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[Duluth, MN] – The City of Duluth is announcing the recent awards totaling \$46,150 in grants from the Community Parks and Recreation Program Grants to community organizations. The Fund is administered by the Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation. The fund helps support community groups that enhance both physical and social aspects of City parks. Funded applicants from the fall 2017 round include:

Chester Bowl Improvement Club - \$5,000 for chairlift slip tester equipment and radios

Morgan Park Smithville Community Club - \$5,000 for purchase of a lawnmower to maintain community green spaces

The Hills Youth &Family Services - \$5,000 for classroom presentation equipment and bench installation at Washington Center

Northern Expressions Arts Collective - \$1,500 for Community potlucks at Harrison Park

Welch Center - \$5,000 for expansion of winter youth programming

Duluth Area Horse Trail Alliance - \$5,000 for equestrian trail signage at Ely's Peak

Ecolibrium3 - \$5,000 for installation of interpretive kiosks signs at Lincoln Park

St. Louis River Alliance - \$5,000 for development of St. Louis River Estuary water trail maps

Superior Hiking Trail Association - \$3,150 for creation and installation of signage along Superior Hiking Trail loops

Duluth Climbers Coalition - \$5,000 for ADA trail construction at Quarry Park

Piedmont Heights Amateur Hockey Association - \$5,000 for kitchen renovations at Piedmont Heights

The grant applications are due April 1 and October 1 each year. Interested applicants can learn more at, Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation website, <a href="https://www.dsacommunityfoundation.org/community-parks-and-recreation-program">https://www.dsacommunityfoundation.org/community-parks-and-recreation-program</a>