

Jodi Pierce

From: Director Cathcart
Sent: Monday, February 5, 2018 12:20 PM
To: Jodi Pierce
Cc: Director Cathcart
Subject: Fwd: Your CIP/AAP Golden Application has been submitted.
Attachments: TOG-LTR-CAO-Support-for-Rotary-Lights.pdf; ATT00001.htm; RCMP-Rotary-Trail-support-letter.pdf; ATT00002.htm; Chamber-Letter-of-Support-Rotary.pdf; ATT00003.htm; GWRC-letter-of-support-for-light-on-trails.pdf; ATT00004.htm; Solar-light-quote.pdf; ATT00005.htm; Tourism Golden 2018-01-29-Rotary-Trail-Lights-LOS.PDF; ATT00006.htm

Hi Jodi

Would the funding request below be eligible for gas tax? Please advise when you can
Cheers
Karen

Karen Cathcart
CSRD Area "A" Director
Cell 250-344-8357
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Lori Baxendale" <loribax1969@gmail.com>
To: "Director Cathcart" <KCathcart@csrd.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Your CIP/AAP Golden Application has been submitted.

Dear Director Cathcart,

On behalf of the Rotary Club of Golden I am writing to you to request financial support from the CSRD for the community "Light up The Rotary Trails" project. This project consists of a capital investment in the 10 km's of the Rotary in Golden with the purchase of 10 solar powered light standards to be installed along the river section of the trails from the Golden Municipal Campground to Fisher Road. This is the Rotary Club's and the Rotary Trails largest project in decades, driven by the need to increase access and safety of the trails for the citizens and business owners of Golden and Area A and for Tourism visitors to our community.

I have attached a copy of our application to the CBT CIP/AAP granting stream, which should contain the majority of the information you may need to support this initiative. Also attached are letter of support from the Town of Golden who is also a partner in this project and 4 other community based organisations including the RCMP.

Our financial request of the CSRD is for \$36821.00 of the total project budget of \$147774.00, which will cover the capital purchase of 3 light standards. Other confirmed funders to date are the Rotary Club of Golden at \$30000.00 and the Town of Golden for \$37274.00.

Your support would also be appreciated at the CBT CIP/AAP committee level, by your alternate Stephanie Knaack in voting to fund the CBT grant request which is also \$36821.00.

We appreciate your time and attention to this request Director Cathcart, and would value having the CSRD on board as a partner and champion of this important community enhancement initiative. We have our fingers crossed for a favourable outcome at the upcoming CSRD board meeting February 15th.

I welcome any questions you may have.

Kind regards,

Lori Baxendale
President, Rotary Club of Golden
Fundraising coordinator , Light up the Rotary Trails project
250-344-3111

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From: **Columbia Basin Trust - Forms** <forms@cbt.org>
Date: Fri, Feb 2, 2018 at 8:46 AM
Subject: Your CIP/AAP Golden Application has been submitted.
To: loribax1969@gmail.com

Thank you for applying to Community Initiatives and Affected Areas Program for Golden. This email confirms we've received your application. The review process usually takes up to eight weeks. We will contact you by email, at the address on your application form, to let you know if your project has been approved for funding. If you have any questions about this, contact us at [1.250.344.8610](tel:1.250.344.8610) or cbtadmin@golden.ca.

APPLICANT INFORMATION SECTION

Organization Legal Name	Rotary Club of Golden BC
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Mailing Address	PO Box 20256
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City	Golden
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Province	BC
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Postal Code	V0A 1H0
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Signing Authority Name	Lori
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Last Name	Baxendale
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Phone Number	(250) 344-3111
Email Address	loribax1969@gmail.com
Is Signing Authority same as the Project Contact?	Check if Signing Authority information is the same as the Project Contact information.
Primary Contact Name	Lori
Primary Last Name	Baxendale
Phone Number	(250) 344-3111
Email Address	loribax1969@gmail.com
Organization Mandate	Rotarians live by the motto; "Service above self". As a non-religious, non-political volunteer service Club in Golden BC, committed to community betterment, our mission is to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance understanding, goodwill and peace through the fellowship of business, professional and community leaders.

