And even some times with my four year old brother. I love Slide but it has graffiti on it, My little brother can read and I don't want him to say that stuff at home or at school.

The basket ball court needs a new fence so the ball won't go over it and hit a car or a person. I think that we need new paint because people won't know where the boundaries are. One of the hoops has a hole in it and a ball could pop or do that.

We need new hole free tables  
and the tables have graffiti on them  
and the grills have dirt and stuff  
and people could get sick so we need  
new grills and tables.

Sincerely,  
Jacob

1300 Roe  
Dr. Nor.  
CO 8023  
January

To whom it concerns:

I am writing to get you to improve Donahy Park. I am a student at Westview Elementary School. Our whole 5<sup>th</sup> grade explored your park and they loved it I loved it too but I think you need to make some changes.

There should be some changes such as bathrooms and shade. If there are bathrooms, people can use them instead of walking home. Also the people can stay much longer. To make more shade you can build a longer roof. Shade will make it cooler in the summer.

I go to the park every month with my friends and I enjoy playing there. Thank you for reading my letter and considering my suggestion.

Sincerely,

Jessica V

P.S. Please write back to me, I look forward from hearing from you.

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board

My class went on a field trip to Danahey Park. I really liked Danahey Park but it's starting to show its age.

On the tables there's graffiti. Also, the tables are getting moved or flipped. I think they should be bolted down so they won't get moved or flipped over.

There should be a couple more swings. It's not really fun when there's two baby swings and two swings for big kids. You should redo the swings because they are kind of old and rusty.

I think the basketball court should be redone. The basketball court has a lot of cracks. Someone could trip. Also, the backboards should be plastic. There should be lights all around the basketball court. I think there should be three basketball courts.

I think with a little money and some hard work that this could be an amazing park. Families will be able to go to a nice, safe, and clear park.

Sincerely,  
Erika Cordova



Dear Adams County  
Open Space Advisory Board

Since I've been at Westview  
Elementary, some of the picnic  
are at Danahy Park.

Danahy Park is starting  
to so its age and all I  
ask you to do is modify  
the park so its more enjoyable

First of all the slides and  
tables have graffiti  
all over them. Secondly, the  
fences by the basketball court  
and the tennis courts are  
ripped. Third, the whole playground  
and basketball courts need to get  
repainted. Fourth, the water  
fountain smells like the  
poop potty and the fountain  
has no water. Fifth, the grills are  
rusty and gross.

Thank for concitoring giving  
Northglenn the grant for  
Danahy Park.

Sincerely

Angelo R

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

I love going to the park  
with my friends. Danahey Park is located only  
two blocks away from my school, which means  
we can go there after school. But there are a  
couple things I would change.

First, I would like to change the  
tables because they are burnt and you  
could spill or drop something

I would also change the water  
fountains because they are GROSS!

The third thing I would change  
would be put a porta-potty so that  
whenever you need to use the bathroom  
you can use it instead of going all the  
way home and using your bathroom.

last but not least patch up the  
cement in the food court because you  
can fall and seriously hurt.

Northglenn  
CO. 80030  
Haydee

So if you changed these things  
that would be nice. Thank You.

Sincerely,

Haydee Ramirez

1300  
Rosemarie  
Noftziger

Dear To Whom it may concern,

Our park is getting old we should  
get rid of the big rocks so kids won't get  
hurt. Maybe add something to the slide  
so it won't burn in the summer,  
and add a canopy with a bug spray  
also replace the old swing set  
with a new one and new grills  
because people trash them bolt  
the table to the ground so people  
can't flip the over graffiti is all  
over the table.

Sincerely  
John

Dear Adams County open  
Space Advisory Board:

I don't live in the Northgreen area but, sometimes after school my friends and I like to play there. But the park is showing it's age so I think you should modify it like...

First, in the Summer, Winter, Spring and Fall the fountain is off.

Next, you should bolt the table to the ground because they are always being moved or flipped over.

Finally, the basketball court paint is chipped up and there are holes in the backboards.

So to some it seems all I ask is to fix this stuff.

Sincerely,

TORV Cady

1500 Kogew  
Dr. Northgate  
80234

Dear Adams County Open  
Space Advisory Board,

Danahy Park has  
been one of my personal  
favorites for years. My  
classmates and I go to  
Danahy Park for picnics,  
and fun. Danahy Park has  
been apart of us forever!  
But, the park is starting  
to show its age.

