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Parks and Recreation Memo

Date: April 8, 2005

To: CIP Committee

From: Jerry W. Cole, Director

Subject: Sports Facility Partnership Fund

In 2004, the City Council authorized the Sports Facility Partnership Fund to provide funding for upgrades to Rapid City's sports facilities which are leased to non-profit organizations. In 2005, we received seven applications for funding from the following organizations:

- Rapid City Softball Association
- Church Softball League
- Black Hills Pony League
- Timberline Little League
- Soccer Rapid City
- Harney Little League
- Baseball 320, Inc.

The applications were rated using criteria in the program documents authorized by the City Council. Four of the seven applications were declared ineligible because they did not meet the 50/50 grant requirement or did not follow the established fund guidelines.

The Parks & Recreation Advisory Board met in special session on March 22nd to hear presentations from each applicant. At its regular meeting on April 7, 2005 the Board approved the following allocation for the 2005 Sports Facility Partnership Fund:

1.	Black Hills Pony League	\$16,206.14
2.	Timberline Little League	\$9,320.00
3.	Church Softball League	\$1,454.35

The Board also recommended that the remaining \$23,019.51 be carried forward to 2006 and used for Sports Facility Partnership Fund projects.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call.