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Grant Recommendations

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In 2004, the City Council authorized the Sports Facility Partnership Fund to provide funding for upgrades to Rapid City sports facilities which are leased to non-profit organizations. Beginning in the spring of 2009 the Program was modified to include organizations which have MOUs with the City to maintain Park and Recreation facilities. The following organizations submitted applications for funding from the 2012 Partnership Program:

- RC Softball Association
- YMCA (LaCroix Links Golf Course)
- Kiwanis/Mary Hall Park
- 320 Baseball
- BH Pony League

The applications for PRFPF funding totaled \$86,344; however there is only \$50,000 available in the fund. All applications were rated using criteria in the program documents authorized by the City Council. The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board reviewed the applications and recommends funding in the following amounts:

1. Baseball 320, Inc. (Indoor Training Facility)	\$10,000
2. YMCA (LaCroix Links Golf Course Imp.)	\$24,000
3. Kiwanis/MH park (Playground)	\$ 3,000
4. RC Softball Assoc. (retaining walls)	<u>\$18,000</u>
Total:	\$55,000

If you have any questions, please contact me.