There are only a few  
things that I would like to  
change, and then there are  
things I would like to leave  
the same.

Some of the things I  
would like to change are  
well, the swingset. The swingset  
is a bit rusty, so the swings  
do not swing as good,  
and as smooth as they  
should be.

The food area is pretty bad too. The tables have graffiti on them that is not appropriate for little kids to see. The grills are kind of nasty.

They have a lot of charcoal, and no one uses them most of the time. Also, there is a huge hole in the cement that people trip on.

When you walk out to the basketball court you will notice there are holes in the back boards, and the paint on the ground is faded.

One of the things I love is the field. It is so much fun, and fun to play sports on. I hope you make some plans with



Thank you so much for  
reading,

sincerely,  
Alyssa Capítá

1300 Rose  
Northglenn  
80234

Jan 18, 2012

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board:

I love Danahy Park it is  
very fun to play at but the park  
is starting to show it's age.

First, is on the big slide there  
is a lot of graffiti, and some of  
the paint is coming off of the  
bars and it makes it look rusty.

Second, the basketball court. I can't  
see the white paint on it, and the  
fences have holes and kids can  
climb threw the holes and cut  
their hands.

Clearly this is a wonderful park  
and it would be better with improvement!

Sincerely  
Claudia Martinez.

Dear Adam county open space  
Advisory board,

I love dancing park, but it's starting to get old in age, and some equipment is starting to get rusty and falling down. For example the basketball court nets they have holes and it doesn't look nice. Also the basketball lines I think they should be repainted because you can't really see them. Now the food area, I think the tables should be replaced and stuck to the ground because there always being moved around. So now the playground I think instead of having rocks have rubber so the rocks don't get into your shoes. Also we should build the playground bigger so more people can play on it. The tennis court just needs the floor repaired and get cleaned up. Hopefully we can have the grant to rebuild our park.

Sincerely,  
Valeria  
Riviera

January 10

Dear Adams County open space  
Advisory board,

I like this park a lot but  
it's showing it's age so  
my school is 2 blocks  
away from Danahy park  
and I think if we change  
up the park a little bit.  
I think it will look better  
like replace the drinking  
fountain and bolt down  
the tables so nobody can  
move them or flip them  
over cause there hard  
to flip back over and  
get a new slide cause  
it has graffiti on it  
and theres bad things on  
there so that way the kids  
think they can draw on  
the slide.

Sincerely,  
Isiah Ruybal.

1300 Roseana  
DAN of th Glenn  
Colorado 80234  
January 17, 2002

Dear City of North Glenn  
I really like the Pond  
at Danahy Park, but  
there are some problems  
with the Park. there  
are no bathrooms and  
there are holes in the  
by the basketball  
court. If you fix  
the Park more people  
will come and use

The Park Thank you for  
reading my letter.  
Sincerely  
A. J. Smith

1300  
ROSEYAN  
DRIVE

Dear Adams county Open Space Advisory  
board,

My school went on a field  
trip to Danahy Park. I love to  
play at Danahy Park but it's starting  
to show it's age. The tables  
are always being flipped over,  
the slide has carved in words, and  
the swings are in need of oil.  
We would like to get a grant  
so we can remodel it please  
think about it.

Sincerely  
Sebastian

1300  
Roseanna Dr  
Northampton  
Co. 8024

Dear Adams County open space  
Advisory Board,  
My school is located two blocks  
from Dandny park. There are some  
things that need to be change, and  
some things that don't need to be changed.  
For example the picnic tables look  
nasty, dirty and covered with graffiti. I also  
think that park should painted either  
blue, green, black, or purple, the paint is  
starting to chip. last but not least,  
There should be security cameras  
because people don't treat the park  
equipment nicely. And that way you  
can catch who litters, and writes graffiti  
etc.

Sincerely,  
Janica Lamb,  
a concerned  
citizen

1300  
Roseanna  
Northglenn CO  
80231  
January 18

Dear, Adam county open space.

I like Danahy Park, but there needs  
to be some changes at the Park

The basketball court needs to be fixed  
because there are holes in the nets.