PROJECT DETAILS SECTION

Project Title	Light Up the Rotary Trails
Amount Requested (\$)	36682
Project Location	Town of Golden
Estimated Start Date	May 1, 2018
Estimated End Date	November 1, 2018
Provide a brief summary or scope statement for your project.	<p>To enhance and further develop a crucial piece of community infrastructure by installing 10 solar powered light standards on the the Rotary Trail along the river path between the Golden Municipal Campground and Fisher Road. Solar pathway and trail lighting is an efficient means to provide lighting without the need for standard utility power and provides cost savings by eliminating the need to trench standard electric wires for installation. Electrical trenching and wiring may necessitate tearing up existing infrastructure. It could also negatively affect woodlands or mature landscaping. As trail lighting is sometimes needed at some distance from the closest electrical line, the cost of extending wiring from the nearest grid connection can be prohibitive.</p> <p>Another advantage of solar lighting is that it is not subject to brownouts or</p>

	<p>blackouts caused by extreme weather events and are immune to the stresses of the electrical grid. Due to their sophisticated battery technology, the lighting systems can continue to shine for days without a single ray of sunshine.</p>
What issues or opportunities will be addressed? How were they identified?	<p>Safety Health and Wellness Walk-able Community Connecting the Community.</p> <p>These issues were identified through community dialogue.</p>
Who will be involved in implementing the project?	The Rotary Club of Golden and the Town of Golden.
Explain why this project is important to your community. Who will benefit from the project?	<p>Walkability promotes routine contact with others in your neighbourhood, encouraging a sense of belonging, pride, and community participation. A community that supports walking as a primary means of transportation reaps all sorts of benefits – for health, safety, the environment, the economy, and community life. The 10 Km's of trails in the Rotary network connect residential, business, school, recreational and tourism areas. Emphasis is traditionally put on lighting vehicular transportation routes for safety in the dark, however, as society continues to move toward embracing active and environmentally friendly lifestyles, more and more citizens utilize non-motorized means of getting around. Well lit pedestrian and bike trails can extend the available hours in the day that citizens can access them and assist reducing vehicle emissions through reduced use. As the population ages, walkable communities help people remain at home, get access to essential services, and stay connected. Walkability provides similar benefits to others who do not drive, including children, people with disabilities, and those who can't afford the high cost of owning and operating a vehicle. Walkable neighbourhoods are for everybody.</p>
How will the project be evaluated and how will you know if it has been successful?	<p>Community feedback Trail usage increase when dark</p>
Why is your organization best suited to deliver the project?	As the namesake organisation and decades long stewards of the Rotary Trails the Rotary Club is honored and compelled to ensure the 10 km network is continually repaired, maintained, enhanced and developed for the benefit and enjoyment of all the community.
How long has your organization been active in Golden or CSRD Area A?	1984

Is this a onetime event or a continued initiative? If it is a continued initiative, how will it be sustained through other funds or support?

This is a one time event on this section of trail. Once this section of trail has lighting, other areas of the trail will be assessed based on volume of usage and safety concerns.

Explain why this project does not duplicate existing services or activities? If there is overlap with other community projects, what have you done to partner with those affected?

There are no other organisations in the community working on the lighting of trails.

Project Partners: List groups or individuals cooperating in this project and their contributions.

Rotary Club of Golden: Project champions, fundraising coordinators, stewards of the trails, cash donation.

Town of Golden: Letter of support, in kind donation of installation, cash donation for one light standard, and agreement to ongoing repairs and maintenance.