Also the tennis courts have holes  
in the nets these holes make it  
very hard for people to play  
Tennis because the ball goes threw  
the net!

Also there are more things to  
be fixed for example the grills.  
They are very gross because they  
are rusty and disgusting. People  
don't want to use them because  
they are so dirty.

Thank you for listening.

Sincerely,

Roseanna



Dear Adams County Open space  
Advisory Board.

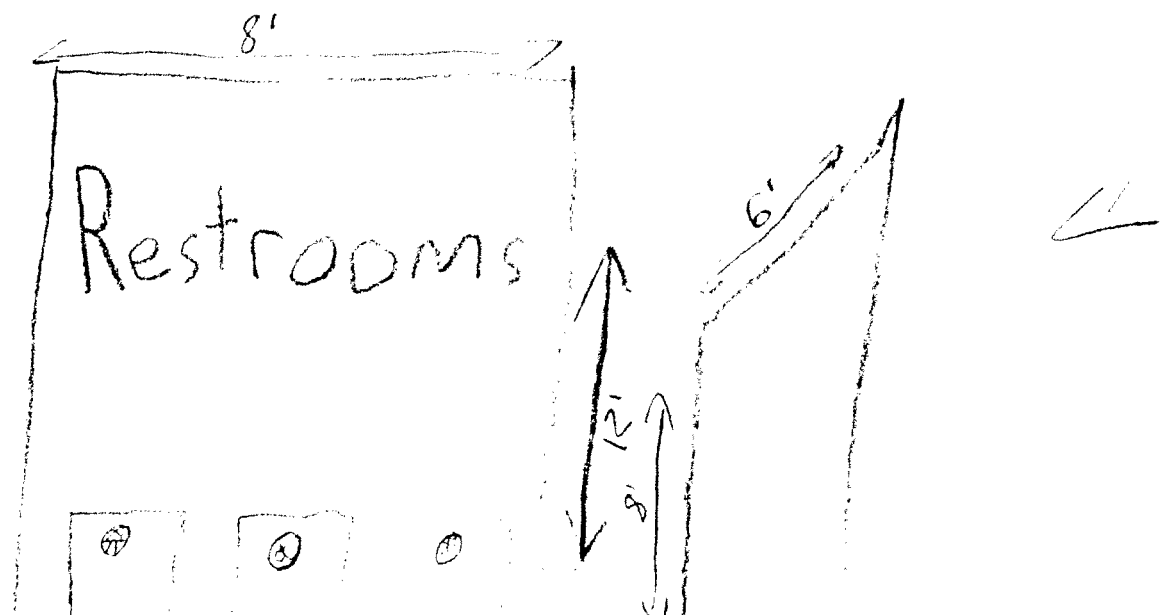
I have enjoyed Danahy park for 10  
years I have lived here. It has come  
to my attention that the park has  
shown its age. For example the fence  
needs repairs, The paint has faded  
so you need to repaint the fence.  
The slides, poles and swings need  
to be replaced for it has been  
vandalized with graffiti. This is  
why I think you should give our  
park a grant.

Sincerely  
Edward Siemien

Dear, Adams County  
Open Space Advisory  
Board,

I live 1 block away from  
the park. I think some new  
tables will be pleasant. I've seen  
this park go down but we can  
bring it back up. Now, it can use  
a new water fountain and bathrooms.  
I have an idea for the the bathroom.  
My point is I think we should bring it  
back up.

From the one and only,  
Ethan Peterson, Lucero



1300 Roseanna Dr.  
Northglenn Co 80234

January 16, 2012  
To Adams County Advisory  
Board:

I have lived in Northglenn my entire life. My friends and I enjoy spending time at the park together.

However, the park is showing it's age, and I think it's time for some repairs.

First of all the swings are getting rusty, and there are very few of them, it would be good for more because there are some big familys around here.

Second, the tables are always being either moved, tipped over, written on, or people burn the rubber off them I think graffiti is a bad example and some of the metal is sharp.

Third, the slides have graffiti on them and some of them are inappropriate for kids.

Fourth, at night when people are there or having a barbecue it would be nice to see.

Fifth, the grills are also kind of rusty and old and during the summer a lot of people use them.

Sixth, the courts are becoming cracked and the nets are torn and when I go play there I enjoy being able to use the courts.

Seventh, the fences are getting wholes in the bottom and if a ball goes out to the middle of the street and little kids follow them it's not safe.

Eighth, the concrete is becoming cracked too and when people ride their bikes or scooters they trip.

Please consider my recommendations.

Sincerely  
Rebekah Keller

1500 Roseanna J  
Northglenn, CO  
80234

January 18, 2012

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

I love Danahy park with friends and family, we enjoy the time there. Although, the park is showing it's age. For instance, there are holes in the fences and if a young child discovers the holes, and touches the end point of the hole, they might get injured. Also, I've seen people write naughty words on the slides, this may teach children innapropriate language for there age. Also, it would be nice to have picnic tables that are seeted to the ground, tables are being flipped upside down or moved diagnal. Also, there could be a little more swings. And maybe you could make the sand into gravel instead, because rocks get in your shoes and the gravel is very easy to walk on. Thank you for reading my grant, I very much appreciate it.

Sincerely,

Thomas Cross

Northglenn  
80234  
Jan 18, 2012

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

I live two blocks from Danahy Park. First of all, we need a softer playset. Second, we need a new basket ball court. Third, we need new tables. Forth of all, we need a new fence so baby and toddler dont get stuck. Finally, we need some were for adult and kids can rest. That's what the park needs.

Sincerely,  
Eric

Say Sacksdy

1111  
Northgenn co, 8023

Dear Adams county open space  
Advisory board,

I LOVE the park but I think  
it needs some changes. Like maybe  
Some new swings because the old ones  
are rusty. But most of all we need new  
Slide because there is some much bad  
launguage. But most of all I think we  
need a new tennis Court because it is  
geting bubbles in it and cracks. Also we  
need a new basketball court with new  
paint and hopes. We also need new grils wi  
a top that goes over them so they don't get  
rusty. We need nzw table because  
their brint and need to be bated to  
the ground. Also the playground need to  
be panted again.

Sincerely,  
morgan

1500 ...  
Northglenn Co  
80234

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

Our school is 2 blocks away  
from Danahy Park. My friends and I  
like to go there a lot. But the park  
has been there for a long time and  
it needs to be fixed.

We would not like you to  
shut down all the park at one  
time. We would like you to put new  
tables and bolt them down. That would  
be nice if you could fix the hoop  
because it has holes in it, and  
a new fence around the basketball  
court so kids won't get hurt if the  
ball goes in the street. If you can try  
to take off the vandalism. Put normal  
stuff.

That is what I would like  
to change if you have a nough  
money



January 18,  
To Adams County Open Space Advisory  
Board:

My school is like 10 minutes away  
from Danahy Park.

We have and will continue to use  
the park in the future. We really  
enjoy being at the park.

But, I think the park is showing  
it's age and there is some stuff  
that I would like to change  
first, better table because the ones  
we have now are burnt and has graffiti.  
Second, the basketball and tennis  
court are all messed up and things  
like that. Plus the kids that go there  
will see the graffiti and think they  
can copy what they say. Also, the slides  
all have bumps and cracks then  
someone can get injured. Third, I  
think that the grills are like super  
rusty. Last but not least the  
monkey bars need to be repainted.

Thanks for your understandings  
hope you get the grant!

Sincerely,  
Heavenly Mount

Roseau  
Northgl  
Co. 300

Jan 18,

Dear  
Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

My school is located two blocks from Danahey Park. We went there a couple weeks ago and we explored a bit. I think it is an awesome park but in my personal opinion I think there could be some changes.

First, I think you should put normal monkey bars, because some people can't do the triangle bars. Second, Repainting it would be nice because the paint is getting rusty. Also maybe clean out the grills every so often. Last but not least, there are rocks for the playground floor, it would be cool to have wood chips.

Thank You

Sincerely,  
Concerned  
Citizen  
Kala Thompson

1-18-2012

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would benefit from the grant money by improving Danahy Park.

Danahy park is in need of replacement, but there are things that need it immediately. Like the picnic area. The tables have cracks in them that could cut someone. Also the concrete it has large cracks and holes. The basketball court fence has a hole in it that the ball could go through and into the street. That is what I feel need immediate change.

The thing that could improve the parks image is new equipment that all ages would like. Equipment like a teter-toter, benches, water fountain, and a bathroom.