RCMP Golden Detachment: Letter of support

Tourism Golden: Letter of support

Kicking Horse Country Chamber of Commerce: Letter of support

Golden Women's Resource Centre: Letter of support

WORKPLAN

Activity	Overseen by	Start Date	End Date
Fundraising Completion	Lori Baxendale	July 1, 2017	April 1, 2018
Order of light standards	Jon Wilsgard	April 2, 2018	May 1, 2018
Installation of light standards	Town of Golden work crews	May 1, 2018	October 1, 2018
Ribbon cutting ceremony acknowledging funders and community partners	Rotary Club of Golden	September 30, 2018	October 28, 2018

ISSUE AREAS OF FOCUS

Issue Area	Project Objectives	Anticipated Outcomes
Health - 2nd Citizen Priority	Extend and improve the opportunity for citizens and visitors to safely access the Rotary Trails by extending the useful hours.	Regular brisk walking can help: Maintain a healthy weight. Prevent or manage various conditions, including heart disease, high blood pressure and type 2 diabetes. Strengthen bones and muscles. Improve balance and

		coordination. Walking improves mood and concentration, boosts mental agility, and fights depression.
Economy - 4th Citizen Priority	Extend and improve the opportunity for citizens and visitors to safely access the Rotary Trails by extending the useful hours.	Property values are higher in walkable neighbourhoods. Stores sell more thanks to increased foot traffic. Employers like walkable locations in order to attract young, creative employees. Tourists love walkability. Everybody does.
Recreation & Leisure - 5th Citizen Priority	Extend and improve the opportunity for citizens and visitors to safely access the Rotary Trails by extending the useful hours.	Recreation and Leisure opportunities in a community can improve physical health, mental health and overall strengthen the sense of community as individuals are out and about on a daily basis engaging and interacting with others seeking the opportunity to be active, healthy and community oriented.
Safety - 6th Citizen Priority	Extend and improve the opportunity for citizens and visitors to safely access the Rotary Trails by extending the useful hours.	Trail lighting that is well placed, properly installed and frequently maintained can improve visibility, increase overall trail access and convenience and give trail users a sense of security while passing through at night. Well lit trails can reduce trip hazards, reduce human/wildlife interactions, and make lit areas less desirable to criminal activity.
Environment - 7th Citizen Priority	Extend and improve the opportunity for citizens and visitors to safely access the Rotary Trails by extending the useful hours.	Solar lighting uses renewable energy instead of fossil fuels, which can be appealing to communities with a desire or initiative to be more sustainable. Since trenching for wiring isn't required, solar outdoor lighting also avoids environmental disruption during installation and maintenance—also making lighting possible in environmentally sensitive areas. Walking replaces short polluting car trips, improves local air quality, reduces congestion, and reduces greenhouse gas emissions.

PROJECT BUDGET SECTION

Administration Budget Details

Cash Budget Item	Total Amount Required
Subtotal Administration Budget	\$0

Contract Fees and/or Staff Wages Budget Details

Cash Budget Item	Total Amount Required
Subtotal Contract Fees Budget	\$0

Capital Purchases Budget Details

Cash Budget Item	Total Amount Required
10 x solar powered LED light standard	\$122,274
10 x installation of Solar Powered light standard	\$25,000
Subtotal Capital Purchases Budget	\$147,274

Other Costs Budget Details

Cash Budget Item	Total Amount Required
Ribbon cutting community BBQ funder recognition	\$500 [i 18
Subtotal Other Cost Budget	\$500

TOTAL PROJECT CASH BUDGET **\$147,7'**

REVENUE SOURCES

Source Name	Confirmed (Y/N)	Amount
Golden CIP/AAP	No	
Rotary Club of Golden	Y	\$30,000
Town of Golden 1 light standard	Y	\$12,274
Town of Golden installation of all lights	Y	\$25,000
CSRD	N	\$36,821
Miscellaneous community fundraising	N	\$6,858
Golden CIP/AAP	N	\$36,821
TOTAL CASH REVENUE		\$147,774

FINAL STEPS SECTION

1.	Town of Golden Letter of Support
2.	RCMP letter of support
3.	Chamber of Commerce letter of support
4.	Golden Women's Resource Centre letter of support
5.	Town of Golden supplier quote
I have read and agree to the declaration above. I Agree	
Date	February 2, 2018
Applicant Name	Lori Baxendale
Applicant Title	Fundraising coordinator and President of the Rotary Club of Golden