If you could take this into consideration the community would gladly appreciate it.

Sincerely,  
Emily Yamashita

So is the litter.

The Basketball court has a hole  
in the fence that makes it easy  
for the ball to slip out.

Thank you for your time!

Sincerely,

Bella  
Carbajal

January/19/2012

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO, 80234

Dear Adams county open space Advisory Board,

Danahy parks needs to be a safer environment for Infents children and adults. Alot of Eawiment and flooring are a hazerd for all adges. There are many things that need erjent Reper.

The Grills and tables have sharp edges on the tops of the tables and parts of the grills are very dangras because someone can get cut or burned.

The rubber on the swings are pilling this is very hard on skin and childrens clothing.

The drinking fountian dose not work any more. Water is not coming out.

The insides of the slides have girfittie on the inside.

The trash cans need lides because bees are one of the hazzerds and

1-19-12

10111 Hudson St  
Thornton CO 80229

Dear Adams county open space  
Advisory board, I think Northglenn  
should get the grant because  
there are many safety hazards. Like  
a hole in the fence that balls  
can go into the street and  
you can cut your self on it.  
and the side walk has so many  
cracks that you can trip  
fall and get injured. And thats  
why I think Northglenn should  
get the money.

Sincerely  
Donovan Morris

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn Co. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn  
would really benefit from grant money  
to improve dayhead park. Replacing  
objects from the park such as the hoop  
in the fence on the basketball court. Will  
keep the ball from going in to the street.  
Another safety issue is the cracks on the  
cement can cause a person to trip and fall  
and get injured.

Sincerely,  
Angel Tapia

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglen, Co. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory board

The city of northglen will use the grant for danahy park. The reason why we need the grant for danahy park is because there many hazards. Like in the basketball court there are cracks in the cement witch kid could trip on and could get hurt. The city of northglen will use the grant to make danahy park a safer place for families and kids of all ages.

Sincerely,  
Revin Olivas



Angel R  
January

1-18-12

Angel Rivera  
Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234.

Dear Adams County Open Space Board,

We need the grants because there are a lot of bees, broken and crack and more so please give use the grants. So we could change everything and make it a better environment for family.

Sincerely  
Angel R

WESTVIEW ELEMENTARY  
1300 ROSEBURN DRIVE  
NORTHGLENN, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space  
Advisory Board,

The city of Northglenn would really like a grant made to improve Danby Park. This park needs some improvements like fixing the hole in the fence, getting some new bolts, new rubber on the chairs, on the swings. The park is used a lot so some new paint and some equipment might be needed.

Sincerely  
Dave

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234.

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,  
danahy park is a perfect place to spend  
quality family time... Except the fact there  
are safety hazards.

Why I say that is because there are  
some reasons... Cracks are in the concrete  
that can cause a citizen to trip or  
stumble, the hole in the fence in the basket  
ball court can cause the ball to roll  
out into the street, the metal wires sticking  
out from the picnic tables can injer  
a person and cut them, the paint on the  
equipment is fading, the grill is rusty & broken.  
The danahy park is not safe and is  
danger to northglenn citizens. We'd really  
appreciate the grant. And the help of  
clearing/fixing danahy park.

Sincerely,  
Destinee J.

1/8/12  
Letter

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

Dear Adams county Open space Advisor Board,

The City of Northglenn would benefit from the grant of money to improve Danahy Park which is filled with children and family constantly 24/7 every day. The nearby school Westview Elementary also uses Danahy Park regular basis.

There are many things that are currently safety and health hazards. The many cracks in the concrete throughout the park are major tripping hazards for all people.

The picnic tables have chunks of metal sticking out that can easily cut someone. PLEASE help out by sending a grant of money to help fix Danahy Park.

Sincerely,

Jaquelyn Rodriguez

January 18, 2012

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, Co. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would really like to have Danahy park repaired alot of equipment been a safely hazard

The hole in the fence that's in the basketball court has wires pecking out, and can cause someone to get seriosly injured. We would be gratefully happy if you could **PLEASE** fix Danahy park.

Sincerely  
Yareli Quezada

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80231

Dear Adams County open space advisor board,

The City of Northglenn would really benefit from grant money to improve Dairy Park. This park is some times full of people. There are many things that need to be repaired. For example there's tables with poking things up. The park is full of pointy stuff that could cut kids. It will be the best to repair or put new things like put soccer goals or football field goal. These are some materials you have to repair for better safety. That is why Northglenn will benefit the park for the safety for kids and adults.

Sincerely,  
José Suarez

1/15/12

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna, Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

The City of Northglenn  
would benefit from the grant  
money to improve Danaly  
park. The hole in the fence  
and cracks on the concrete.  
The crack in the slide and  
the graffiti. That is why  
you should give the grant  
money to Danaly park

Sincerely

Emma

1/11/12

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseann Drive  
Northglenn, CO 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board

The City of Northglenn would benefit from the grant money to improve Donahy park. This park is in a neighborhood filled with kids of all ages who constantly play at that park. The near by school ~~Westview~~ uses the park on a regular basis as well.

The park has many cracks just about everywhere mainly in the courts and slides. These make tripping and cuts to happen more often. The basketball court fence has holes one is huge and has very sharp edges. Balls can fit through and go in the street. This may cause car crashes a huge safety problem.

P.S please account many more issues!

Sincerely  
Northglenn  
Resident,

Stefling  
Adams



West view Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

The city of Northglenn would really appreciate receiving the grant money to fix and improve Danahy park. The grant money will also make the park more fun and more safe for kids.

The thing that needs urgent repair is the picnic area the concrete is cracked and that is a tripping problem. The other problem is the play ground the play ground is unpainted and wiggly when people get on. Then there is the gravel that spreads all over the sidewalks of the park and that is dangerous for skaters and bikers.

The other things that are not in need of urgent repair are the basket ball court lines are fading away and the square that goes on the back board is gone. There is also the fence of the basket ball court has a hole in it and that could cut some people who like to play basket ball.

Sincerely  
Edward Garcia.

Wednesday, Jan. 18 201

Peyton Doody  
1163 Navajo St.  
Northglenn CO. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory  
Board,

The city of Northglenn and I would like grant money for our local park, Danahy Park. A lot of times my school, Westview Elementary takes field trips to that park to play around and eat lunch.

There are a lot of things that can be repaired that need a lot of work. Those things are burned tables which can get you cut. The rubber covering the metal on the swings is coming off. Also there are dozens of cracks in the concrete all around the park and there are holes in the basketball court fence.

Some other things need to be fixed but can wait a little. The slides are vandalized and the paint is coming off. Our school would like this grant money. It will really help the park.

Sincerely,  
Peyton Doody

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

Dear Adam County Open Space,

The City of Northglenn would really benefit from grant money to improve Danahy park. There are lots of things that are damaged. Lots of our neighbors go there. It is really fun to be there. But the slides have cracks and so does the basket-ball court. When I go there now... I see litter we need more trash cans and more trees to have shade so we won't have sun burn in the summer. The picnic table have needles sticking out little kids could get hurt. We would be glad to have your help.

Thank you  
Lay Aye

Wednesday, January 18,  
2012

Westview Elementary  
1300 Roseanna Drive  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

Dear Adams County Open Space Advisory Board,

The City of Northglenn would really benefit for grant money to improve Danahy Park. This request is for the help, fun an saftey for all people at all ages.

The saftey for kids needs to improve fast. It may seem safe but look closely an then only then you would see it. An I'm talking about foul words on the slide, also grafitti on other things by there. We don't want kids getting injured or being sad, I know I don't. The worse thing is conditions of objects. The paint on the basket-ball court can be recoated, there are dozens of cracks in the concrete. An that makes a huge tripping hazard for alot of kids. Plus, the tables an the fence have really sharp edges, an other things. It's the basket ball court that's bad. Like the hole in the fence that lets the ball goes out into the street always, an don't get me started about the backboards. What I think everybody wants is new equitment for the play-ground. If you can grant money that would put a end to all these problem's an satified people an family's.

Sincerely,  
Domion

Tyler Deems  
1063 Lambert Lane  
Northglenn, CO. 80234

Dear Adams county open space Advisory  
Board

Please dont give Northglenn  
the grant. I love the park how it is  
I go there almost every day. More than  
half my class that are writing the letter  
dont go there so take it from  
me dont give the grant to  
NORTHGLENN.

Sincerely  
Tyler Deems